PALATINE TOWNSHIP
COOK COUNTY, ILLINOIS
NOTICE UNDER THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT
RESOLUTION 11-10

WHEREAS, In accordance with the requirements of Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 ("ADA"), Palatine Township will not discriminate against qualified individuals with disabilities on the basis of disability in its services, meetings, or activities; and

WHEREAS, **Employment:** The Township does not discriminate on the basis of disability in its hiring or employment practices and complies with all regulations promulgated by the U.S. Equal Employment Opportunity Commission under Title I of the ADA; and

WHEREAS, **Effective Communications:** The Township will generally, upon request, provide appropriate aids and services leading to effective communication for qualified persons with disabilities so they can participate equally in the Township's meetings, services, and activities, including qualified sign language interpreters, documents in Braille, and other ways of making information and communications accessible to people who have speech, hearing, or vision impairments; and

WHEREAS, **Modifications to Policies and Procedures:** The Township will make all reasonable modifications to policies and programs to ensure that people with disabilities have an equal opportunity to enjoy all of its meetings, services, and activities. For example, individuals with service animals are welcome in the Township offices, even where pets are generally prohibited; and

WHEREAS, Anyone who requires an auxiliary aid or service for effective communication, or modification of policies or procedures to participate in a program, service, or activity of the Township, should contact the Township Clerk as soon as possible but no later than 48 hours before the scheduled event. The Township Clerk and his/her contact information is as follows:

Lisa Moran
(Name)
721 S. Quentin Road, Palatine, IL 60067 (Address), 847-358-6700 (Phone)

WHEREAS, The ADA does not require the Township to take any action that would fundamentally alter the nature of its meetings or services, or impose an undue financial or administrative burden; and

WHEREAS, Complaints that a meeting, service, or activity of the Township is not accessible to persons with disabilities should be directed to the Township Clerk; and

NOW, THEREFORE, The Township will not place a surcharge on a particular individual with a disability or any group of individuals with disabilities to cover the cost of providing auxiliary aids/services or reasonable modifications of policy, such as retrieving items from locations that are open to the public but are not accessible to persons who use wheelchairs.

DATED this 26th day of July, 2010.

Supervisor – Linda Fleming

Trustee – Vince Farina

Trustee – Art Goes

Trustee – William Huley

Trustee – Sharon Langlotz-Johnson

Clerk – Lisa Moran