

**RESOLUTION RE: NATIONAL BOARD CERTIFICATION
FOR EIGHTY-TWO TEACHERS**

WHEREAS, the National Board for Professional Teacher Standards, organized in 1987, is comprised of teachers, school policy makers, union leaders, teacher educators and other scholars and legislators whose goal is to establish high and rigorous standards for accomplished teachers; and

WHEREAS, the National Board of Professional Teaching Standards has developed and currently operates a national voluntary system to assess and certify teachers who meet these standards, and to recognize and reward teachers who demonstrate high levels of competency; and

WHEREAS, teachers who voluntarily submit to and successfully complete the rigorous evaluation process earn a Master Certificate, a nationally recognized badge, symbolizing that the teacher has exceeded standard expectations; and

WHEREAS, in the 4th year of this program a total of eighty-two Chicago Public Schools teachers will be awarded this master certificate, exemplifying the goals and standards that this Board of Education encourages all teachers to emulate; and

WHEREAS, the eighty-two teachers are:

Cynthia Anderson-Ward	Robert Graziano	Nancy McCarty	Kristen Amanda Schroeder
Amy E. Andrews	Veronica L. Griffin	Kathleen McGarry	Ellen Shea
Angela J. Baranowski	Emily E. Guinta	David J. McKoski	Jonathan T. Shemwell
Deborah Barnes	Gail Patricia Hardesty	Allison McMahon	Deborah Sheriff
Angela Barrett	Carole Haymon	Rose Marie Mosley	Diane Simpson
Barbara Jill Bates	Barbara Healy	Michelle M. Navarre	Gail Sims Smith
Stayce Bond-Rhodes	Wendy Hill-Rogers	Glenn Nelson	Margie Smagacz
Helen S. Burkat	Kelly A. Hinds	Loujean Nelson	Julia Snyder
Carol Caref	Erik S. Hull	Carol O'Connell	Margaret Ann Sommer
Debra Carriere-Lomax	Sharon English Jeffrey	Sonja Oliveri	Stacy Stocker-Rybski
Therese M. Carroll	Linda F. Johnson	Liza Pappas	Karen Stolzenberg
Dorsey Chambers-Malewig	Jacqueline R. Jones	Soo Y. Parra	Elizabeth Thibeau
Gina Cipriani	Jennifer A. Kelly	Anna Pavichevich-Grubnic	Michelle Suzanne Thomas
Valesta Cobbs	Emily K. Kemp	Joanne Perrault	Amy Treadwell
G. Janette Cortes-Duewel	Macquiline King	Elizabeth A. Pizza	Tammy Michelle Vance
Leonetta Crayton	Sherry P. King	Molly K. Reed	Joan Vande Kieft
Barbara A. Davey	Shirley Dougan King	Michelle Reeves	Steven W. Weagant
Banna S. Dotson	Jane T. Klunk	Sheri Roedel	Sheila Welch-Cole
Marlene Doukas	Amy L. Kotz	Xiomara A. Sanchez	Eulalie G. West
Tiffany L. Ellis	Donna R. Maier	Larua L. Schmitt	Stephen M. Wroblewski
Kimberly Folkening	Linda D. Matthew-Kuehn		

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 25th day of February 2004, do commend these eighty-two teachers for their commitment to high educational standards and for receiving the Master Certificate. We also encourage the Office of Teacher Recertification and Professional Standards to continue their efforts in providing more National Board certified teachers in our schools and to advocate a commitment to quality education in all teachers.