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

**RESOLUTION
APPLICATION FOR NEW PROGRAM
HARRY S TRUMAN COLLEGE
BASIC CERTIFICATE IN HUMAN DEVELOPMENT AND FAMILY STUDIES
OFFICE OF STRATEGY AND ACADEMIC GOVERNANCE**

WHEREAS, new educational programs require approval of the Board of Trustees of Community College District 508, the Illinois Community College Board (ICCB) and the Illinois Board of Higher Education (IBHE);

WHEREAS, an application for permanent approval of the City Colleges of Chicago Basic Certificate in Human Development and Family Studies Program has been received and under review for submission;

WHEREAS, the Basic Certificate in Human Development and Family Studies Program at Harry S Truman College's goal will continue to be to deliver exceptional educational opportunities to a culturally and ethnically diverse population of students at City Colleges of Chicago while striving to enhance students' knowledge, application of skill, improve collaborate service learning and promote life-long learning by providing a broad range of quality, affordable courses, programs, and service to prepare students with credentials of economic value; and

WHEREAS, employment for social and human services assistants in the State of Illinois continues to indicate the projected demand for social and human services assistants will exceed the supply. The estimated job growth of 17% in this area exceeds the average for all other occupations, which is at 7 %. Annual Cook County openings for social and human service assistants are projected at 253;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, (pending completion of Proposed Academic Curriculum Changes (PACC) process per Academic Policy 9.02), hereby approves the submission of this program for permanent approval by the Illinois Community College Board and Illinois Board of Higher Education.

May, 5, 2015 – Office of Strategy and Academic Governance