## RESOLUTION RE: CORA L. SMITH RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE FERMI SCHOOL

- WHEREAS, after 43 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Cora L. Smith has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and
- **WHEREAS**, at the time of her retirement, Cora L. Smith was the principal of the Fermi School, located on the south side of Chicago; and
- **WHEREAS**, Cora L. Smith began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Enrico Fermi School; and
- WHEREAS, Cora L. Smith also served as a counselor, going on to become the principal in 1983; and
- **WHEREAS**, Cora L. Smith 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**, Cora L. Smith will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Fermi 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 28<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2006, do hereby extend to Cora L. Smith 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.