RESOLUTION NO. 8607

A RESOLUTION introduced by Councilmember(s) Harmon, Schmidt, Schwartz, Manspeaker, DeLalsla, Everhart, and Hiller establishing the position of the Topeka City Council with respect to certain actions taken by Councilman John Campos II on March 8, 2014, pertaining to 746 NE Arter Avenue, in Topeka, Kansas.

WHEREAS, the property located at 746 NE Arter Avenue in Topeka, Kansas (“Arter Property”), was on March 8, 2014, the subject of a pending legal proceeding by the City of Topeka to abate nuisance violations; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Campos, on March 8, 2014, entered onto a property located at 746 N.E. Arter in Topeka, Kansas and removed items from the property; and subsequently issued a press release on his Council letterhead and identified himself as a city Councilmember; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Campos acted without prior or subsequent approval, knowledge or ratification of the City Council, Mayor or any City employee.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS, THAT:

In entering onto the Arter property on March 8, 2014, Mr. Campos acted without the authority, knowledge or ratification of the City Council, Mayor or any employee of the City of Topeka.

ADOPTED and APPROVED by the City Council on April 1, 2014.

CITY OF TOPEKA, KANSAS

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Larry E. Wolgast, Mayor

ATTEST:

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Brenda Younger, City Clerk