RESOLUTION RE: MADELEINE MARALDI RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF THE WASHINGTON IRVING ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WHEREAS, after faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Madeleine Maraldi has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her retirement, Madeleine Maraldi was the principal of the Washington Irving Elementary School, located on the West side of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, Madeleine Maraldi began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at the Froebel Elementary School; and

WHEREAS, Madeleine Maraldi also served as a teacher at Monroe, Schubert, Farren Beasley, Saucedo and as a coordinator and interim principal, going on to become the principal in 1989; and

WHEREAS, Madeleine Maraldi 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, Madeleine Maraldi will be greatly missed by the students and faculty of the Washington Irving Elementary School.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that we, the President and Members of the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, gathered here this 27th day of June, 2001, do hereby extend to Madeleine Maraldi 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.