

RESOLUTION REGARDING THE GILEAD OUTREACH AND REFERRAL CENTER

WHEREAS, The Gilead Outreach and Referral Center is a non-partisan, not-for-profit, tax-exempt coalition of over 300 civic, labor and faith-based organizations in Metropolitan Chicago dedicated to improving the health and welfare of our local communities; and

WHEREAS, The Gilead Outreach and Referral Center has convened over 10,000 community leaders to advocate for health care for the uninsured, increased housing opportunities, and support for the homeless and the elderly; and

WHEREAS, The Gilead Outreach and Referral Center specifically promotes the enrollment of children and their families in state-supported health insurance; and

~~WHEREAS, The Chicago Board of Education states the goals of The Gilead Outreach and~~

three Latinos is uninsured; the number of uninsured African-Americans has increased by 72% in the last five years; and 76% of working adults are uninsured; and

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