## RESOLUTION NO. 8990-R32

## A RESOLUTION RELATING TO EARTH DAY 1990

WHEREAS, Earth Day has been an occasion of environmental awareness and education for 20 years and the concepts this day embody are more important than ever before; and

WHEREAS, the City of Urbana has been active in developing alternative methods of waste disposal and involved in many recycling initiatives; and

WHEREAS, the City has adopted an official policy of governmental recycling and procurement of products made from recycled material; and

WHEREAS, the City recognizes that prudent use of resources and proper care of our environment are necessary if we are to leave a hospitable planet to future generations.

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

That the City of Urbana will:

- (a) do its utmost to recycle, conserve energy, save water, use efficient transportation, and try to adapt a way of doing the peoples' business as if every day were Earth Day,
- (b) attempt to buy and use only those products least harmful to the environment, and will encourage those with whom it does business to promote environmental responsibility as well, and
- (c) encourage the passage of local, state and federal laws that will further the cause of protecting the environment and encouraging responsible and prudent use of resources.

PASSED by the City Council this 16 th day of Opil

Ruth S. Brookens, City Clerk

APPROVED by the Mayor this 23 day of 4

1990.

Jefffey T. Markland, Mayor