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## **RESOLUTION HONORING THE CAREER AND RETIREMENT OF ALAN CHANNING**

**WHEREAS**, Alan Channing served for decades as a leader in the safety-net health care community, serving most recently as the President and CEO of Sinai Health Systems in Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, under Mr. Channing's leadership Sinai Health Systems increased in size while also experiencing some of its most profitable years in history; and

**WHEREAS**, that success can be attributed to the merger he helped orchestrate between Mt. Sinai Hospital and its neighbor Holy Cross Hospital; and

**WHEREAS**, that merger alone created a private safety-net system that yielded more than \$525 million in annual revenue; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Channing's work has resulted in Mt. Sinai receiving a NOVA award by the American Hospital Association for being among the nation's most creative community-oriented hospitals; and

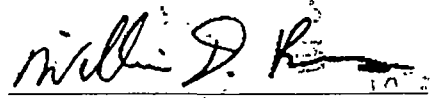
**WHEREAS**, Mr. Channing serves as a member of the board of directors of the Illinois Hospital Association, as a Regional Policy Board Delegate, and has served as a past chairman of the Illinois Hospital Association, as a past board member of the Metropolitan Chicago Healthcare Council and as a former member of the American Hospital Association Regional Policy Board for Region 5; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr., Channing was named to the 2011 Becker's Hospital Review 'Hospital and Health System Leaders in the Know' list and was an inaugural recipient of Becker's Healthcare 2013 Leadership Awards; and

**WHEREAS**, Mr. Channing was deeply committed to Sinai's mission for providing care and service to underserved and challenged communities; **THEREFORE**

**BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the Mayor and members of the Chicago City Council assemble this 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 2014, do hereby congratulate Mr. Alan Channing on his retirement in humble acknowledgement of an honorable and successful career in service to those less fortunate; and

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Mr. Alan Channing.

  
William D. Burns  
Alderman, 4<sup>th</sup> Ward  
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