

**RESOLUTION RE: JERRY DEES  
RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE DOUGLAS SCHOOL**

**WHEREAS**, after 37 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Jerry Dees has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

**WHEREAS**, at the time of his retirement, Jerry Dees was the principal of the Douglas School, located on the south side of Chicago; and

**WHEREAS**, Jerry Dees began his career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at Forrestville School; and

**WHEREAS**, Jerry Dees also served as a counselor and as assistant principal, going on to become the principal in 2004; and

**WHEREAS**, Jerry Dees is an experienced and dedicated educator who is widely respected and acknowledged for his professional expertise and personal approach with students and parents; and

**WHEREAS**, Jerry Dees will be greatly missed by the students and faculty.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of February, 2005, do hereby extend to Jerry Dees our heartfelt congratulations upon his retirement as a Principal, and

offer to him our sincerest and best wishes for good fortune and prosperity, as well as our