

**CLOSE IGNANCE PADEREWSKI ELEMENTARY LEARNING ACADEMY
AND ADJUST THE ATTENDANCE AREAS OF LAZARO CARDENAS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL,
ROSARIO CASTELLANOS ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, WILLIAM PENN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, AND
CROWN COMMUNITY ACADEMY OF FINE ARTS CENTER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL**

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

That effective June 30, 2013, the Chicago Board of Education close Ignance Paderewski Elementary

Learning Academy (School ID 610273) ("Paderewski"), located at 2221 South Lawndale Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, for space utilization reasons, reassign returning Paderewski students to Lazaro Cardenas Elementary School (School ID 610024) ("Cardenas"), located at 2345 South Millard Avenue

Chicago, Illinois, and Rosario Castellanos Elementary School (School ID 609826) ("Castellanos"), located at 2524 South Central Park Avenue, Chicago, Illinois, and that the attendance areas of Cardenas,

North to 25th St
West to Hamlin Ave
North to 24th St
West to Pulaski Rd
North to the starting point

**Adjust Attendance Area Boundary of Rosario Castellanos Elementary School
(School ID 609826)**

2524 South Central Park Avenue, Chicago, Illinois
Effective June 30, 2013, for grades fourth through eighth;

Beginning at Cermak Rd and Pulaski Rd
East to Christiana Ave
South to 26th St
West to Millard Ave
North to 25th St
West to Hamlin Ave
North to 24th St
West to Pulaski Rd
North to the starting point

**Adjust Attendance Area Boundary of William Penn Elementary School
(School ID 610123)**

1616 South Avers Avenue, Chicago, Illinois
Effective June 30, 2013, for grades Kindergarten through eighth;

Beginning at Pulaski Rd and 14th St
East to Hamlin Ave
South to 15th St
East to Ridgeway Ave
South to 19th St
East to Lawndale Ave
South to Ogden Ave
Southwest to Cermak Rd
West to Pulaski Rd
North to 21st St
East to Harding Ave
North to 19th St

North to 18th St
West to Pulaski Rd

North to the starting point

**Adjust Attendance Area Boundary of Crown Community Academy of Fine Arts Center
Elementary School
(School ID 609873)**

2128 South Saint Louis Avenue, Chicago, Illinois
Effective June 30, 2013, for grades Kindergarten through eighth;

East to St Louis
South to Ogden Ave
Northeast to Spaulding Ave
South to 21st St
East to Kedzie Ave
South to Cermak Rd
West to the starting point

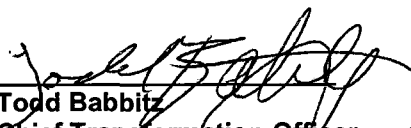
LSC IMPLICATIONS: Paderewski's Local School Council will be dissolved effective June 30, 2013, upon the closing of Paderewski.


FINANCIAL: The financial implications associated with this school action will be addressed during the development of the fiscal year 2014 budget. Since the School Code of Illinois prohibits the incurring of any liability unless an appropriation has been previously made, expenditures beyond FY13 are deemed to be contingent liabilities only, subject to appropriation in subsequent fiscal year budgets.

PERSONNEL IMPLICATIONS: The employment status of all faculty and staff members currently assigned to the schools affected by this authorization will be determined pursuant to Board policies and any collective bargaining agreements.

Approved for Consideration:

Respectfully Submitted:


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