

**APPROVE SPECIAL LEAVE OF ABSENCE FOR MEMBERS OF THE TEACHING FORCE AND  
EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT PERSONNEL  
(SEE APPENDIX A)**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER REPORTS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

Approve special leave of absence without pay for members of the teaching force and educational support personnel to serve as full-time employees of the Chicago Teachers Union. Information pertinent to this leave of absence is stated below:

**ORGANIZATION:** Chicago Teachers Union  
222 Merchandise Mart Plaza, Suite 400  
Chicago, Illinois 60654-1016  
(312) 329-9100

**TERM OF ABSENCE:** The term of this leave of absence commenced September 02, 2004 and will end June 30, 2005. By mutual consent, and subject to Board approval, this leave may be extended for up to another twelve (12) month period.

**REASON FOR LEAVE:** The members of the teaching force and educational support personnel will serve as full-time employees to the Chicago Teachers Union/Illinois Federation of Teachers.

**AFFIRMATIVE ACTION:** Not applicable.

**LSC REVIEW:** Local School Council approval is not applicable to this report.

**FINANCIAL:** No cost to the Board.

Approved for Consideration:

  
Barbara Eason-Watkins  
Chief Education Officer

Approved as to Legal Form: *MAW*

  
Ruth Moscovitch  
General Counsel

Within Appropriation:

  
John Maiorca  
Chief Financial Officer

Approved:

  
Arne Duncan  
Chief Executive Officer

**Appendix A**

**DESCRIPTION: Special leave of absence without pay for the following members of the teaching force and educational support personnel to serve as full-time employees of the Chicago Teachers Union/Illinois Federation of Teachers, which commenced September 02, 2004 and will end June 30, 2005.**

<b>Marilyn Stewart President</b>	<b>Kinzie Elementary School</b>
<b>Theodore T. Dallas Vice President</b>	<b>Wells Community Academy</b>
<b>Mary McGuire Recording Secretary</b>	<b>Beaubeln Elementary School</b>
<b>Mark Ochoa Financial Secretary</b>	<b>Logandale Middle School</b>
<b>Linda Porter-Milton Treasurer</b>	<b>Nicholson Elementary School</b>
<b>Carolyn A. Ball Legislative Coordinator</b>	<b>Manierre/Ferguson Elementary School</b>
<b>Eileen Camacho Field Representative</b>	<b>Kosciuszko Elementary School</b>
<b>Nicholas R. Cannella Special Events Coordinator</b>	<b>Hamline Elementary School</b>
<b>Molly A. Carroll Field Representative</b>	<b>Munoz Primary Center</b>
<b>Lynn Cherkasky-Davis Associate Coordinator, Quest Center</b>	<b>Foundations School</b>
<b>Gregg E. Cox Field Representative</b>	<b>South Loop Elementary School</b>
<b>Nathaniel Dickson Field Representative</b>	<b>Dunbar Vocational High School</b>
<b>Colleen R. Dykas Field Representative</b>	<b>Jungman Elementary School</b>
<b>Connee Fitch-Blanks Associate Coordinator, Quest Center</b>	<b>Department of Special Education and Pupil Support Services</b>
<b>JoAnn W. Harper Assistant Secretary-Treasurer Illinois Federation of teachers</b>	<b>Drummond Elementary School</b>
<b>Ava C. Harston Field Representative Illinois Federation of Teachers</b>	<b>Scammon Elementary School</b>
<b>Anthony Lopez Field Representative</b>	<b>Perez Elementary School</b>

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**Carlene Lutz  
Associate Coordinator, Quest Center**

**Plamondon School**

**Linda L. Mitchell  
Field Representative**

**DuSable High School**

**Richard R. Perrotte  
School Discipline Coordinator**

**Reilly Elementary School**

**Maria J. Rodriguez  
Field Representative**

**Citywide Facilltator**

**Sandra L. Schultz  
Member Services Coordinator**

**Disney Magnet School**

**Jerald A. Siegel  
Field Representative**

**Chopin Elementary School**

**Marc Wigler  
Associate Coordinator, Quest Center**

**Andersen Elementary School**

**Karen Williams  
Educational Research Director  
Illinois Federation of Teachers**

**Einstein Elementary School**