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Title: Condemnation of U.S. Representative Mary Miller's actions at Mom's for America rally in Washington, D.C. on January 5, 2021

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WHEREAS, The City of Chicago is a welcoming city and is home to immigrants from around the world, including many Holocaust survivors and victims of genocide and religious persecution; and
,, , WHEREAS, Thousands of families and loved ones of those who perished in the atrocities of the Holocaust era and World War II reside throughout Chicago and the entire State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, Chicago thrives on the principles of equality and freedom and wholeheartedly rejects the ideology of the Nazi regime, including fascist bigotry, intolerance, and hate; and

WHEREAS, on January 5, 2021, Representative Miller, publicly rejected the values Chicago and the State of Illinois hold dear; and

WHEREAS, during one of her very first acts in Congress, Representative Miller addressed an audience at a rally in Washington, D.C., organized by Moms for America and told the crowd that "Hitler was right on one thing," and attempted to invoke the memory and advice of one of history's most evil dictators; and

WHEREAS, Representative Miller's prepared remarks were a disgrace to the memories of those killed in the Holocaust and the millions of victims of World War II, an insult to the families of those who perished, and a discredit to the office of United States Congresswoman and the great State of Illinois; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, do hereby condemn in the strongest possible terms the actions of Representative Mary Miller and speak with prejudice and hate.

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