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COUNCIL BILL 2022-056

RESOLUTION _____

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1 CONDEMNING Russian aggression in Ukraine.
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4 WHEREAS, on February 24, 2022, Russia launched an attack on neighboring
5 Ukraine in Eastern Europe that has the world on high alert; and
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7 WHEREAS, the United States has supported Ukraine in the face of continued
8 Russian aggression since Ukraine broke off from the Soviet Union in 1991 and became
9 independent; and
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11 WHEREAS, Russia's actions have caused extraordinary suffering and loss of life for
12 innocent Ukrainians in their homeland; and
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14 WHEREAS, members of City Council recognize the more than 1,500 Ukrainian
15 Springfieldians who are part of our community family.
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17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF
18 SPRINGFIELD, MISSOURI, as follows, that:
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20 Section 1 – City Council condemns Russian aggression in Ukraine and stands in
21 support of Ukrainians living in our city, state, country and around the world.
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23 Section 2 – This Resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately upon
24 adoption.
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26 Passed at meeting: _____
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29 Mayor
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31 Attest: _____, City Clerk
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33 Filed as Resolution: _____
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35 Approved as to form: Rhonda Lewsader , City Attorney
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38 Approved for Council action: Jason A. Mage , City Manager
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EXPLANATION TO COUNCIL BILL 2022 - 056

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ORIGINATING DEPARTMENT: Public Information & Civic Engagement

PURPOSE: Condemning Russian aggression in Ukraine.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: In response to the horrific situation in Ukraine, City Council wishes to formally condemn the actions of Russia in invading Ukraine.

On February 24, 2022, Russia launched an attack on neighboring Ukraine in Eastern Europe that has the world on high alert. This action has grave consequences not only in Ukraine, but also around the world. Innocent lives are being affected, as these actions have caused extraordinary suffering and loss of life for Ukrainians in their homeland.

City Council agrees with the longstanding United States support of Ukraine in the face of continued Russian aggression, which has continued since Ukraine broke off from the Soviet Union in 1991 and became independent.

In addition, City Council recognizes the more than 1,500 Ukrainian Springfieldians who are part of our community family and the impact the Russian aggression has on them, their families, and friends around the world.

Submitted by:



Mayor Ken McClure

Recommended and Approved by:



Jason Gage, City Manager