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**A RESOLUTION REGARDING TRANSPORTATION
NETWORK PROVIDER SERVICES IN THE CITY OF EVANSTON**

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE
CITY OF EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS, THAT:

SECTION 1: Legislative Statement. In January 2015, the City Council considered, but did not adopt, Ordinance 109-O-14. Concurrent with the Council's legislative deliberations on that ordinance, Public Act 98-1173 was signed into law in Illinois on January 12, 2015. The standards set forth in that Act grant prudent protections to users of Transportation Network Provider ("TNP") services in the City of Evanston. These standards will be enforced by the City equitably and fairly for all TNPs. The TNP business model operating in Evanston is in its early stages, and therefore, the City Council determined it is premature at this time to adopt a comprehensive regulatory framework which may need to be substantively revised in the near term as the TNP business model evolves. Given the special circumstances present in Evanston with the City Council's commitment to sustainable transportation alternatives, TNP regulations may disincentivize sustainability.

Nothing in the legislative Record shall be held to diminish or impair the City of Evanston's right to equitably enforce all necessary provisions of the Illinois Vehicle Code and other applicable state and federal law. Further, nothing in the Record shall in any way impair or diminish the immunities conferred upon the City by the Local Governmental and Local Governmental Employees Tort Immunity Act, 745 ILCS 10/ et seq. The City Council

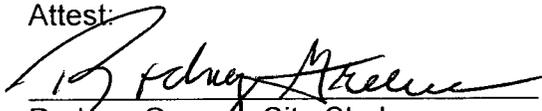
retains the right to revisit these policy issues on a continuing basis as the TNP business model evolves and/or as the state regulatory framework adjusts.

SECTION 2: The City Manager and his/her designees are hereby authorized and directed to enforce state and federal regulations applicable to TNP services in the City, specifically including, but not limited to, Illinois Public Act 98-1173, as may be amended from time to time.

SECTION 3: That this Resolution 16-R-15 shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and approval in the manner provided by law.


Elizabeth B. Tisdahl, Mayor

Attest:


Rodney Greene, City Clerk

Adopted: February 9, 2015