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### ORDINANCE

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

SECTION 1. Chapter 7-24 of the Municipal Code of Chicago is hereby amended by adding a new Section 7-24-060, as follows:

#### 7-24-060 Neonicotinoid pesticides.

- a) For purposes of this Section, "neonicotinoid pesticide" means any pesticide
- a) containing:
  - 1) imidacloprid;
  - 2) nithiazine;
  - 3) acetamiprid;
  - 4) clothianidin;
  - 5) dinotefuran;
  - 6) thiacloprid;
  - 7) thiamethoxam; and
  - 8) any other chemical belonging to the neonicotinoid class of chemicals.

b) Except as otherwise provided in subsection (c), no person, organization and/or community garden operator shall use any neonicotinoid pesticide within the City of Chicago.

- c) The prohibition in subsection (b) shall not apply to:
- 1) a veterinarian; and
  - 2) a farmer who uses the pesticide for agricultural purposes, including raising crops, livestock, poultry, and non-crop agricultural fields; and
  - 3) a certified applicator, as defined in Section 4 of the Illinois Pesticide Act, codified at 415 ILCS 60/4.
- d) Any person who violates this section shall be fined not less than \$250.00 nor more than \$1,000.00 for each offense.

SECTION 2. This ordinance shall take effect after pass<sup>^</sup>geaxtd publication.