

RESOLUTION NO. 8656

WHEREAS, on June 13, 2017, Olga Camargo was sworn-in as a Commissioner of the Public Building Commission with the advice and consent of Chicago City Council and on that same date was appointed as a member of the Administrative Operations Committee; and

WHEREAS, in addition to her volunteer service to the PBC Board, Olga Camargo is the CEO and Founder of FARO Associates, LLC, a Woman-Owned Business and Minority Business Enterprise, specializing in operations consulting, risk management and advisory services; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Camargo has received national recognition for her professional work as a financial advisor by helping minority communities/workforce become retirement ready. Olga was selected to Diversity MBA's eleventh annual list of Top 100 under 50 Diverse Executive Leaders and was named among the 50 Most Influential Latino Leaders in Chicago by Negocios Now Business Newspaper; and as Aspen Institute's 2019 Ricardo Salinas Scholar; a member of Forbes Business Council; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Camargo has demonstrated an unwavering commitment to serving communities across Chicago. Olga served on The Metropolitan Pier & Exposition Authority Board and chaired the Hispanic Alliance for Career Enhancement "HACE". Olga serves on the Illinois State Treasurer's Hispanic Advisory Council; The Rotary Club of Chicago Board; as a member of New America Alliance's American Latina Leadership Caucus (100 influential Latinas across sectors in the U.S.), and Olga also served on The Chicago Plan Commission; as Treasurer for the Chicago Cook Partnership Workforce Investment Board, as Vice Chair for Instituto Del Progreso Latino, the Little Village Chamber of Commerce Board, the Metropolitan Planning Council Board of Governors; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Camargo is a native Chicagoan and holds a Bachelor of Science in business and a Master of Arts in English from the University of Illinois at Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Camargo has made numerous contributions



to the Public Building Commission to facilitate its mission of providing sustainable facilities to improve the quality of life for the residents of the City of Chicago; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that Olga Camargo is hereby commended by the Chairman, members of the Board of Commissioners and the Executive Director of the Commission for her leadership and dedicated service to the Public Building Commission and the citizens of the City of Chicago and Cook County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Executive Director is hereby authorized and directed to present an appropriate copy of this resolution to Olga Camargo commemorating her outstanding service as Commissioner and Member of the Administrative Operations Committee of the Public Building Commission of Chicago.

LORI E. LIGHTFOOT, CHAIRMAN

DECMEBER 13, 2022