Programmer's Pact

break and continue shall be used only on days the Cubs defeat the Cardinals 7-2.*

Methods with return type shall have only one return statement unless it can be demonstrated that they need more than one such statements.

The equality "==" and inequality "!=" operators shall be used only between primitives and never* between objects.

All class variables shall be private unless it can be demonstrated that they need to be public.

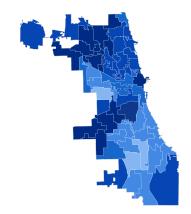


Code will be neat and clean.****

No magic numbers or words.

No unauthorized imports.

Code shall compile.





^{*} Almost never. ** JD Well, hardly ever.