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

## **RESOLUTION**

## AUTHORIZING EXECUTION OF AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE CHICAGO HOUSING AUTHORITY (CHA) TO PROVIDE THE DELIVERY OF EDUCATIONAL AND OTHER SERVICES TO CHA THE OFFICE OF INSTITUTIONAL ADVANCEMENT

WHEREAS, City Colleges of Chicago (CCC) and the Chicago Housing Authority (CHA) recognize the importance of working together to provide CHA, Housing Choice Voucher (HCV) and Property Rental Assistance Program (PRA) residents affordable, high-quality education that will lead to jobs that pay a sustainable income;

WHEREAS, in furtherance of this recognition, the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, seeks to enter into an Intergovernmental Agreement with the CHA to provide for the delivery of educational services for those adults with lower literacy skills to increase their reading, math and communication skills while preparing for careers;

WHEREAS, CCC will provide the delivery of educational training and services for CHA, HCV and PRA families at a variety of educational levels, as well as provide support while residents are engaged in educational activities while preparing them for careers that will lead to jobs that pay a sustainable income;

WHEREAS, CCC will be an integral partner in CHA's summer youth program, Learn and Earn, in which CCC will provide CHA use of their facilities, such as classroom space at CCC campuses at no charge to CHA for the youth participants; and

WHEREAS, CCC and CHA will collaborate on the existing initiatives and launch targeted marketing campaigns and enhanced outreach to promote the education opportunities and services available to all CHA residents;

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, Cook County, Illinois, hereby authorizes the Chair, upon final approval of the General Counsel of the legal form of such an agreement, to execute an Intergovernmental Agreement with the Chicago Housing Authority whereby City Colleges of Chicago will be paid up to \$800,000 to provide educational and training programs and support services to CHA, HCV and PRA residents for the period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024. At no cost to CHA, the agency will also use available classroom space at City Colleges of Chicago campus facilities.