

April 27, 2005

**RESOLUTION HONORING GENE R. SAFFOLD
CHICAGO BOARD OF EDUCATION MEMBER**

WHEREAS, Gene R. Saffold has served the Chicago Board of Education as a member for almost ten years; and

WHEREAS, Gene R. Saffold was appointed to serve as a member of the Chicago School Reform Board of Trustees in July, 1995, by the Honorable Mayor of Chicago, Richard M. Daley, and in July, 1999, was reappointed as a member of the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, he also served as a Trustee of the Public School Teachers' and Retirement Fund of Chicago, a member of the Board for National School Boards Association – Council of Urban Boards of Education (CUBE) and a Finance Academy Advisor; and

WHEREAS, during his tenure, the Board of Education adopted several major policies to restore