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COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
FEBRUARY 11, 2010

BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
COUNTY OF COOK AND STATE OF ILLINOIS

RESOLUTION

COMMENDATION OF
INTERIM CHANCELLOR
DEIDRA J. LEWIS

WHEREAS, Deidra J. Lewis began her City Colleges of Chicago career in 1976 as Coordinator of Disadvantaged Students and Student Activities at Malcolm X College and is now the Interim Chancellor; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Lewis, over the course of her highly distinguished thirty-four year career, has held a variety of positions of increasing responsibility, including Dean of Continuing Education at Malcolm X College, Associate Vice Chancellor of Academic Support and Student Services, Vice Chancellor of Academic Affairs, Executive Vice Chancellor for the district, and, most recently, Interim Chancellor of City Colleges of Chicago; and

WHEREAS, throughout her career, Ms. Lewis has at all times maintained the highest levels of integrity, innovation, loyalty, outstanding leadership, an unwavering dedication to students and student success, and a true commitment to the goals and mission of City Colleges of Chicago; and,

WHEREAS, the students, administration and employees of City Colleges of Chicago have benefited greatly from the work and leadership of Ms. Lewis, and we are eternally grateful for her returning to City Colleges out of retirement; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Community Colleges District No. 508, County of Cook and State of Illinois, hereby recognizes and commends Deidra J. Lewis for her outstanding work, many contributions, and commitment to the goals and mission of the City Colleges of Chicago; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees congratulates Ms. Lewis for a job exceptionally well done, offers its sincere thanks and deep appreciation for her many years of distinguished service, and extends its best wishes for continued good health and lifelong success.

February 11, 2010