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**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
County of Cook and State of Illinois**

RESOLUTION

CCC 2005 ILLINOIS PROFESSOR OF THE YEAR

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

The Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching and the Council for Advancement and Support of Education (CASE) have named M. Vali Siadat, Ph.D., of Richard J. Daley College, the 2005 Illinois Professor of the Year; and

that the selection was from among nearly 400 top professors in the United States nominated by colleges and universities throughout the country which includes winners in 40 states; and

as director of Proyecto Access/Chicago PREP program which inspires middle school and high school students to develop an enthusiastic interest in science and engineering; and as Daley College professor of mathematics and department chair; and

RECOMMENDS

that the Dr. Vali Siadat be commended by the Board of Trustees for his outstanding achievement in teaching, creative leadership, thirty-one years of dedicated service, and enhancement of the intellectual and cultural life of the academic community. In recognition for his achievement as Illinois Professor of the Year, Dr. M. Vali Siadat is awarded \$6,000.00.

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Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson
Chancellor

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