

ORDINANCE NO. 008-15

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING EXECUTION
OF COLLECTIVE BARGAINING
AGREEMENTS CONTAINING THE TERMS
OF THE ARBITRATION AWARD INVOLVING
THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY AND
THE AMALGAMATED TRANSIT UNION,
LOCALS 241 AND 308, AND THE TERMS OF
TENTATIVE AGREEMENTS WITH THE
INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF
ELECTRICAL WORKERS' UNION, LOCAL
134 (CONTROLLERS, ROADMASTERS
AND YARDMASTERS), AND THE CRAFT
UNION COALITION

WHEREAS, The Metropolitan Transit Authority Act (70 ILCS 3605128a) provides that the Chicago Transit Board has the right to deal with and enter into collective bargaining agreements with employees represented by a labor organization; and

WHEREAS, The Amalgamated Transit Union, Locals 241 ("Local 241") and 308 ("Local 308") are the bargaining agents for certain operating, maintenance, warehouse and clerical employees; and

WHEREAS, The Chicago Transit Authority ("CTA"), has been awarded a five-year collective bargaining agreement with Local 241 and Local 308 pursuant to Arbitrator Edwin H. Benn's Arbitration Award; and

WHEREAS, The Arbitration Award covers a collective bargaining agreement (also known as the Wage and Working Conditions Agreement) effective January 1, 2007, through December 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union, Local 134, Controllers ("Controllers") is the bargaining agent for approximately sixty (60) Controllers; and

WHEREAS, on June 26, 2007, the CTA and the Controllers reached a tentative agreement on the terms of a new, five-year Collective Bargaining Agreement (also known as the Wage and Working Conditions Agreement) effective January 1, 2007, through December 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union, Local 134, Roadmasters ("Roadmasters") is the bargaining agent for approximately ten (10) Roadmasters; and

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WHEREAS, On June 26, 2007, the CTA and the Roadmasters reached a tentative agreement on the terms of a new five-year Collective Bargaining Agreement (also known as the Wage and Working Conditions Agreement) effective January 1, 2007, through December 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, The International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers Union, Local 134, Yardmaster ("Yardmasters") is the bargaining agent for approximately twenty (20) Yardmasters; and

WHEREAS, On June 26, 2007, the CTA and the Yardmasters reached a tentative agreement on the terms of a new five-year Collective Bargaining Agreement (also known as the Wage and Working Conditions Agreement) effective January 1, 2007, through December 31, 2011; and

WHEREAS, the following unions are known as the Craft Union Coalition:

1. International Association of Machinists & Aerospace Workers, District 8;
2. International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 9;
3. United Order of American Bricklayers & Stone Masons, Local 21;
4. Sheet Metal Workers International Association, Local 73;
5. Chicago Journeymen Plumbers, Local 130;
6. International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, Local 134;
7. Metal Polishers/Refinishers, Painters, Production & Novelty Workers, Sign & Display, Automotive & Equipment Painters Workers Union, Local 8A-28A;
8. Pipe Fitters Association, Local 597;
9. Chicago Regional Council of Carpenters, Local 1027
10. International Brotherhood of Boilermakers, Iron Ship Builders, Blacksmiths, Forgers & Helpers, Local 1247; and
11. State and Municipal Teamsters and Chauffeurs Union, Local 726, International Brotherhood of Teamsters, Chauffeurs, Warehousemen and Helpers of America; and

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WHEREAS, On June 14, 2007, the CTA and the Craft Union Coalition reached a tentative agreement on the terms of a new five-year Collective Bargaining Agreement (also known as the Wage and Working Conditions Agreement) with its member units effective January 1, 2007, through December 31, 2011; now, therefore;

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD
OF THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. That the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute a Wage and Working Conditions Agreement with Amalgamated Transit Union, Local 241 and Local 308, incorporating Arbitrator Benn's Arbitration Award. A copy of the award is attached hereto and incorporated herein by reference.

SECTION 2. That the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute Wage and Working Conditions Agreements between the Chicago Transit Authority and the Controllers, Roadmasters and Yardmasters with expiration dates of December 31, 2011. Said Wage and Working Conditions Agreements shall reflect the terms of the June 26, 2007, tentative agreements with those units.

SECTION 3. That the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, or her designee, is hereby authorized to execute Wage and Working Conditions Agreements between the Chicago Transit Authority and the members of the Craft Union Coalition with an expiration date of December 31, 2011. Said Wage and Working Conditions Agreements shall reflect the terms of the June 14, 2007, tentative agreement between the Chicago Transit Authority and the Craft Union Coalition as ratified by the Craft Union Coalition.

SECTION 4. That the Chairman of the Chicago Transit Board, or her designee, and/or the President of the Chicago Transit Authority, or his designee, shall be authorized to apply such terms of the above-referenced Wage and Working Conditions Agreement as they deem appropriate to non-bargained for employees of the Chicago Transit Authority.

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SECTION 5. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:

PASSED:

Chairman

February 13, 2008

Assistant Secretary

February 13, 2008