

ORDINANCE NO. 012-82

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING A
TEN MONTH AGREEMENT BETWEEN
THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY
AND CITY YEAR, INCORPORATED

WHEREAS, City Year, Incorporated (“City Year”) is a national youth service organization that unites young adults, ages 17-24, for a challenging and rewarding year of full-time community service, leadership development and civic engagement; and

WHEREAS, City Year is a private-public partnership supported by the AmeriCorps National Service Network, many large and small corporations, foundations, and private donors committed to youth and the future of national service; and

WHEREAS, City Year Chicago Corps Members receive a weekly stipend from City Year and upon graduation from City Year’s program receive nearly \$4,725.00 for college or career training; and

WHEREAS, Since 1998, the Chicago Transit Authority (“Authority”) has entered into agreements with City Year, which have been successfully performed; and

WHEREAS, Staff recommends that an agreement with City Year be approved again for the 2012-2013 City Year program year; and

WHEREAS, In the 2012-2013 City Year program, City Year Chicago Corps Members will participate in Chicago projects including, but not limited to, beautifying urban spaces, creating community gardens and mentoring and tutoring Chicago schoolchildren; and

WHEREAS, In addition to such projects, City Year Chicago Corps Members will assist the Authority promoting the use of public transit through participation in a variety of activities; and

WHEREAS, In exchange for the sponsorships, projects and volunteer activities of City Year Chicago Corps Members, it is in the best interest of the Authority to provide up to 200 unlimited riding passes to City Year Chicago Members; now, therefore;

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

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SECTION 1. The Chairman, or his designee, is hereby authorized to enter into an agreement with City Year, Incorporated for the 2012-2013 City Year program year substantially in conformance with Exhibit A, attached hereto.

SECTION 2. In exchange for the sponsorships, projects, services and activities of the City Year, the Authority agrees to provide up to two hundred (200) unlimited riding passes for the Chicago Corps Members effective from August 1, 2012, through May 30, 2013.

SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage.

APPROVED:

PASSED:

Chairman

July 18, 2012

Assistant Secretary

July 18, 2012