



Board of Commissioners of Cook County

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PROPOSED RESOLUTION

RECOGNIZING OCTOBER AS NATIONAL MANUFACTURING MONTH AND COMMENDING SCHAUMBURG, ILLINOIS FOR THEIR INITIATIVES IN THE MANUFACTURING INDUSTRY

WHEREAS, there are nearly 185,000 employees working in manufacturing throughout Cook County; and

WHEREAS, 12,300 of these employees working in manufacturing in Schaumburg, Illinois many of them recognized by the Schaumburg Business Association; and

WHEREAS, manufacturing represents 17% of Schaumburg's total employment; and

WHEREAS, manufacturing represents nearly 10% of Cook County's employment; and

WHEREAS, fabricated metals and food processing employment is 20% more concentrated in Cook County compared to the national average; and

WHEREAS, 5,778 manufacturing firms are in Cook County; and

WHEREAS, Schaumburg Illinois has 231 manufacturing firms which makes up for 7% of Schaumburg's entire tax base; and

WHEREAS, 3,700 metal manufacturing firms are in Cook County which generate nearly \$30 billion dollars in revenue; and

WHEREAS, through its growth in metal manufacturing, Schaumburg Illinois is the third largest manufacturing sector.

NOW BE IT RESOLVED, that the President and Board of Commissioners of Cook County do hereby commend the Schaumburg Business Association, and recognize October as manufacturing month in Schaumburg, Cook County and Illinois; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a suitable copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official proceedings of this Honorable body and that a copy tendered over to the Illinois Manufacturers Association.