

APPROVE THE RELOCATION OF LANGSTON HUGHES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:**

Approve the relocation of the Langston Hughes Elementary School (unit 8060, school ID 610368) ("Hughes"), to a new building located at 240 W. 104th Street.

DESCRIPTION:

Langston Hughes Elementary School was previously located at 226 West 104th Street. Prior to the beginning of the 2007-08 school year, the Hughes school faculty and students were relocated to three temporary locations to allow for the demolition and construction of a new school facility. Students, staff and administration were relocated to 10414 South State Street, 10540 South Morgan Street, and 10211 South Crandon Avenue for the 2007-2008 and 2008-2009 school years. The demolition of the former building began in October 2007 and the new facility is expected to open prior to the 2009-2010 school year. This relocation is contingent upon the completion of the new school facility prior to the beginning of the 2009-2010 school year.

The existing Hughes attendance area boundaries are not affected by the school's relocation to the 240 W. 104th Street facility.

All Hughes administration and staff will be relocated to the new Hughes building and no students will be transferred or reassigned as a result of this recommendation.

Upon Hughes' relocation to the new building and consolidation with Davis Developmental Center, as specified in Board Report 09-0225-EX19, Hughes will provide an Early Childhood Special Education program.

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

LSC IMPLICATIONS: None

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: None

Approved for Consideration:



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Within Appropriation:



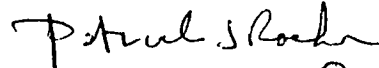
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