

**RESOLUTION RE: VERGIA L. HAYNES  
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE SOJOURNER TRUTH SCHOOL**

**WHEREAS**, after 33 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Vergia L. Haynes has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

**WHEREAS**, at the time of her retirement, Vergia L. Haynes was the principal of the Sojourner Truth School, located on the north side of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Vergia L. Haynes began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Patrick Henry School; and

**WHEREAS**, Vergia L. Haynes also served as a coordinator and as assistant principal, going on to become the principal in 2003; and

**WHEREAS**, Vergia L. Haynes is an experienced and dedicated educator who is widely respected and acknowledged for her professional expertise and personal approach with students and parents; and

**WHEREAS**, Vergia L. Haynes will be greatly missed by the students and faculty.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2005, do hereby extend to Vergia L. Haynes our heartiest congratulations upon her retirement as a Principal, and offer to her our sincerest and best wishes for good fortune and prosperity, as well as our gratitude for her contributions to the education and development of the children of Chicago.