

**RATIFY AND APPROVE APPOINTMENT OF CHIEF AREA OFFICER
EFFECTIVE AUGUST 16, 2009 AND RATIFY ALL LAWFUL ACTIONS TAKEN
BY HER AS CHIEF AREA OFFICER SINCE AUGUST 16, 2009
(Jennifer Cheatham)**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THAT THE BOARD:

- 1) approve the appointment of Jennifer Cheatham to the position of Chief Area Officer, effective August 16, 2009 as set forth in the description below;
- 2) approve payment to Jennifer Cheatham of up to \$5,000.00 to reimburse her for eligible moving expenses incurred by her, which payments shall be treated in accordance with the United States Internal Revenue Service and State of Illinois Department of Revenue Rules and Regulations;
- 3) ratify, adopt and assume all lawful acts taken by the Jennifer Cheatham as Chief Area Officer between 12:00 a.m. August 16, 2009 and the Board's approval of this Board Report.

DESCRIPTION:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
Jennifer Cheatham	New Employee	External Title: Chief Area Officer, Area 9 Functional Title: Officer Position No.: 385865 Basic Salary: \$151,131.43 Pay Band: A09 Budget Classification: 05091-367-51100-221080-433113

LSC REVIEW: Local School Council review is not applicable to this report.

AFFIRMATIVE ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: The expenditure involved in this report is not in excess of the regular budget appropriation.

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: The position to be affected by approval of this action is contained in the FY10 department budget.

Approved for Consideration:



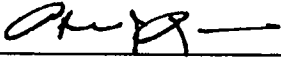
BARBARA EASON-WATKINS
Chief Education Officer

Approved:



RON HUBERMAN
Chief Executive Officer

Approved as to Legal Form:



PATRICK J. ROCKS
General Counsel

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8-26-09

Within Appropriation:



PEDRO MARTINEZ
Chief Financial Officer