

**RESOLUTION RE: MARSHALL HIGH SCHOOL WINNERS
OF THE PUBLIC LEAGUE'S 2008 BOYS BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP**

WHEREAS, Marshall High School culminated the 2008 boys basketball season by winning the Chicago Public Schools Boys Basketball Championship on February 24, 2008, at UIC Pavilion; and,

WHEREAS, the members of the boys basketball team worked together as a cohesive unit and demonstrated excellence, tenacity, dedication and superior prowess; and,

WHEREAS, the superb performance of the team members reflects the excellent training and support received from the Principal, Juan Gardner; Head Coach, Courtney Hargrays; Assistant Coach, Henry Cotton; and Athletic Director, Dorothy Gators; and,

WHEREAS, the poise and good sportsmanship of the members of the team throughout the season earned the admiration of all and reflect positively upon the school, community and Chicago Public Schools.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the Board President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 23rd day of April, 2008, do hereby commend the Marshall Commandos for the memorable achievement of winning the Public League's 2008 championship. The Commandos also won the Red-West Championship this season with a 10-0 record.