WHEREAS, Arlethia Mayes-Moore served a 10-year career with the City Colleges of Chicago as a student services professional; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia first worked at Malcolm X College as a College Advisor, then as the Associate Dean for Student Services with the Center for Distance Learning, and finally the Associate Dean of Student Services at Harold Washington, altogether for ten years; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia was the consummate professional and an ambassador for student success and known for her passion, knowledge and kindness, she showed that you can be extremely effective and still let your personality shine in every aspect of the job; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia’s thoughtful and timely responses helped ensure City Colleges students, faculty and staff were well supported and knowledgeable of best practices to positively impact student success; and

WHEREAS, colleagues consulted Arlethia for her vast knowledge of higher education and student support services on a daily basis, and benefited from her genuine spirit, caring attitude, honesty, and sense of humor; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia was a supportive team player always ready to lend a helping hand and had an outgoing personality that garnered the respect of her peers; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia’s love of her sorority, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority Inc., her nieces and nephews Ayanna, Ayden and Al IV., were a point of pride for her and the joy of her life; and

WHEREAS, those of us who had the good fortune to know Arlethia will remember her warm personality, great sense of humor and commitment to student success: and

WHEREAS, Arlethia is survived by her extended City Colleges family, her husband, Eugene Moore, her mother, Rhenetta Mayes, her brother, Alfred H. Mayes III; and

WHEREAS, Arlethia was taken from this life too early, passing away on September 14th, 2017.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that on behalf of the staff of City Colleges of Chicago, we hereby commemorate the life and work of Arlethia Mayes-Moore.

October 5, 2017 – Harold Washington College