RESOLUTION NO. 8568

A RESOLUTION introduced by City Manager Jim Colson, continuing the ban on concealed weapons in the Topeka Municipal Building.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS, that:

Section 1. The following building is hereby exempted from the requirements of Kan. Sess. 2013 Ch. 105, Sec. 2:

Any interior space enclosed by walls, floors and ceilings of the City of Topeka Municipal Building, commonly known as the Topeka City Hall/Topeka Performing Arts Center/Topeka Municipal Court Building, along with the roof top surfaces of said building, and specifically excepting any drive-through or walk-through canopies, said building having addresses of 215 SE 7th Street and 214 SE 8th Avenue and is situated on real estate described as:

Lots 218 through 240 even on Quincy Street;
Lots 217 through 239 odd on Monroe Street;
Lots 122 through 144 even on Eight Avenue East;
A vacated alley described as: Beginning at the Southeast corner of Lot 132 on Eighth Avenue East, thence north-northeasterly to the Northeast corner of Lot 218 on Quincy Street; thence east-southeasterly to the Northwest corner of Lot 217 on Monroe Street; thence south-southwesterly to the Southwest corner of Lot 134 on Eighth Avenue East; thence west-northwesterly to the point of beginning;
A vacated alley described as: Beginning at the Southwest corner of Lot 240 on Quincy Street; thence east-southeasterly to the Southeast corner of Lot 239 on Monroe Street; thence south-southwesterly to the Northeast corner of Lot 144 on Eighth Avenue East; thence west-northwesterly to the Northwest corner of Lot 122 on Eighth Avenue East; thence north-northeasterly to the point of beginning;

All in the Original Town of Topeka, Shawnee County, Kansas.

Section 2. The exemption is based on the analysis of the security plan completed on this building and the determination of the Governing Body that safety is sufficient to continue the ban on concealed weapons from this building.

Section 3. A security plan has been developed for the building being exempted
which supplies adequate security to the occupants of the building and merits the prohibition of the carrying of a concealed handgun as authorized by the personal and family protection act. The prohibition shall continue until December 31, 2017.

Section 4. A copy of the security plan shall be maintained by the City Clerk and will be provided to the Kansas Attorney General or local law enforcement upon request. The security plan is not subject to disclosure under the Kansas Open Records Act.

ADOPTED and APPROVED by the Governing Body on December 3, 2013.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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Brenda Younger, City Clerk

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Larry E. Wolgast, Mayor

ATTEST:

Brenda Younger, City Clerk