

A resolution honoring Juliet De Jesus Alejandre for their civic leadership, volunteerism, and community contributions

WHEREAS, Juliet De Jesus Alejandre was born and raised on Chicago's Latine northwest side from Humboldt Park, to Belmont Cragin, Avondale and now lives in Albany Park; and

WHEREAS, During that time, they have played an integral community leadership role, working to improve their neighborhood through involvement in Palenque Liberating Spaces for Action, an organization whose leadership is mostly first- and second-generation Latina immigrants; and

WHEREAS, They have worked in solidarity with other communities of color to create a Chicago where everybody has access to education, immigration, housing and health justice; and

WHEREAS, February 2025 marks ten years since Carlos Ramirez-Rosa was elected Alderperson of Chicago's 35th Ward; and

WHEREAS, During Alderperson Ramirez-Rosa's decade-long tenure, Juliet De Jesus Alejandre has worked closely with the alderperson and the 35th Ward Office on important community projects; and

WHEREAS, Juliet and Palenque LSNA leaders have been proud to co-struggle alongside Alderperson Carlos Ramirez Rosa over the last ten years to make our community safer and stronger, including defending Schools as Sanctuaries for all students, standing alongside community in defending the Welcoming City Ordinance, and investing in the power of schools as rich centers of community by supporting parent-led education justice reform and programming like Palenque's Community Learning Centers and the Parent Mentor Program in 12 local schools

WHEREAS, the Chicago City Council regularly recognizes individuals for their civic leadership, volunteerism, and community contributions; and

WHEREAS, Juliet De Jesus Alejandre through their actions has proven themselves to be an individual worthy of such recognition;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Chicago City Council of the City of Chicago, on behalf of all Chicagoans, extends our deepest appreciation and gratitude to Juliet De Jesus Alejandre for their outstanding contributions to the City of Chicago, and express our admiration for their leadership, vision, and unwavering commitment to making our city a better place for all; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a copy of this resolution be presented to Juliet De Jesus Alejandre as a symbol of the City's appreciation and recognition.



Carlos Ramirez-Rosa
Alderman, 35th Ward