

RESOLUTION NO. 16- ____

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE CITY OF NAPERVILLE
OPEN DATA POLICY**

WHEREAS, the City of Naperville values open, transparent, collaborative, and accessible government for its residents; and

WHEREAS, increased access to public information promotes a higher level of trust and civic engagement and allows citizens to provide valuable feedback to government officials regarding local issues; and

WHEREAS, open data supports the City of Naperville's mission of providing services that ensure a high quality of life for our residents and a dynamic environment for our business community through collaboration, innovation, and sound fiscal management; and

WHEREAS, the City of Naperville is committed to providing open records and public information, inclusive of data, consistent with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), which is essential to open and effective government; and

WHEREAS, the thoughtful implementation of an open data program can improve the provision of service; increase transparency and access to public information; and enhance coordination and efficiency among departments, partner organizations, and residents; and

WHEREAS, an open data program can effectively achieve the City of Naperville's goals and at the same time ensure the protection of privacy, confidentiality, and security as a priority.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF NAPERVILLE, DUPAGE AND WILL COUNTIES, ILLINOIS, in exercise of its home rule authority as follows:

SECTION 1: The Open Data Policy of the City of Naperville, attached hereto as Exhibit A, is hereby adopted.

SECTION 2: This Resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after its adoption.

PASSED this ____ day of _____, 2016.

AYES:

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ABSENT:

APPROVED this ____ day of _____, 2016.

Steve Chirico
Mayor

ATTEST:

Pam Gallahue, Ph.D.
City Clerk