

## City of Chicago



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## Office of the City Clerk

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Sponsor(s): Burke (14)

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Title: Gratitude extended to Paulina Kapuscinska for dedicated

service as Consul-General of Republic of Poland in Chicago

Committee(s) Assignment:

## RESOLUTION

**WHEREAS**, The City of Chicago and the members of its esteemed diplomatic community are privileged to bid a fond farewell to Paulina Kapuscinska who has served with distinction as the Consul General of the Republic of Poland since 2012; and

**WHEREAS,** The Chicago City Council has been informed of this auspicious event by Alderman Edward M. Burke; and

**WHEREAS,** As the representative of the Republic of Poland, Paulina Kapuscinska oversaw the Chicago consular district which boasts the largest number of Polish-Americans and Poles in the United States; and

WHEREAS, A native of Warsaw, Paulina Kapuscinska began her professional career as a journalist and became Assistant Press Spokesman for the Chancellery of the Prime Minister in 1999; and

**WHEREAS,** In 2002 Paulina Kapuscinska began work with the Foreign Ministry's Department of the European Union and Accession Negotiations; and

WHEREAS, In 2004 Paulina Kapuscinska joined the staff of the Consulate General of the Republic of Poland in Los Angles, California, where she was named Consul General in 2007; and

**WHEREAS,** In her role as Consul General, Paulina Kapuscinska has fostered a greater and deeper understanding with all nations; and

**WHEREAS,** The hard work, sacrifice and dedication of Paulina Kapuscinska serve as an example to all; and

**WHEREAS,** Paulina Kapuscinska is a widely recognized member of the diplomatic community who is richly deserving of our admiration and respect; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED,** That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this tenth day of February, 2016, do hereby extend our most sincere gratitude to Paulina Kapuscinska for her tireless service as the Consul General of the Republic of Poland in Chicago and do hereby express our best wishes for her continued success and achievement; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED,** That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to Paulina Kapuscinska.

Alderman - 14th Ward