RESOLUTION RE: CHRIST A. KALAMATAS RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE VON HUMBOLDT ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WHEREAS, after faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Christ A. Kalamatas has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of his retirement, Christ A. Kalamatas was the principal of the Von Humboldt Elementary School, located on the Northwest side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Christ A. Kalamatas began his career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Funston and McPherson schools; and

WHEREAS, Christ A. Kalamatas also served as a teacher at Hayt, Armstrong, McDade, Ko and Blaine schools and assistant principal, going on to become the principal in 1995; and

WHEREAS, Christ A. Kalamatas is an experienced and dedicated educator who is widely respected and acknowledged for his professional expertise and personal approach with students and parents; and

WHEREAS, Christ A. Kalamatas will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Von Humboldt 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 27th day of June, 2001, do hereby extend to Christ A. Kalamatas our heartiest congratulations upon his retirement as a Principal, and offer to him our sincerest and best wishes for good fortune and prosperity, as well as our gratitude for his contributions to the education and development of the children of Chicago.