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Title:	Not-for-profit fee exemption(s) for Uptown Baptist Church
Committee(s) Assignment:	Committee on Finance

REFER TO COMMITTEE ON FINANCE

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO:

SECTION 1. That the Commissioner of Buildings, the Executive Director of Construction and Permits, the Commissioner of Transportation, the Commissioner of Streets and Sanitation, the Commissioner of Environment, the Commissioner of Water Management, the Director of Revenue, the Director of Business Affairs and Consumer Protection, the Commissioner of Fire, and the Commissioner of Zoning and Land Use Planning, are hereby directed to issue all necessary permits, all on-site water/sewer inspection fees and all water/sewer plan review fees, free of charge, notwithstanding other ordinances of the City of Chicago to the contrary, to **Uptown Baptist Church** 1011 W. Wilson, Chicago, IL, 60640, a not-for-profit Illinois Corporation, related to the erection and maintenance of building(s) and fuel storage facilities at said locations:

1011 W. Wilson, Chicago, IL, 60640

Said building(s) and all appurtenances thereto shall be used exclusively for charitable purposes and shall not be leased or otherwise used with a view to profit, and the work thereon shall be done in accordance with plans submitted and all of the appropriate provisions of the Municipal Code of the City of Chicago and departmental requirements of various departments of the City of Chicago, and said building(s) and all appurtenances thereto shall be constructed and maintained so that they shall comply in all respects with the requirements of the appropriate provisions of the Municipal Code of the City of Chicago for the issuance of all necessary permits and licenses.

SECTION 2. **Uptown Baptist Church**, a not-for-profit, Illinois Corporation, shall be exempt from the payment of City license fees and shall be entitled to the cancellation of warrants for collection for inspection fees.

SECTION 3. **Uptown Baptist Church**, shall be entitled to a refund of City fees, which it has paid and to which it is exempt pursuant to Sections (1) and (2) of this ordinance.

SECTION 4. This ordinance shall be in force for a period of **January 1, 2012 through January 1, 2014.**



JAMES CAPPLEMAN
Alderman, 46th Ward



Illinois Department of Revenue

Office of Local Government Services
Sales Tax Exemption Section, 3-520
101 W. Jefferson Street
Springfield, Illinois 62702

April 29, 2011

UPTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH
1011 W. WILSON

CHICAGO IL 60640

We have received your recent letter; and based on the information you furnished, we believe

UPTOWN BAPTIST CHURCH
of
CHICAGO, IL

is organized and operated exclusively for religious purposes.

Consequently, sales of any kind to this organization are exempt from the Retailers' Occupation Tax, the Service Occupation Tax (both state and local), the Use Tax, and the Service Use Tax in Illinois.

We have issued your organization the following tax exemption identification number:

to claim the exemption, you must provide this number to your suppliers for tangible personal property for organizational use. This exemption may not be used by individual members of the organization to make purchases for their individual use.

This exemption will expire on May 1, 2016, unless you apply to the Illinois Department of Revenue for renewal at least three months prior to the expiration date.

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