



# City of Chicago



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<b>Meeting Date:</b>	7/30/2014
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<b>Title:</b>	Tag Days permits for Renaissance Social Services
<b>Committee(s) Assignment:</b>	Committee on Finance

CHICAGO July 30, 2014

To the President and Members of the City Council:

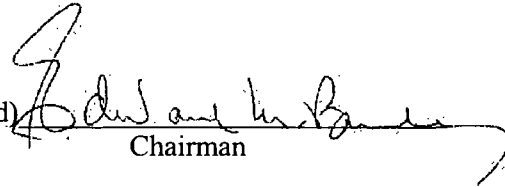
Your Committee on Finance having had under consideration one (1) order authorizing one (1) application for City of Chicago Charitable Solicitation (Tag Day) permits.

A. Renaissance Social Services

having had the same under advisement, begs leave to report and recommend that your Honorable Body pass the ordinance(s)/order(s) transmitted herewith.

This recommendation was concurred in by \_\_\_\_\_ (viva voce vote of the members of the committee with \_\_\_\_\_ dissenting vote(s)).

Respectfully submitted

(signed)  Chairman



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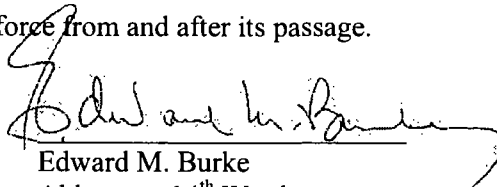
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Ordered, that the Committee on Finance is hereby authorized and directed to issue charitable solicitation (tag day) permits to the following organizations:

- A. Renaissance Social Services  
October 10-11, 2014  
Citywide

This order shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.



Edward M. Burke  
Alderman, 14<sup>th</sup> Ward

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**COMMITTEE ON FINANCE CHARITABLE SOLICITATION  
TAG DAY REQUEST FORM AND ROUTE SHEET**

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<b>GROUP NAME:</b>	Renaissance Social Services	
<b>ADDRESS:</b>	333 N. Oakley Blvd., Suite 101, Chicago, IL 60612	
<b>TELEPHONE NUMBER:</b>	773-645-8900	
<b>CONTACT PERSON:</b>	Michael Banghart	
<b>DATE WRITTEN REQUEST WAS RECEIVED:</b>	June 30, 2014	
<b>SOLICITATION DATE:</b>	October 10-11, 2014	
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**APPLICATION FOR CITY OF CHICAGO CHARITABLE SOLICITATION PERMIT**

(Please neatly print or type. In necessary in answering any question, please attach additional sheets.)

1. **Name of organization:** Renaissance Social Services

**Address:** 333 N. Oakley Blvd., Suite 101 Chicago, IL 60612

**Telephone Number:** 773.645.8900

2. **Use the space below to list names, current positions, residence addresses and telephone numbers of the officers in the organization:** Renaissance Social Services Inc.

Michael Banghart, MA, LPC, Executive Director 773.645.8900

Andrew Lowenthal, President, Board of Directors (see attached)

Michael Ranallo, Vice President, Board of Directors (see attached)

Karen Thomas, Secretary, Board of Directors / Steve Noyers, Treasurer (both attached)

3. **List the date and approximate location(s) of solicitation:**

Friday, Oct. 10 (World Homelessness Day) and Sat., Oct. 11 (heavy visibility areas: Mich Ave., State St., Clark, LaSalle, Ontario, Ohio, Peterson Ave., Skokie Blvd, Clyborn, etc.)

4. **Approximately how many persons will be engaged in the solicitation?**

We plan for 500+ (up to 2,000) from major Chicago universities, plus our charity volunteers and young professionals

5. **Explain the methods your organization will use to solicit funds:** (reflective vests!)

Teams wearing "World Homelessness Day" RSSIChicago t-shirts. Will canvas the city collecting funds/donations. Mission: End Homelessness through housing, support services

6. **Has your organization ever been allowed to solicit funds in prior years in the City of Chicago? If so, when?**

First time request....thank you!

7. **Include the following with your application:**

A. **A copy of the registration statement filed with the Attorney General of the State of Illinois; or exemption issued by the Attorney General of the State of Illinois.** ATTACHED

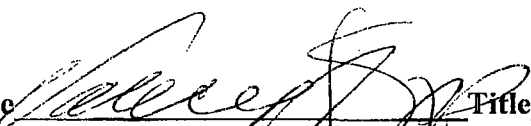
B. **A copy of the tag, badge, emblem or other token (if any) which will be distributed as part of the solicitation, or which will be used by your organization in its solicitation.** TAG and THANK YOU piece


8. **Please include any other relevant information which would assist the Committee on Finance in reviewing this application.** PROMOTIONAL PIECE and BACKGROUND



APPLICATIONS MUST BE RECEIVED BY THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE NO LATE THAN 30 DAYS PRIOR TO THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE SOLICITATION.

I/WE, THE OFFICER(S) OF THE ABOVE NAMED ORGANIZATION, CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION FURNISHED IN THIS STATEMENT AND ALL ATTACHED SHEETS IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY/OUR KNOWLEDGE. (NOTE: AT LEAST ONE OFFICER OF THE ORGANIZATION MUST SIGN AND VERIFY THIS APPLICATION.)

Signature  Title Nancy Kapp  
SSI Bd Date 6/6/14

Signature  Title Michael Banghart  
Executive Director Date 6/25/14

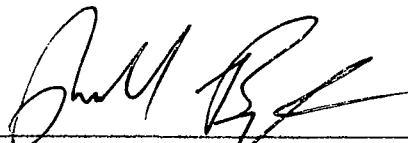
Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Title \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

**HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT**

1. The undersigned officer on behalf of the subject organization agrees to defend, indemnify, save and hold harmless the City of Chicago for any loss, liability, damage or cost which the City may incur due to the presence of volunteers of the subject organization on City premises for the purpose of charitable solicitations.
2. The subject organization assumes full responsibility for risk of bodily injury, death or property damage due to the negligence of the subject organization or otherwise resulting from conduct or activity related to the participation in charitable solicitation on the public way.
3. The officer of the subject organization has read and voluntarily signs the hold harmless agreement and waiver of liability and indemnity agreement.

RENAISSANCE SOCIAL SERVICES

Name of organization



Signature of organization officer

(Michael Banghart/Exec Dir.)

Date

6/25/14

Michael Banghart  
Executive Director  
824 S. Taylor Ave.  
Oak Park, IL 60304  
773-645-8900 x108

Andrew Lowenthal  
President, Board of Directors  
4536 N. Sacramento  
Chicago, IL 60625  
312-786-7180

Michael Ranallo  
Vice President, Board of Directors  
1649 N. Winchester Ave.  
Chicago, IL 60622  
630-259-9138

Karen Thomas  
Secretary, Board of Directors  
152 Robsart Place  
Kenilworth, IL 60043  
847-763-2640

Steve Nyers  
Treasurer, Board of Directors  
52148 Plantation Drive  
Granger, IN 46530  
847-254-6877



OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL  
STATE OF ILLINOIS

May 20, 2014

RENAISSANCE SOCIAL SERVICES, INC.  
333 N. OAKLEY BLVD, NO. 205  
CHICAGO, IL 60612

**Lisa Madigan**  
ATTORNEY GENERAL

RE: RE: Status of RENAISSANCE SOCIAL SERVICES, INC. under the Illinois Charitable  
Laws CO# **01036406**

Dear Registrant:

This letter is pursuant to your request that the Attorney General confirm the status of  
RENAISSANCE SOCIAL SERVICES, INC. under the Charitable Organization Laws.

This organization is currently registered with the Attorney General's Charitable Trust  
and Solicitations Bureau as CO# 01036406. It is current in the filing of its financial reports,  
having filed its report for the period ended December 31, 2012. Please let us know if you  
require further information.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Takiyah Martin Barnes". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Takiyah Martin Barnes, Compliance Officer  
Charitable Trusts Bureau  
100 West Randolph Street, 11th Floor  
Chicago, Illinois 60601  
Telephone: (312) 814-2595

Artwork for Volunteer Tags:

**OCTOBER 10, 2014**  
**WORLD HOMELESSNESS DAY**

**VOLUNTEER**  
**OCTOBER 10 & 11, 2014**

**Ending homelessness through  
Prevention, Housing, &  
Supportive Services**



**RENAISSANCE  
SOCIAL SERVICES**

**[WWW.RSSICHICAGO.ORG](http://WWW.RSSICHICAGO.ORG)**

## Renaissance Social Services

Thank you card to all donors/business card size or small flyer

**RSSI Chicago thanks you for donating on  
World Homelessness Day!**

Support events all week: [www.rssichicago.org](http://www.rssichicago.org)  
[endhomelessnesschi.blogspot.com](http://endhomelessnesschi.blogspot.com)

**Our Mission: Ending homelessness  
through prevention, housing and  
supportive services**

