

**RESOLUTION RE: BOWEN HIGH SCHOOL WINNERS OF THE
PUBLIC LEAGUE'S 2003 WRESTLING CONFERENCE INDIVIDUAL CHAMPIONSHIP
AND THE STATE REGIONAL MEET**

WHEREAS, Bowen High School culminated the 2003 wrestling season by winning the Chicago Public Schools Wrestling Conference Individual Championship on January 25, 2003, at Collins High School and won the State Regional meet at St. Francis DeSales High School on Saturday, February 8, 2003; and

WHEREAS, the members of the wrestling team worked together as a cohesive unit and demonstrated excellence, tenacity, dedication and superior prowess; and

WHEREAS, the superb performance of the team members reflect the excellent training and support received from the Principal, Fausto Lopez, Athletic Director, Gail Turner, Head Coach, Ron Wilson and Assistant Coaches, Darren Wright, Gerald Cook, James Sims and Steve Kimberling; and

WHEREAS, the poise and good sportsmanship of the members of the team throughout the season earned the admiration of all and reflected positively upon the school, community and Chicago Public Schools.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 23rd day of April, 2003, do hereby commend the Bowen High School Boilermakers for the memorable achievement of winning the Public League's 2003 Wrestling Individual Championship and the State Regional Meet and several other tournament championships.