

**RESOLUTION RE: GERALDINE F. JOHNSON
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE McCLELLAN SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, after 50 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Geraldine F. Johnson has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Geraldine F. Johnson was the principal of the McClellan School, located on the south side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Geraldine F. Johnson began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Fiske School; and

WHEREAS, Geraldine F. Johnson also served as a staff assistant in the Department of Research and Evaluation, going on to become the principal of Pershing School in 1973 and later becoming the principal of McClellan in 1978; and

WHEREAS, Geraldine F. Johnson 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, Geraldine F. Johnson will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the McClellan School.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 28th day of June, 2006, do hereby extend to Geraldine F. Johnson 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.