RESOLUTION RE: BETTYE NEAL RICHARDSON RETIRED PRINCIPAL OF EDWARD F. DUNNE ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

- **WHEREAS**, after 42 years of faithful and dedicated service to the public school children of the City of Chicago, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson has retired from the Chicago Board of Education; and
- **WHEREAS**, at the time of her retirement, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson was the principal of the Edward F. Dunne Elementary School; and
- WHEREAS, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson began her career with the Chicago Public Schools as a teacher at Farragut High School; and
- WHEREAS, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson also served as a teacher at Bowen High School, and as Dean of Girls, Attendance Coordinator, Yearbook Coordinator, Tech-Prep Coordinator, National Beta Club and National Honor Society Sponsor at Chicago Vocational High School; and
- **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson went on to become assistant principal at Luke O'Toole Elementary School in 1997 and principal of Dunne Elementary School in 1998; and
- **WHEREAS**, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson 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**, Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson will be greatly missed by the students faculty, parents, staff and community of the Edward F. Dunne 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 28th day of June, 2006, do hereby extend to Mrs. Bettye Neal Richardson 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.