WHEREAS, The Honorable Consul General Huang Ping, Wang Xiaowei, Director of the Education Office, Ji Yuan, Consul for Education of the People’s Republic of China have established a partnership with the City Colleges of Chicago to provide Chinese Government Scholarships for students to study at a University in China for a period of a year and that these scholarships are the first of their type granted to community college students.

WHEREAS, the members of the Board of Trustees sincerely appreciate the recognition that these individuals have given to the City Colleges of Chicago and to our students, and recognize that this program promotes both cultural and global awareness and support the efforts of the City Colleges to globalize our curriculum.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook and State of Illinois express our gratitude to The Consul General of China in Chicago and to these individuals in particular,

The Honorable Consul General Huang Ping
Wang Xiaowei, Director of the Education Office
Ji Yuan, Consul for Education

For granting the students of the City Colleges of Chicago Chinese Government Scholarships and for their individual and collective efforts in promoting friendly relations between the United States of America and the People’s Republic Of China.

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