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Sponsor(s): Reboyras (30)

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Title: Gratitude extended to Strides for Peace for hosting Race for Peace on June 7, 2018, in response to high incidence of gun violence.

Committee(s) Assignment:

RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, Strides for Peace is hosting the Race for Peace on the evening of June 7th, 2018, from 7:00 PM until 10:00 PM at Soldier Field; and

WHEREAS, This esteemed body has been informed of this occasion by the Honorable Ariel Reboyras, Alderman of the 30th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Strides for Peace was founded in response to the high incidence of gun violence that has been occurring in Chicago; and

WHEREAS, The organization's mission is to identify and financially assist local community partners who have achieved demonstrable success in an array of strategies and programs needed to reduce violence and improve life outcomes; and

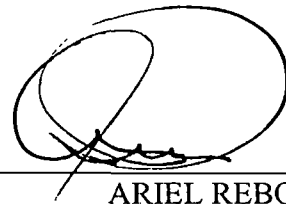
WHEREAS, The Race for Peace was launched by Strides for Peace in 2014 to bring the community together to show the world that Chicago can come together to solve the problem of gun violence and save lives; and

WHEREAS, The race is a rallying point to raise funds and awareness about what is being done to reduce gun violence and build futures for Chicago's youth; and

WHEREAS, The date was chosen to promote solidarity with others in the urgent need to reduce gun violence and to bring the members of the Chicago community together to create a solution; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, gathered here this twenty-eighth day of February, 2018, do hereby extend our recognition for the Race for Peace hosted by Strides for Peace.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Strides for Peace.



ARIEL REBOYRAS
Alderman, 30th Ward