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ADOPTED - BOARD OF TRUSTEES COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508 JANUARY 12, 2011

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

ROOSEVELT UNIVERSITY & CITY COLLEGES OF CHICAGO CONTINUED PARTNERSHIP FOR PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT AND TEACHING TRAINING RENEWAL

THE CHANCELLOR

REPORTS

that in Board Report 27547 adopted August 3, 2006, the Board approved a partnership with Roosevelt University and the City Colleges of Chicago to provide graduate-level professional development and teacher training through the Faculty Leadership in Teaching (FLInT) program; and

that the program, which will incorporate City Colleges of Chicago's vision and goals, teaches learning strategies, assessment, course design, theories of pedagogy, learning-centeredness, and sensitivity to varying learning styles as well as leadership skills. The program encourages experiential and collaborative learning connected to real-world applications; and

that since its inception in Fall 2006, Faculty have benefitted greatly from participation in FLInT in that the program has trained over 350 faculty members with many moving on to become department chairs, committee heads, program coordinators, deans, and leaders within the City Colleges of Chicago (CCC); and

that FLInT tuition for CCC faculty is 20% of Roosevelt University's graduate tuition- approximately \$495.00 per 3 hour graduate course. CCC District Office subsidizes 40% of the tuition and Roosevelt University has agreed to a 40% discount; and

that Academic Affairs is requesting approval to continue the partnership with Roosevelt University for instruction to CCC faculty; and

that the program will end after the Spring 2012 semester; and this professional service and unique partnership is exempt from the District's competitive bidding requirements.

THE CHANCELLOR

RECOMMENDS

that the Board of Trustees approves the continued partnership with Roosevelt University and City Colleges of Chicago for the FLInT program for the period of January 2011 to May 2012, at a cost not to exceed

\$125,000.00.

FINANCIAL FY11 Educational Fund 00003-0000113-00084-01000-0000000-538000 -

\$35,000

FY12 Educational Fund 00003-0000113-00084-01000-0000000-538000 -

\$90,000

Respectfully submitted,

Cheryl L. Hyman, Chancellor

January 12, 2011 – Office of Academic Affairs