

June 27, 2012

**RESOLUTION RE: JESSENIA MARTINEZ, HONORARY STUDENT BOARD MEMBER,
CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION OCTOBER 26, 2011 TO JUNE 27, 2012**

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez served as the Honorary Student Board Member of the Chicago Board of Education for the 2011-2012 school year;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez, as the student representative, was seated as an Honorary Student Board Member of the Chicago Board of Education on October 26, 2011;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez also served as the Student Representative on the Juarez Local School Council and as a committee member for the Juarez school newspaper, News from the Nest;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez conscientiously and effectively discharged her responsibilities on behalf of those she served – the Chicago Public School student body -- in order that their best interests might be served;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez, as an Honorary Student Board Member, attended and observed the Board Meetings, and also represented her student body at the 12th World Summit of Nobel Laureates held in April 2012;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez, graduated with Honors from Juarez Community Academy on June 5, 2012; and will attend DePaul University;

WHEREAS, Jessenia Martinez's tenure reflects one of dedication and commitment to her peers, the students attending Chicago Public Schools; and, she can take great pride in the fact that she served the Board with honor and distinction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO: that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago gathered here this 27th day of June 2012, do commend Jessenia Martinez for her dedication and perseverance as demonstrated in her role as Honorary Student Board Member and also extend to her our best wishes for her future endeavors and for the realization of all her goals.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a suitable copy of this resolution be made available to Jessenia Martinez.