



Metropolitan Council Resolution 2015-8

CELEBRATING THE 25TH ANNIVERSARY OF THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT

WHEREAS, the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) was enacted by the U.S. Congress on July 26, 1990, to ensure the civil rights of people with disabilities, and;

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Council affirms the principles of equality and inclusion for people with disabilities as embodied in the ADA and set forth by the State of Minnesota; and

WHEREAS, the Metropolitan Council is strongly committed to continue its efforts to fully implement the ADA; and

WHEREAS, numerous organizations in the Twin Cities region, including the Metropolitan Council, work with constituents and communities to fulfill the promise of hope and freedom envisioned by the passage of the ADA; and

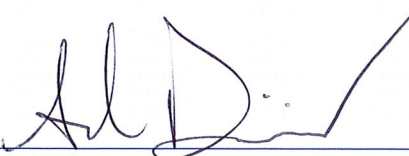
WHEREAS, July 26, 2015, marks the twenty-fifth anniversary of the passage of the Americans with Disabilities Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED,

That the Metropolitan Council hereby acknowledges the observance of July 26, 2015, as Americans with Disabilities Awareness Day; and

That the Metropolitan Council celebrates all who deserve credit for the enactment of the Americans with Disabilities Act and those who continue to advance the civil rights of people with disabilities.

Adopted this 24th day of June, 2015.



Adam Duinick, Chair



Emily Getty, Secretary