RESOLUTION NO. 8384-R30

## A RESOLUTION REGARDING PARTICIPATION IN THE ILLINOIS CERTIFIED CITIES PROGRAM

WHEREAS, it is the goal of every municipal official in Illinois to strive to improve the quality of life and economic progress in his or her community; and

WHEREAS, the residents of the City of Urbana take pride in being counted among the industrious and innovative citizenry of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the community needs and problems can best be determined and solved through a cooperative effort between elected officials and those citizens they represent; and

WHEREAS, the purposes and plans of the Illinois Certified Cities Program are based on the recognition that business and industry will locate and expand in well-governed, attractive, and aggressively-marketed communities that are willing to accommodate the needs of new development; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana recognizes and subscribes to the objectives of Illinois, Inc., which include the cooperative efforts of government, business, and labor, to "Sell Illinois".

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, as follows:

That the City of Urbana does hereby go on record to support the concept of Illinois Certified Cities, which is designed for communities that want to help themselves, by formally entering into the Illinois Certified Cities Prestant for fiscal year 1984.

PASSED by the City Council this 2nd day of

Ruth S. Brookens, City Clerk, Att

APPROVED by the Mayor this 5

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