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ADOPTED-BOARD OF TRUSTEES
COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508
DECEMBER 4, 2025

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

RESOLUTION

**TO AUTHORIZE AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE BOARD OF
EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE
DISTRICT 508, AND THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS
THE OFFICE OF ACADEMIC AFFAIRS - EDUCATIONAL QUALITY**

WHEREAS, CPS, CCC and UIC desire to enter into a cooperative partnership to better serve their students and public constituents, facilitate transfer, minimize duplication of instruction, eliminate credit loss during transfer, and build on university learning experiences; and

WHEREAS, The Institutions intend to work together to establish a scalable pathway initiative that aims to provide CPS high school students and CCC students with enhanced access to educational opportunities, resources, and support to pursue college degrees in high demand, aligned industries. The goal of this initiative, Chicago Roadmap 2.0, will be to provide well-conceived and specific seamless transfer pathways to high-value and high-interest baccalaureate degree programs with aligned industries while improving access and affordability resulting in timely bachelor's degree completion; and

WHEREAS, The Parties acknowledge the critical need to address the educational and skill gaps in the aligned industries and the desire to increase the number of CPS graduates pursuing careers in high demand, aligned industries; and

WHEREAS, The Parties recognize the potential of a collaborative initiative which includes guaranteed transfer admission programs, effective transfer pathways, coordinated academic advising and student support, enhanced resources including tutoring, mentoring and experiential learning opportunities and the development of an innovative degree planning portal to foster college readiness, success, persistence and timely graduation for participating students; and

WHEREAS, The Agreement will commence no sooner than the passage of this resolution and continue for (3) three years after the commencement date with the option to renew.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of Trustees of Community College District No. 508, County of Cook and State of Illinois, hereby authorizes the Chair, upon final approval of the General Counsel of the legal form of such agreement, to execute an intergovernmental agreement between the Board of Education of the City of Chicago, the Board of Trustees of Community College District 508, and the Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois beginning no sooner than the passage of this agreement and continuing for (3) three years after the commencement date with the option to renew.

December 4, 2025 – The Office of Academic Affairs - Educational Quality