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**JOURNAL of the PROCEEDINGS
of the
CITY COUNCIL
of the
CITY of CHICAGO, ILLINOIS**

Inaugural Meeting -- Monday, May 16, 2011

at 10:30 A.M.

(Jay Pritzker Pavilion, Millennium Park -- Chicago, Illinois)

OFFICIAL RECORD.

RAHM EMANUEL
Mayor

SUSANA A. MENDOZA
City Clerk

Attendance At Meeting.

Present -- The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, and the Honorable Rahm Emanuel, Mayor (after qualification and induction into office) and Aldermen Moreno, Fioretti, Dowell, Hairston, Jackson, Harris, Beale, Pope, Balcer, Cárdenas, Burke, Foulkes, Thompson, Thomas, Lane, Cochran, Brookins, Muñoz, Zaiewski, Solis, Maldonado, Burnett, Ervin, Graham, Reboyras, Suarez, Waguespack, Mell, Austin, Colón, Mitts, Cullerton, Laurino, P. O'Connor, Reilly, Tunney, Moore and Aldermen Burns, Sawyer, Quinn, O'Shea, Chandler, Sposato, M. O'Connor, Smith, Arena, Cappleman, Pawar, Osterman, Silverstein (after qualification and induction into office).

Absent -- None.

INTRODUCTION OF SPECIAL GUESTS.

The following special guests were in attendance:

The Honorable Joe Biden, Vice President of the United States of America and Dr. Jill Biden;

The Honorable Eugene Moore, Cook County Recorder of Deeds;

The Honorable Joseph Berrios, Cook County Assessor;

The Honorable Dorothy Ann Brown, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Cook County;

The Honorable Maria Pappas, Cook County Treasurer;

The Honorable Anita Alvarez, Cook County State's Attorney;

The Honorable Aaron Schock, United States Representative of the 18th Congressional District;

The Honorable Jerry Costello, United States Representative of the 12th Congressional District;

The Honorable Jan Schakowsky, United States Representative of the 9th Congressional District;

The Honorable Danny Davis, United States Representative of the 7th Congressional District;

The Honorable Michael Quigley, United States Representative of the 5th Congressional District;

The Honorable Luis Gutierrez, United States Representative of the 4th Congressional District;

The Honorable Daniel Lipinski, United States Representative of the 3rd Congressional District;

The Honorable Jesse Jackson, Jr., United States Representative of the 2nd Congressional District;

The Honorable Bobby Rush, United States Representative of the 1st Congressional District;

The Honorable David Orr, Clerk of Cook County;

The Honorable Jane Byrne, former Mayor of Chicago;

The Honorable Toni Preckwinkle, President of Cook County Board of Commissioners;

The Honorable Lisa Madigan, Attorney General of Illinois;

The Honorable Jesse White, Secretary of State of Illinois;

The Honorable Sheila Simon, Lieutenant Governor of Illinois;

The Honorable Christine Rodogno, Illinois Senate Minority Leader;

The Honorable John Cullerton, Illinois Senate President;

The Honorable Mark Kirk, United States Senator for Illinois;

The Honorable Dick Durbin, United States Senator for Illinois;

The Honorable Patrick Quinn, Governor of Illinois;

His Eminence Francis Cardinal George, Archbishop of Chicago;

Imam Kareem Irfan, President of the Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago;

Pastor Charles Jenkins of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church;

Rabbi Jack Moline of Agudas Achim Congregation.

INTRODUCTION OF JUDGES.

The following judges officiating at the ceremony were introduced:

The Honorable Timothy C. Evans, Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County;

The Honorable Anne M. Burke, Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court; and

The Honorable Shelli Williams-Hayes, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County.

INTRODUCTION OF 2011 CITY COUNCIL.

Each of the members of the 2011 City Council of Chicago were introduced as they entered the pavilion.

INTRODUCTION OF CITY OFFICERS.

The Honorable Stephanie D. Neeley, Treasurer of the City of Chicago and the Honorable Susana A. Mendoza, Clerk-elect of the City of Chicago, were introduced and took their places on the stage.

The Honorable Rahm Emanuel, Mayor-elect of the City of Chicago, was introduced and took his place on the stage.

The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor of the City of Chicago was introduced and took his place on the stage.

MUSICAL PRELUDE.

The Chicago Children's Choir, featuring soloist Isaiah Robinson, performed the song "One Day" by Matisyahu, arranged by Covalle, Robinson and Lee.

Call To Order.

On Monday, May 16, 2011, at 10:30 A.M., The Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor, called the City Council to order.

POSTING OF THE COLORS.

Lane Tech High School Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps posted the colors.

Pledge Of Allegiance.

DeJuan Brown of Chicago International Charter School led the City Council and assembled guests in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America.

NATIONAL ANTHEM.

Heather Headley led the City Council and assembled guests in singing the National Anthem.

Invocation.

His Eminence Francis Cardinal George, Archbishop of Chicago, opened the meeting with prayer.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO THE HONORABLE SUSANA A. MENDOZA
AS CITY CLERK OF CHICAGO.

[F2011-120]

The Honorable Anne M. Burke, Justice of the Illinois Supreme Court, administered the Oath of Office prescribed by statute to the Honorable Susana A. Mendoza as City Clerk of the City of Chicago, which oath was subscribed to by Ms. Mendoza and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.

Placed On File-- STATEMENTS OF RETURNS AND PROCLAMATIONS OF RESULTS
CONCERNING ELECTION OF MAYOR, CITY CLERK, CITY TREASURER AND
ALDERMEN.

[F2011-61]

The Honorable Susana A. Mendoza, City Clerk, thereupon presented for the record the following communication confirming the election of the Mayor, City Clerk, City Treasurer and Aldermen:

May 13, 2011

Honorable Miguel del Valle
City Clerk of the City of Chicago
Room 107 -- City Hall
121 North LaSalle Street
Chicago, Illinois 60602

Dear Clerk del Valle,

My office has received signed proclamations from Chairman Langdon D. Neal, Commissioner Richard A. Cowen and Commissioner Marisel A. Hernandez of the Board of Election Commissioners of the City of Chicago, dated March 10, 2011 and April 21, 2011, proclaiming the results of the February 22, 2011 Municipal General Election and the April 5, 2011 Supplemental Municipal Election for the City of Chicago, respectively. Listed below are those candidates who were elected to their respective offices at these elections.

Office	Name
Mayor	Rahm Emanuel
City Clerk	Susana A. Mendoza
City Treasurer	Stephanie D. Neely
Ward	Alderman
1 st	Proco "Joe" Moreno
2 nd	Bob Fioretti
3 rd	Pat Dowell
4 th	William D. "Will" Burns
5 th	Leslie A. Hairston
6 th	Rodehck T. Sawyer*
7 th	Sandi Jackson
8 th	Michelle A. Harris
9 th	Anthony A. Beale
10 th	John A. Pope
11 th	James A. Balcer
12 th	George Cárdenas
13 th	Marty Quinn
14 th	Edward M. Burke
15 th	Toni L. Foulkes*
16 th	JoAnn Thompson*
17 th	Latasha R. Thomas*
18 th	Lona Lane

Ward	Alderman
19 th	Matthew J. O'Shea
20 th	Willie B. Cochran*
21 st	Howard B. Brookins, Jr.
22 nd	Ricardo Muñoz
23 rd	Michael R. Zaiewski
24 th	Michael D. Chandler*
25 th	Daniel "Danny" Solis*
26 th	Roberto Maldonado
27 th	Walter Burnett, Jr.
28 th	Jason C. Ervin
29 th	Deborah L. Graham
30 th	Ariel E. Reboyras
31 st	Regner "Ray" Suarez
32 nd	Scott Waguespack
33 rd	Richard F. Mell
34 th	Carrie M. Austin
35 th	Rey Colón
36 th	Nicholas Sposato*
37 th	Emma M. Mitts
38 th	Timothy M. Cullerton*
39 th	Margaret Laurino
40 th	Patrick J. O'Connor
41 st	Mary O'Connor*

Ward	Alderman
42 nd	Brendan Reilly
43 rd	Michele Smith*
44 th	Thomas M. Tunney
45 th	John Arena*
46 th	James Cappleman*
47 th	Ameya Pawar
48 th	Harry Osterman
49 th	Joe Moore
50 th	Debra Silverstein*

Note: Those candidates elected at the Supplemental Municipal Election are designated by an asterisk (*) next to their names.

If you have any questions or need any additional information please call my office at 312-603-0996.

Sincerely,

(Signed) David Orr
Cook County Clerk

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO ALDERMEN-ELECT.

[F2011-62 through F2011-111]

The Honorable Susana A. Mendoza, City Clerk, administered the Oath of Office to the aldermen-elect, which oaths of office were subscribed to by the aldermen and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.

Determination Of Quorum.

The Honorable Susana A. Mendoza, City Clerk, called the roll of members and it was found that there were present at that time: Aldermen Moreno, Fioretti, Dowell, Burns, Hairston, Sawyer, Jackson, Harris, Beale, Pope, Balcer, Cárdenas, Quinn, Burke, Foulkes, Thompson, Thomas, Lane, O'Shea, Cochran, Brookins, Muñoz, Zaiewski, Chandler, Solis, Maldonado, Burnett, Ervin, Graham, Reboyras, Suarez, Waguespack, Mell, Austin, Colón, Sposato, Mitts, Cullerton, Laurino, P. O'Connor, M. O'Connor, Reilly, Smith, Tunney, Arena, Cappleman, Pawar, Osterman, Moore, Silverstein -- 50.

Quorum present.

APPROVAL OF OFFICIAL BONDS FOR MAYOR, CITY CLERK AND CITY TREASURER.

[F2011-121, F2011-122, F2011-123]

The Honorable Susana A. Mendoza, City Clerk, thereupon presented the official bond of the Honorable Rahm Emanuel as Mayor of the City of Chicago, in the penal sum of \$500,000.00, with The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, as surety, her official bond as City Clerk of the City of Chicago, in the penal sum of \$500,000.00, with The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, as surety, and the official bond of the Honorable Stephanie D. Neely as Treasurer of the City of Chicago, in the penal sum of \$2,000,000.00, with The Ohio Casualty Insurance Company, as surety.

On motion of Alderman Burke, each of the bonds was Approved by a viva voce vote.

PRAYER FOR PEACE.

Imam Kareem M. Irfan, President of the Council of Religious Leaders of Metropolitan Chicago, offered a prayer for peace.

POETRY READING.

Chanel Sosa of Innovations Campus, Youth Connection Charter School, read her poem "Louder Than A Bomb All-Star".

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO THE HONORABLE STEPHANIE D. NEELY
AS TREASURER OF CHICAGO.

[F2011-119]

The Honorable Shelli Williams-Hayes, Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, administered the Oath of Office to the Honorable Stephanie D. Neely as Treasurer of the City of Chicago, which oath was subscribed to by Treasurer Neely and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.

PRAYER FOR GUIDANCE.

Reverend Charles Jenkins, Pastor of Fellowship Missionary Baptist Church, offered a prayer for guidance.

PRESENTATION OF MUSICAL SELECTION.

Clarissa Bevilacqua of Merit School of Music performed the song "America the Beautiful" by Samuel A. Ward.

OATH OF OFFICE ADMINISTERED TO THE HONORABLE RAHM EMANUEL AS
MAYOR OF CHICAGO.

[F2011-118]

The Honorable Timothy C. Evans, Chief Judge of the Circuit Court of Cook County, administered the Oath of Office to the Honorable Rahm Emanuel as Mayor of the City of Chicago, which oath was subscribed to by Mayor Emanuel and filed in the Office of the City Clerk.

INAUGURAL ADDRESS BY THE HONORABLE RAHM EMANUEL, MAYOR.

The Honorable Rahm Emanuel, Mayor, thereupon addressed the City Council and assembled guests, as follows:

Honored guests, Mr. Vice President, Dr. Biden, Mayor Daley, First Lady Maggie Daley, members of the City Council and other elected officials, residents and friends of Chicago.

Today, more than any other time in our history, more than any other place in our country, the city of Chicago is ready for change.

For all the parents who deserve a school system that expects every student to earn a diploma; for all the neighbors who deserve to walk home on safer streets; for all the taxpayers who deserve a city government that is more effective and costs less; and for all the people in the hardest-working city in America who deserve a strong economy so they can find jobs or create jobs -- this is your day.

As your new mayor, it is an honor to fight for the change we need and a privilege to lead the city we love.

We have much to do, but we should first acknowledge how far we have come.

A generation ago, people were writing Chicago off as a dying city. They said our downtown was failing, our neighborhoods were unlivable, our schools were the worst in the nation, and our politics had become so divisive we were referred to as Beirut on the Lake.

When Richard M. Daley took office as mayor 22 years ago, he challenged all of us to lower our voices and raise our sights. Chicago is a different city today than the one Mayor Daley inherited, thanks to all he did. This magnificent place where we gather today is a living symbol of that transformation.

Back then, this was an abandoned rail yard. A generation later, what was once a nagging urban eyesore is now a world-class urban park. Through Mayor Daley's vision, determination and leadership, this place, like our city, was reborn.

We are a much greater city because of the lifetime of service that Mayor Daley and First Lady Maggie Daley have given us.

Nobody ever loved Chicago more or served it better than Richard Daley.

Now, Mr. Mayor, and forevermore, Chicago loves you back.

I have big shoes to fill. And I could not have taken on this challenge without Amy, my first love and our new First Lady, and our children, Zachaha, Iiana, and Leah.

And I want to thank my parents, who gave me the opportunity to get a good education and whose values have guided me through life.

I also want to thank President Obama, who turned our nation around and who loves Chicago so much, he understood why I wanted to come home to get our city moving again.

New times demand new answers; old problems cry out for better results. This morning, we leave behind the old ways and old divisions and begin a new day for Chicago. I am proud to lead a city united in common purpose and driven by a common thirst for change.

To do that, we must face the truth. It is time to take on the challenges that threaten the very future of our city: the quality of our schools, the safety of our streets, the cost and effectiveness of city government, and the urgent need to create and keep the jobs of the future right here in Chicago.

The decisions we make in the next two or three years will determine what Chicago will look like in the next 20 or 30.

In shaping that future, our children, and their schools, must come first.

There are some great success stories in our schools -- wonderful, imaginative teachers and administrators, who pour their hearts into their mission and inspire students to learn and succeed. I honor these educators. I want to lift them up, support them and make them the standard for the Chicago Public Schools.

But let us also recognize the magnitude of the challenge and the distance we must go before we can declare that the Chicago Public Schools are what they should be.

Today, our school system only graduates half of our kids. And with one of the shortest school days and school years in the country, we even shortchange those who earn a diploma. By high school graduation, a student in Houston has been in the classroom an equivalent of three years longer than a student in Chicago even when both started kindergarten on the very same day.

Our legislature in Springfield has taken an historic first step, and I want to personally thank Senate President John Cullerton, Senate Assistant Majority Leader Kimberly Lightford, Speaker Mike Madigan, House Majority Leader Barbara Flynn Currie, Representative Linda Chapa LaVia, and all those in the Illinois General Assembly, members from both parties, who took this courageous and critical vote. Finally, Chicago will have the tools we need to give our children the schools they deserve.

A longer school day -- and year -- on par with other major cities. And reformed tenure to help us keep good teachers and pay them better.

Each child has one chance at a good education. Every single one of them deserves the very best we can provide.

I am encouraged that the Governor will act soon to make these reforms a reality for our children.

To lead our efforts in Chicago, we have a courageous new schools CEO, and a strong and highly qualified new school board, with zero tolerance for the status quo and a proven track record of results to back it up.

As some have noted, including my wife, I am not a patient man. When it comes to improving our schools, I will not be a patient mayor.

My responsibility is to provide our children with highly qualified and motivated teachers and I will work day and night to meet that obligation.

But let us be honest. For teachers to succeed, they must have parents as partners. To give our children the education they deserve, parents must get off the sidelines and get involved. The most important door to a child's education, is the front door of the home. And nothing I do at the schools can ever replace that. Working together, we will create a seamless partnership, from the classroom to the family room, to help our children learn and succeed.

We will do our part. And parents, we need you to do yours.

Second, we must make our streets safer.

Chicago has always had the build of a big city with the heart of a small town. But that heart is being broken as our children continue to be victims of violence. Some in their homes. Some on their porches. Some on their way to and from school.

During the campaign I visited a memorial in Roseland, one that lists names of children who have been killed by gun violence. This memorial is only a few years old. But with 220 names, it has already run out of space. There are 150 more names yet to be added.

I want you to think about that. Think about what it means.

Memorials are society's most powerful tribute to its highest values -- courage, patriotism, sacrifice. What kind of society have we become when we find ourselves paying tribute not only to soldiers and police officers for doing their job, but to children who were just playing on the block? What kind of society have we become when the memorials we build are to the loss of innocence and the loss of childhood?

That memorial does more than mourn the dead. It shames the living. It should prod all of us -- every adult who failed those kids -- to step in, stand up and speak out.

We cannot look away or become numb to it. Kids belong in our schools, on our playgrounds and in our parks, not frozen in time on the side of a grim memorial.

Our new police chief understands this. As a beat officer on the force who worked his way through the ranks, and the leader of a department who dramatically reduced violent crime, he is the right man at the right time for the right job.

But here too, like with our schools, partnership is key. The police cannot do it alone. It's not enough to bemoan violence in our neighborhoods. Those who have knowledge and information that can help solve and prevent crimes have to come forward and help. Together, we can make all of our streets, in every neighborhood, safer.

Third, we must put the city of Chicago's financial house in order, because we cannot do any of these things if we squander the resources they require.

From the moment I began my campaign for mayor, I have been clear about the hard truths and tough choices we face: we simply can't afford the size of city government that we had in the past. And taxpayers deserve a more effective and efficient government than the one we have today.

Our city's financial situation is difficult and profound. We cannot ignore these problems one day longer.

It's not just a matter of doing more with less. We must look at every aspect of city government and ask the basic questions: Do we need it? Is it worth it? Can we afford it? Is there a better deal?

While we are not the first government to face these tough questions, it is my fervent hope that we become the first to solve them. The old ways no longer work. It is time for a new era of responsibility and reform.

I reject how leaders in Wisconsin and Ohio are exploiting their fiscal crisis to achieve a political goal. That course is not the right course for Chicago's future.

However, doing everything the same way we always have is not the right course for Chicago's future, either. We will do no favors to our city employees or our taxpayers if we let outdated rules and outmoded practices make important government services too costly to deliver.

I fully understand that there will be those who oppose our efforts to reform our schools, cut costs and make government more effective. Some are sure to say, "This is the way we do things -- we can't try something new" or "Those are the rules -- we can't change them".

This is a prescription for failure that Chicago will not accept. Given the challenges we face, we need to look for better and smarter ways to meet our responsibilities. So when I ask for new policies, I guarantee, the one answer I will not tolerate is: "We've never done it that way before".

Chicago is the city of "yes, we can" -- not "no, we can't". From now on, when it comes to change, Chicago will not take no for an answer.

Finally, we need to make Chicago the best place in America to start a business, create good jobs, and gain the knowledge and skills to fill the jobs of tomorrow. Chicago lost 200,000 residents during the last decade. No great city can thrive by shrinking. The best way to keep people from leaving is to attract the jobs that give them a good reason to stay. The jobs of tomorrow will go to those cities that produce the workforce of tomorrow.

So, we must make sure that every student who graduates from our high schools has the foundation for a good career or the opportunity to go to college. We must pass the Illinois Dream Act, so the children of undocumented immigrants have the chance to go to college. And we must make sure our city colleges are graduating students that businesses want to hire. If Chicago builds a skilled and knowledgeable workforce, the businesses and jobs of the future will beat a path to our city.

Stronger schools. Safer streets. An effective and affordable government. Good-paying jobs. These are the fundamental challenges confronting our city. If we can get these things right, nothing can stop Chicago. And people will come to see a city on the move.

And we can only get them right by working together. I pledge to you today, that's exactly what we're going to do.

City Council members, new and old -- I reach out a hand of mutual respect and cooperation and I welcome your ideas for change.

That also goes for businesses large and small, and all of our labor unions. It goes for organizations from every neighborhood, and our charitable and academic institutions. All of us have a role to play in writing Chicago's next chapter. And anyone open to change will have a seat at the table.

Together, we can renew and strengthen our city -- community by community, neighborhood by neighborhood, business by business and block by block.

None of what we must overcome will be easy, but in my heart I know this: The challenges for the city of Chicago are no match for the character of the people of Chicago.

I believe in our city. I believe in our city because I know who we are and what we're made of -- the pride of every ethnic, religious, and economic background, and nearly three million strong.

Almost 140 years ago, a great fire devastated Chicago. Some thought we would never recover. An entire city had to be rebuilt from the ground up -- and it was. That is how we earned the title of the Second City.

Less than 100 years later, portions of our city burned once again. They were ignited by the murder of Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. and the injustices he fought to overcome.

Chicago still bears some of the scars from that time. And while, there is still work to do, we have made substantial progress.

Look at the three of us being sworn in today. Treasurer Stephanie Neely and Clerk Susana Mendoza. Both are superb public servants who represent the best of our city. They are among a new generation of smart and capable civic leaders.

I think it is fair to say, we are not our parent's Chicago.

An African-American whose family came from Grenada, Mississippi in the great migration north; a daughter of immigrants who came from Mexico; a son of an Israeli immigrant from Tel Aviv and grandson of immigrants from Eastern Europe. Our parents and grandparents came not just to any American city. They came to America's city. They came to Chicago.

The three of us have achieved something our parents never imagined in their lifetimes. And while our three families traveled different paths, they came to the same united city for a simple reason -- because this is the city where dreams are made.

Over the next four years, we have schools to fix.

Over the next four years, we have streets to make safe.

Over the next four years, we have a government to transform and businesses and jobs to attract.

But above all, let's never forget the dream. The dream that has made generation after generation of Chicagoans come here and stay here.

I am confident in Chicago's future because I have seen it in the eyes of our schoolchildren and heard it in their voices.

I saw it:

- In the Whitney Young kids who took first place in our state's academic decathlon and third place in the Division 1 national championship.
- In the five high school students from Kenwood Academy who won the prestigious Gates Millennium Scholarships -- the highest number in any Chicago Public School.
- In the Simeon High School basketball team that just won back-to-back state championships and showed us what they are made of throughout the season.
- In the graduates at Urban Prep Academy, a high school for African-American males, which for the second year in a row is sending 100 percent of its students to a four-year college.

- In the sophomores at Englewood High School who reached the semi-finals in the spoken word contest.
- In Jeremy Winters, a junior at Simeon who started his own after-school arts program, which is now a model for Chicago.
- In Martell Ruffin, the young man I met at an el-stop who after a full day of school, spends several hours at the Jeffrey Ballet School.
- In the young man who led us in the pledge today, DeJuan Brown, a child I met on the campaign. He was struggling in school, became interested in public service, got more serious about his studies and now he is getting As and Bs.

And I saw it in Brian Reed, the tenth-grader who gave me a tour of Ralph Ellison High School.

Shortly after I met Brian, I learned that he had been attacked at his bus stop by four young men who had beaten and robbed him. He was injured so badly, he was hospitalized.

When I heard the news, I reached out to his principal. Days later, his teacher delivered a letter from Brian.

Brian wrote: "I am doing fine now and (I'm) back in school. My attendance is good and I try very hard here. I just wanted to tell you thanks for checking on me".

Despite obstacles, our children, children like Brian, just keep on working and never stop dreaming. There is no doubt the children of Chicago have what it takes. The question is, do we? Will we do our part?

For the next generation of Chicagoans, let us roll up our sleeves and take on the hard work of securing Chicago's future.

Our problems are large, but so is our capacity to solve them -- only if all those who profess a love for this City of Big Shoulders are willing to bear the responsibility for keeping it strong.

So today, I ask of each of you -- those who live here, and those who work here; business and labor: Let us share the necessary sacrifices fairly and justly.

If everyone will give a little, no one will have to give too much.

And together, we will keep faith with future generations, and the visionaries of our past, who built on the shores of Lake Michigan a city where dreams are made.

Thank you. God bless you. And God bless the city of Chicago.

MUSICAL SELECTION.

The Chicago Children's Choir performed the song "We Are" by W. Mitchell Owens III.

BENEDICTION.

Rabbi Jack Moline of Agudas Achim Congregation delivered the benediction.

MOTION TO RECESS.

Alderman Burke moved that the City Council *Recess* until Wednesday, May 18, 2011 at 10:00 A.M. The motion *Prevailed* and the City Council *Stood in Recess* to be reconvened in regular session on Wednesday, May 18, 2011 at 10:00 A.M. in the City Council Chambers in City Hall.

POSTLUDE.

The Chicago Children's Choir performed the song "Waivin' Flag" by K'naan, arranged by Owens and Lee.

SUSANA A. MENDOZA,
City Clerk.

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LEGISLATIVE INDEX

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Abbreviations And Acronyms

A

Admin.	Administration
Agcy.	Agency
a.k.a.	Also Known As
Aid.	Alderman
AME	African Methodist Episcopal Church
ANLAP	Adjacent Neighbors Land Acquisition Program
App.	Application
Apt(s).	Apartment(s)
Assn.	Association
Assoc.	Associates
Asst.	Assistant
Atty.	Attorney
Ave	Avenue
A.M.	Ante Meridian

B

B.A..	Bachelor of Arts
Bd. of Ed.	Board of Education
Bldg.	Building
Bhp.	Bishop
Blvd	Boulevard
Bro.	Brother

C

Capt.	Captain
CDBG	Community Development Block Grant
CDC	Community Development Commission
CEO	Chief Executive Officer
CFD	Chicago Fire Department
CFG	Chief Financial Officer
CHA	Chicago Housing Authority
Chap.	Chapter
Chpl.	Chaplain
Chgo.	Chicago
Co.	Company
Col	Colonel
Com.	Committee/Community
Comdr.	Commander
Coml.	Commercial
Comm.	Commerce/Commission
Comr.	Commissioner
Condo	Condominium

C

Co-Op	Cooperative
Corp.	Corporation
Corpl.	Corporal
Constr.	Construction
CPA	Certified Public Accountant
CRD	Chicago Police Department/
CPS	Chicago Public Schools
Ct	Court
CTA	Chicago Transit Authority

D

d.b.a.	Doing Business As
Deferred	Action Deferred
Det.	Detective
Dept.	Department
Devel.	Developer/Development
Dist.	District
Div.	Division
Dr.	Doctor
Dr	Drive

E

E	East
EAV	Equalized Assessed Value
eb	eastbound
Elem.	Elementary
EMT	Emergency Medical Technician
Equip.	Equipment
Exchg.	Exchange
Exec. Dir.	Executive Director
Expy.	Expressway

F

FAA	Federal Aviation Administration
FAR	Floor Area Ratio
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigation
FDA	Federal Drug Administration
F.F.	Firefighter
Filed	Placed on File
Fr.	Father
ft.	feet
f.k.a.	formally known as

G

Gen.	General
Govt.	Government

Abbreviations And Acronyms

H		N	
Hon.	Honorable	N	North
hrs.	Hours	Natl.	National
HUD	Housing and Urban Development	No.	Number
Hwy.	Highway		
I		O	
IDOT	Illinois Dept. of Transportation	Off.	Officer
IL	Illinois	Org.	Organization
Inc.	Incorporated		
Ind.	Industries		
Ins.	Insurance	P	
Insp. Gen.	Inspector General	pg(s)	page(s)
Inst'l.	Institutional	PhD	Doctor of Philosophy
IPD	Institutional Planned Development	Pkg.	Package/Parking
		Pkwy	Parkway
J		Pl	Place
Jr.	Junior	Plz	Plaza
		P.M.	Post Meridian
		P.O.	Police Officer
L		PFC	Private First Class
LCpl	Lance Corporal		
LLC	Limited Liability Company	R	
LP	Limited Partnership	RA	Very Reverend
Lt.	Lieutenant	Rd.	Road
Ltd.	Limited	Re-Ref.	Re-Referred
LUCHA	Latin United Community Housing Association	Re devel.	Redevelopment
		Ref.	Referred
M		Rehab.	Rehabilitation
Maj.	Major	Res.	Residence/Residential
M.B.	Missionary Baptist	Rest.	Restricted/Restaurant
MBA	Master of Business Administration	Rev.	Reverend
MBE	Minority Business-Owned Enterprise	ROTC	Reserve Officer's Training Corps
MWBE	Minority Women Business Enterprise	ROW	Right-of-way
		RR	Railroad
Mfg.	Manufacturing	Rt. Rev.	Right Reverend
MFT	Motor Fuel Tax	Ry.	Railway
Mgmt.	Management	RTA	Regional Transportation Authority
mins.	Minutes		
MOPD	Mayors Office for People with Disabilities	S	
		S	South
Msgr.	Monsignor	St.	Saint
Mun.	Municipal	Sch.	School
		Sgt.	Sergeant
		Sist.	Sister
		Soc.	Society
		Sq.	Square

Abbreviations And Acronyms

S

Sr.	Senior
SSA	Special Service Area
SSgt.	Staff Sergeant
St	Street
Subdiv.	Subdivision
Supt.	Superintendent

T

Terr	Terrace
thru	through
TIF	Tax Increment Financing
Trans.	Transportation

U

Univ.	University
U.S.	United States
Util.	Utility

V

v	versus (against)
Veh.	Vehicle

W

W	West
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Y

YMCA	Young Men's Christian Association
YWCA	Young Women's Christian Association

Zoning Districts

B	Business
BPD	Business Planned Development
C	Commercial
CPD	Commercial Planned Development
DC	Downtown Core
DX	Downtown Mixed-Use
DR	Downtown Residential
DS	Downtown Service
M	Manufacturing
PD	Planned Development
PMD	Planned Manufacturing
POS	Parks and Open Space
R	Residential
RM	Residential Multi-Unit
RPD	Residential Planned Development
RS	Residential Single Unit (Detached House)
RT	Residential Two-Flat, Townhouse and Multi-Unit
SD	Special Character Overlay

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 Burke, (Hon.) Edward M.
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 Alderman, 12th Ward
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 Chandler, (Hon.) Michael
 Aldennan, 24th Ward
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