

2/17/2015

**24-R-15**

**A RESOLUTION**

**SUPPORTING THE NORTHWEST MUNICIPAL CONFERENCE  
2015 LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Evanston is a member of the Northwest Municipal Conference; and

**WHEREAS**, the Northwest Municipal Conference works with its members to develop its annual Legislative Program that serves as a comprehensive platform on legislative issues in order to protect and benefit the interests of its member municipalities, residents and businesses in our communities and the region; and

**WHEREAS**, the Northwest Municipal Conference's 2015 Legislative Program focuses on issues vital to the City of Evanston, which include: ensuring a pro-growth environment that reduces the burden on local taxpayers; ensuring local governments have sufficient revenues to provide quality public services; and, ensuring the sustainability of critical infrastructure through strategic investment; and

**WHEREAS**, the Northwest Municipal Conference will actively pursue these legislative priorities to the benefit of the City of Evanston and all members of the Northwest Municipal Conference.

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

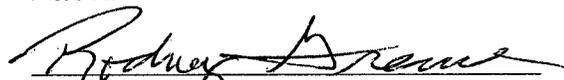
**SECTION 1:** City of Evanston hereby pledges our support for the Northwest Municipal Conference's 2015 Legislative Program; and

**SECTION 2:** The City of Evanston will actively work to pursue the objectives of the 2015 Legislative Program both locally and in our federal and state capitols; and

**SECTION 3:** Copies of this resolution shall be transmitted to the Northwest Municipal Conference, to all state and federal legislators representing the City of Evanston, to the Office of the Governor, and to department heads in the City of Evanston.

  
Elizabeth B. Tisdahl, Mayor

Attest:

  
Rodney Greene, City Clerk

Adopted: March 9, 2015