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

# GULF COAST DISASTER MALCOLM X COLLEGE

#### THE CHANCELLOR

#### REPORTS

that the Malcolm X College response to the hurricane disaster in the gulf coast has been significant. Students and staff meet together on Wednesdays at 2:00 p.m. in the cafeteria to devise a coordinated response; and

that thus far, the following actions, activities and or projects have been or are in the process of being executed by the Malcolm X College family on behalf of those affected by the disaster. Faculty, staff and students have provided financial support through fundraising efforts sponsored by the Student Government Association; the fundraising drive sponsored by the Local 1600 Human Resources Committee and to the Red Cross. Malcolm X College has also organized a clothing drive and donated T-shirts, socks and underwear for full figured women, as well as, personal hygiene products for men and women; conducted a winter coat drive; donated funds and clothing to "Concerned Black Women" in their effort to send seven trucks to a little town in Mississippi that has yet to receive any federal relief from FEMA; and continue to welcome students from the hurricane affected areas who are taking advantage of the Chancellor's offer to enroll at one of the City Colleges of Chicago, at no cost, so that their education will not be interrupted during the Fall 2005 semester; and

#### **FURTHER**

that the Malcolm X College family is committed to provide support to on-going relief efforts for the gulf coast hurricane victims.

Respectfully submitted,

Wayne D. Watson Chancellor