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ADOPTED – BOARD OF TRUSTEES
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
SEPTEMBER 15, 2023

RESOLUTION

AUTHORIZING THE EXECUTION OF A DATA SHARING AGREEMENT WITH CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS TO SUPPORT CITY COLLEGES TECH EQUITY PROGRAM THE OFFICE OF INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT

WHEREAS, in June 2021, City Colleges announced it would expand the Chicago Connected free internet program to graduates of the Chicago Public Schools in the Chicago Connected while at CPS and who then enrolled in City Colleges; and

WHEREAS, City Colleges plans to serve up to 1,500 students in the Chicago Connected free internet program in the 2023-24 academic year, including former CPS students who took advantage of Chicago Connected while at CPS; and

WHEREAS, both City Colleges and CPS aim to facilitate the transfer of Chicago Connected students from CPS to City Colleges without interrupting free internet services; and

WHEREAS, CPS would like to share select data points with City Colleges for the purpose of continuing the student's enrollment in the Chicago Connected Program, including: Student name, Student ID, Graduation term/year from CPS, ISP provider, ISP account number, ISP service address, ISP account holder (name); and

WHEREAS, data shared will be limited to high school students who are graduating from CPS and have an active Chicago Connected account with one of the Chicago Connected Internet Service Providers; and

WHEREAS, this Board authorized the execution of a data sharing agreement with CPS to support the tech equity program in August 2022 (via Board Report 34548, adopted August 4, 2022); and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, Cook County, Illinois, hereby authorizes the Chancellor, upon final approval of the General Counsel of the legal form of such an agreement, to execute a three-year agreement with CPS through July 30, 2026, whereby CPS and City Colleges will share data to facilitate the provision of free internet to City Colleges students transitioning from CPS and seeking to continue in the Chicago Connected program.

September 15, 2023 – The Office of Institutional Advancement