RESOLUTION NO. 20050609-039

WHEREAS, the Council finds that allowing a City of Austin employee leave time for the purpose of donating blood, bone marrow and/or organs serves municipal purposes by:

- Ensuring an adequate supply of these resources exist in the community;
- Encouraging local employers to allow their employees leave for the same or similar purposes; and
- Promoting public health and safety in the community; and

WHEREAS, the City Manager is tasked with implementing standards and guidelines for the granting of administrative leave to employees; NOW, THEREFORE,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF AUSTIN:

That the City Council directs the City Manager to explore and implement a program by which employees may, within reasonable limits, be granted administrative leave time for the purpose of donating blood, bone marrow and/or organs for medical purposes.

ADOPTED: June 9, 2005 ATTEST: Shirley A. Brown
City Clerk