

**RESOLUTION RE: SYLVIA STAMATOGLOU
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE MANUEL PEREZ JR. ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

WHEREAS, after 34 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Sylvia Stamatoglou has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Sylvia Stamatoglou was the Principal of the Manuel Perez Jr. Elementary School, located on the lower west side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia Stamatoglou began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Cooper school; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia Stamatoglou also served as Bilingual Lead Teacher and as Teacher Facilitator and Assistant Principal, going on to become the Principal in 1999; and

WHEREAS, Sylvia Stamatoglou 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, Sylvia Stamatoglou will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Manuel Perez Jr. Elementary 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 24th day of June, 2009, do hereby extend to Sylvia Stamatoglou 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.