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**79-R-04**

**A RESOLUTION**

**Assuming Responsibility for Temporary  
Closing of Sheridan Road for  
First Night Fireworks**

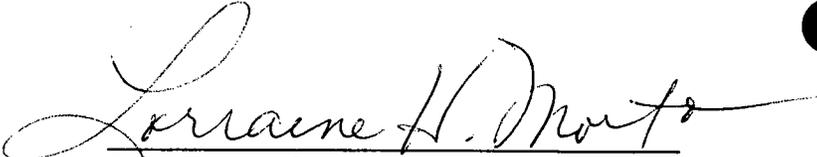
**WHEREAS**, First Night, Inc. desires to stage a fireworks display at the lakefront north of Church Street near Clark Street Beach on December 31, 2004 at 12:00 midnight until 12:07 a.m. January 1, 2005; and

**WHEREAS**, said fireworks will require the closing of Sheridan Road completely between Davis Street and Clark Street; and

**WHEREAS**, the State of Illinois requires the City to assume full responsibility and liability for the closing of said highway;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS**, that said City will assume full responsibility for the direction, protection and regulation of traffic during the time the detour is in effect, and all liabilities for damages of any kind occasioned by the closing of the State Route as to claims made upon the State of Illinois.

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED** that efficient, all-weather detours will be maintained, conspicuously marked and judiciously police-patrolled for the benefit of traffic deviated from the State Route.

  
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Lorraine H. Morton, Mayor

Attest:

  
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Mary P. Morris, City Clerk

Adopted: December 13, 2004