

**RESOLUTION NO. 20100610-028**

**WHEREAS**, the City of Austin encourages the National League of Cities to hold its 2014 Congress of Cities and Exhibition in Austin, Texas; and

**WHEREAS**, the National League of Cities and the City of Austin share a commitment to advancing the public interest, building democracy and improving the quality of life in our nation's cities by strengthening the performance and capabilities of local government and advocating for the interests of local communities; and

**WHEREAS**, the City of Austin understands and accepts the organizational and financial responsibilities required in hosting the National League of Cities Congress of Cities and Exposition; and

**WHEREAS**, the citizens and business community of Austin, Texas, welcome the opportunity to introduce visitors from across the country to all that our city and surrounding region have to offer; and

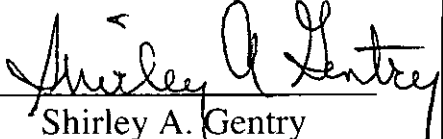
**WHEREAS**, the City of Austin desires to host the 2014 Congress of Cities and Exposition in the State Capital of Texas and Live Music Capital of the World and looks forward to the opportunity to showcase our city's leadership, innovation and hospitality; **NOW THEREFORE**,

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

The Mayor and Council do hereby extend an invitation to the National League of Cities to hold its 2014 Congress of Cities and Exposition in Austin, Texas, and further extend our commitment to ensuring a successful and memorable experience for all attendees.

**ADOPTED:** June 10, 2010

**ATTEST:**

  
Shirley A. Gentry  
City Clerk