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**Meeting Date:**

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**Sponsor(s):**

Burke, Edward M. (14)

**Type:**

Resolution

**Title:**

Gratitude extended to Bea Reyna-Hickey

**Committee(s) Assignment:**

### ***Resolution***

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey completed her tenure as Director of Chicago's Department of Revenue on July 1, 2011; and

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

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey's retirement concludes twenty-five years of distinguished public service with the city of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Under the leadership and guidance of Bea Reyna-Hickey, the department's revenues rose from \$1.6 billion in 2000 to \$2.2 billion in 2010; and

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey instituted numerous innovations during her eleven-year tenure with the Department of Revenue, particularly in regard to technology; and

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey played an instrumental role in reducing errors in the vehicle ticketing process while bringing chronic offenders to justice more swiftly; and

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey was well regarded by Chicago drivers for her implementation of a web-based payment system and a vehicle/red light ticket payment plan; and

**WHEREAS**, Bea Reyna-Hickey improved overall tax and fee collection by launching several city-wide and multi-agency databases; now, therefore

**BE IT RESOLVED**, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council assembled this sixth day of July, 2011, do hereby express our gratitude to Bea Reyna-Hickey for her twenty-five years of public service and do hereby wish her well in her future endeavors; and

Adrian L. Berman  
Alderman - 14<sup>th</sup> Ward