

**RESOLUTION RE: ANITA M. WARD  
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE BURNSIDE SCHOLASTIC ACADEMY**

**WHEREAS**, after 37 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Anita M. Ward has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

**WHEREAS**, at the time of her retirement, Anita M. Ward was the principal of the Burnside Scholastic Academy, located on the south side of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Anita M. Ward began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a 7<sup>th</sup> grade teacher at the Marshall High School Upper Grade Center I; and

**WHEREAS**, Anita M. Ward also served as a teacher at Morgan Park High School, Kelly High School, Hirsch Metro High School, and assistant principal at Yale Elementary School, going on to become a principal in 2004; and

**WHEREAS**, Anita M. Ward 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**, Anita M. Ward will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Burnside Scholastic Academy.

**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 Anita M. Ward, 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.