

**RESOLUTION RE: JEANNINE ASHLEY JONES  
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE NIÑOS HÉROES COMMUNITY ACADEMY**

**WHEREAS**, after 33 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Jeannine Ashley Jones has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

**WHEREAS**, at the time of her retirement, Ms. Jones was the principal of the Niños Héros Community Academy School, located on the southeast side of Chicago in the South Chicago community; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Jones began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Dickens Child Parent Center on West Harrison St.; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Jones also served as a Schoolwide Coordinator, a Teachers for Chicago Mentor, a Region 5/6 Funded Programs Administrator, a Region 5 Principal Internship Coordinator and as an Area 16 & Area 17 School Improvement Coordinator and taught five years with the El Paso Independent School District (1979-1984) before going on to become the principal in 2006; and

**WHEREAS**, Ms. Jones 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**, Ms. Jones will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Niños Héros Community Academy School and the school community.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 22nd day of June, 2011 do hereby extend to Jeannine Ashley Jones 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.