

**RESOLUTION RE: CAROL HABEL
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE HIRAM BELDING SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, after 33.7 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Carol Habel has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Carol Habel was the principal of the Hiram Belding School, located on the north side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Carol Habel began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a Teacher at the Oakenwald North School; and

WHEREAS, Carol Habel also served as Reading Coordinator and as an Assistant Principal, going on to become the principal in 1993, and

WHEREAS, Carol Habel 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, Carol Habel will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Belding 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 2007, do hereby extend to Carol Habel 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.