



# City of Chicago



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**Type:** Resolution

**Title:** Call for President Donald J. Trump and U.S. Congress to provide Americans with rent and mortgage relief, expanded unemployment insurance benefits, cash assistance, small business support and resources for disproportionately impacted communities

**Committee(s) Assignment:** Committee on Health and Human Relations

**RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, In a time where Chicago is experiencing violence, unrest, looting, and record unemployment all across our City; and,

WHEREAS, It is the duty of all elected officials in the City of Chicago to do whatever they can to protect the wellbeing and safety of all Chicagoans; and,

WHEREAS, All Chicagoans, regardless of their race, gender, national origin, faith, or economic status are deserving of safety and security; and,

WHEREAS, this current pandemic, record unemployment, and growing income inequality have led to waves of civil unrest in Chicago and across the nation; therefore

BE IT RESOLVED, That we, Members of the City Council of the City of Chicago, on behalf of all Chicagoans call on President Donald J. Trump and the United States Congress to take immediate action to provide relief to all Americans and Chicagoans including:

- Meaningful rent and mortgage relief to keep people in their homes; and
- Reinstating expanded Unemployment Insurance benefits; and
- Cash assistance to all Americans, regardless of documentation status; and
- Support to small businesses impacted by this pandemic and recession; and
- More resources for communities disproportionately impacted by this pandemic.

*Carlos Ramirez-Rosa, 35th Ward*

*Sophia King, 4th Ward*

*Leslie Hairston, 5th Ward*

*Sue Garza, 10th Ward*

*Jeanette Taylor, 20th Ward*

*Mike Rodriguez, 22nd Ward*

*Byron Sigcho-Lopez, 25th Ward*

*Rossana Rodriguez, 33rd Ward*

*Andre Vasquez, 40th Ward*

*Matt Martin, 47th Ward*

*Maria Hadden, 49th Ward*