

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

“I-SUCCEED” – Illinois State/University College Can Equip and Enhance Duration
MALCOLM X COLLEGE

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that Malcolm X College’s Office of Business and Industry Services has forged a successful partnership with Illinois State University resulting in receipt of a HECA grant in the amount of \$217,000. The resources that will support the expansion of an after-school college preparation program and a summer bridge-to-college program, while furthering the ongoing development of a first-year student support program in a manner that will strengthen a growing multi-school community with collaboration among Chicago Public Schools, Little Village Community Development Corporation, Malcolm X College and Illinois State University.

FURTHER

that in addition to facilitating access to postsecondary education opportunities and supporting the academic and social transitions from high school to college, this collaborative effort will enable the development of comprehensive, adaptable, and replicable two-year and four-year undergraduate program models designed to support underserved students from pre-admission until completion of various degree programs at multiple institutions.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chancellor

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