

**CHANGE THE GRADE STRUCTURE AND ADJUST THE ATTENDANCE BOUNDARIES FOR THE
BRUNSON, KEY AND HAY SCHOOLS
AND ADJUST THE GRADE STRUCTURE FOR DOUGLASS SCHOOL**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

Change the grade structure and adjust the attendance boundaries for Milton Brunson Elementary School, located at 932 N. Central Avenue, the Francis Scott Key Elementary School, located at 517 N. Parkside Avenue, the John Hay Community Academy, located at 1018 N. Laramie Avenue, and adjust the grade structure of the Frederick A. Douglass School, located at 543 N. Waller Avenue.

A Public Hearing was held on June 23, 2006 at the Board Offices located at 125 S. Clark discussing the proposed grade and boundary changes.

DESCRIPTION:

Change the grade structure and adjust the attendance boundaries for Milton Brunson Elementary School, located at 932 N. Central Avenue, the Francis Scott Key Elementary School, located at 517 N. Parkside Avenue, and the John Hay Community Academy, located at 1018 N. Laramie Avenue. The Brunson, Key and Hay elementary schools currently serve grades kindergarten through sixth grade. Effective August 1, 2006 Brunson, Key, and Hay elementary schools will serve grades kindergarten through seventh and Douglass will serve grades eighth through twelfth.

Effective July 1, 2007 Brunson, Key, and Hay elementary schools will serve grades kindergarten through eighth and Douglass will serve grades ninth through twelfth.

Change Grade Structure and adjust the attendance boundary for Milton Brunson Elementary School (Unit 2550):

Grades kindergarten through seventh (effective August 1, 2006);

Grades kindergarten through eighth (effective July 1, 2007);

Beginning at Austin Boulevard and Division Street
East to Pine Avenue
South to Augusta Boulevard
East to Long Avenue
South to Chicago Avenue
West to Pine Avenue
South to Huron Street
West to Austin Boulevard
North to the Starting Point.

Change Grade Structure and adjust the attendance boundary of Key Elementary School (Unit 4280):

Grades kindergarten through seventh (effective August 1, 2006);

Grades kindergarten through eighth (effective July 1, 2007);

Beginning at Austin Boulevard and Huron Street
East to Pine Avenue
South to Lake Street
East to Long Avenue
South to Fulton Street
West to Austin Boulevard
North to the Starting Point.

Change Grade Structure and adjust the attendance boundary of Hay Elementary School (Unit 3840):

*Grades kindergarten through seventh (effective August 1, 2006);
Grades kindergarten through eighth (effective July 1, 2007);*

Beginning at Pine Avenue and Division Street
East to Long Avenue
North to Crystal Street
East to Laramie Avenue
South to Chicago Avenue
West to Lockwood Avenue
North to Iowa Street
West to Long Avenue
North to Augusta Boulevard
West to Pine Avenue
North to the Starting Point.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

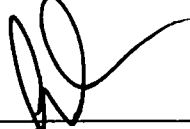
PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: These schools will be staffed according to the ratios in the Agreement between the Board of Education of the City of Chicago and the Chicago Teachers Union.

Approved for Consideration:



Barbara Eason-Watkins
Chief Education Officer

Approved:



Arne Duncan
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:


John Maiorca
Chief Financial Officer

Approved as to legal form:


Patrick J. Rocks
General Counsel