

**RESOLUTION RE: ROLLIE O. JONES
RETIRED AREA INSTRUCTION OFFICER, AREA 8**

WHEREAS, after 35 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Rollie O. Jones has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Rollie O. Jones was the Area Instruction Officer ("AIO"), Area 8, located on the West side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Rollie O. Jones began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a Teacher at Pierce School; and

WHEREAS, Rollie O. Jones also served as a Special Education Administrator and as Principal at Kellman Corporate for 8 years; and in the Office of Accountability going on to become "AIO" in 2002; and

WHEREAS, Rollie O. Jones is an experienced and dedicated educator who is widely respected and acknowledged for her professional expertise and personal approach with students and parents; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 27th day of June 2007, do hereby extend to Rollie O. Jones our heartiest congratulations upon her retirement, 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.