



# *The City of Minneapolis*

## A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR & CITY COUNCIL

**By B. Johnson, Reich, Gordon, Frey, Yang, Warsame, Goodman,  
Glidden, Cano, Bender, Quincy, A. Johnson, and Palmisano**

### **Recognizing Wingspan Life Resources Power of Love Gala**

**Whereas**, Wingspan Life Resources has provided services to adults with developmental and other disabilities for 42 years; and

**Whereas**, Wingspan's mission is to help people who are challenged by age, ability, or health to realize their unique gifts, talents, and dreams. Wingspan fulfills this mission by providing individualized support services that promote personal choice, independence, dignity, and fellowship with the community; and

**Whereas**, Wingspan Life Resources has 24 group homes and in-home programs with 170 full-time and part-time staff, and 90 on-call staff, for those living with family or independently, along with a supportive employment program; and

**Whereas**, The Power of Love gala, held Friday, May 8<sup>th</sup>, 2015, is an annual event which raises awareness and funds to support Wingspan's programs. The event is a social hour with live auction, dinner, inspirational program, and performance by their Glee Club and Dance Club; and

**Whereas**, Power of Love gala includes a guest appearance by local celebrity singer/songwriting Kat Perkins, a finalist on season six of The Voice. Ms. Perkins will perform with the Wingspan Glee and Dance Clubs; and

**Whereas**, The 35W Bridge will be lit in royal blue to commemorate the 42<sup>nd</sup> anniversary of Wingspan;

### **Now, Therefore, be it Resolved by the City Council of the City of Minneapolis:**

That the City Council recognizes Wingspan Life Resources on the 8<sup>th</sup> Day of May, 2015, and does declare that the 35W Bridge be lit in royal blue on this day.

Passed, April 17<sup>th</sup>, 2015

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Barbara Johnson, President of the Council

Approved:

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Betsy Hodges, Mayor

Attest:

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Casey Carl, City Clerk