

R E S O L U T I O N

Resolution in support of "uniting for peace"

WHEREAS, Chapter I of the United Nations Charter states that the purpose of the United Nations is "*to maintain international peace and security, and to that end: to take effective collective measures for the prevention and removal of threats to the peace, and for the suppression of acts of aggression or other breaches of the peace, and to bring about by peaceful means, and in conformity with the principles of justice and international law, adjustment or settlement of international disputes or situations which might lead to a breach of the peace;*" and

WHEREAS, Chapter I of the United Nations Charter further states that the purpose of the United Nations is "*To develop friendly relations among nations based on respect for the principle of equal rights and self-determination of peoples, and to take other appropriate measures to strengthen universal peace;*" and

WHEREAS, in the furtherance of these goals, the United Nations adopted Resolution 377, which states that the General Assembly shall act if the Security Council, "because of lack of unanimity of the permanent members, fails to exercise its primarily responsibility for the maintenance of international peace and security in any case where there appears to be a threat to the peace, breach of the peace, or act of aggression;" now therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the members of the Chicago City Council, support the United Nations implementing Resolution 377, known as "Uniting for Peace."

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