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**BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF COMMUNITY COLLEGE DISTRICT NO. 508  
County of Cook and State of Illinois**

DEPARTMENT OF CONTINUING EDUCATION  
DIVISION OF ARTS AND SCIENCES  
MALCOLM X COLLEGE IN PARTNERSHIP WITH  
WEST SIDE CONSORTIUM TRAINING INSTITUTE  
FOR FAMILY CHILD CARE HOMES

**THE CHANCELLOR**

**REPORTS** that the family child 20 week training program held its eighth completion ceremony on December 18, 2003. The 21 program completers now have the opportunity to start their own business as a Family Child Care Provider or to work in a child care facility; and

that 20 percent of the students plan to obtain a CDA Certificate and 50 percent plan to pursue an Associate in Applied Science degree at Malcolm X College; and

that based upon the retention rate of 85 percent, West Side Consortium training Institute has committed to continue the program and plans are finalized to begin the next program in January 2004; and

**FURTHER** that this 20 week training program was a result of a partnership and collaboration between Malcolm X College, Chicago department of Human services, Marcy Newberry Association, University of Illinois at Chicago, and the West Side Consortium

Respectfully submitted,

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Chancellor

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