

introduced in the legislatures of Illinois, Arizona, Florida, Illinois, North Carolina, Utah, and Virginia; and

WHEREAS, In 1982 the Illinois General Assembly failed to approve the Equal Rights Amendment, but on April 11, 2018, nearly 36 years later, the Illinois Senate voted 43-12 to approve the Equal Rights Amendment, leaving the fate of the bill before the Illinois House; now, therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, the Mayor and the members of the Chicago City Council, assembled this eighteenth day of April, 2018, do hereby urge members of the Illinois House to approve the Equal Rights Amendment; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That a suitable copy of this resolution be presented to House Speaker Michael J. Madigan.

Alderman - 14th Ward