

ESTABLISH THE CHARTER SCHOOL BOUNDARY FOR THE NEW UNO CHARTER SCHOOL NETWORK – CARLOS FUENTES CAMPUS

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

Establish the charter school boundary for the new UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus, located at 2845 W. Barry Avenue, in order to relieve overcrowding at neighboring schools.

DESCRIPTION: Effective August 1, 2006, establish the charter school boundary for the new UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus (authorized under Board report 06-0222-EX15, as amended), located at 2845 W. Barry Avenue. Effective August 1, 2006, the new UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus will serve grades kindergarten through eighth. The Charter School's attendance boundary designation and the new UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus are subject to approval by the Illinois State Board of Education.

Section 27A-4(d) of the Illinois Charter Schools Law authorizes the Board to designate attendance boundaries for certain charter schools to relieve overcrowding or to better serve low-income and at-risk students. Students residing within the attendance boundary of the UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus will be given priority for enrollment, but will not be required to attend the Charter school. Students who do not wish to attend the UNO Charter School Network - Carlos Fuentes Campus will be eligible to enroll at Scammon, Reilly, Avondale, Linne, Brentano, Monroe, Barry, Murphy, Belding, Gray, Bell, Cleveland, or Falconer Elementary School as their alternate attendance boundary school, based on the student's home address of record.

A Public Hearing was held on June 23, 2006 at the Board Offices located at 125 S. Clark Street discussing the proposed charter school boundary for the UNO Charter School Network – Carlos Fuentes Campus.

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Effective August 1, 2006 serve grades kindergarten through eighth;

Starting at Irving Park Road and Cicero Avenue
East to Western Avenue
South to Diversey Avenue
West to Cicero Avenue
North to the Starting Point.

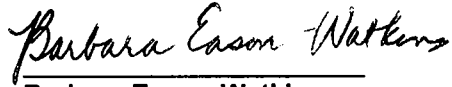
LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

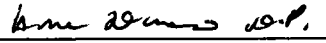
PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: Not applicable

Approved for Consideration:



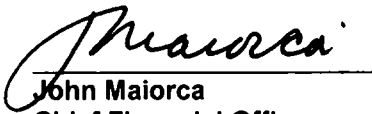
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