

**RESOLUTION RE: DR. DEBORAH C. HEATH
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE FERNWOOD SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, after 39 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Dr. Heath has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Dr. Heath was the principal of the Fernwood Elementary School, located on the south side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Deborah C. Heath began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Bunche Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Deborah C. Heath also served as Assistant Principal at Fulton Elementary School going on to become the principal of Fernwood School in 1997; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Deborah Principal 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, Dr. Deborah C. Heath will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Fernwood Elementary 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 22nd day of June, 2011 do hereby extend to Dr. Deborah C. Heath 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.