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Congratulations extended to Dr. Carol Lang

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ALDERMAN HARRY OSTERMAN

48TH WARD

Resolution

WHEREAS, Dr. Carol Lang has faithfully served John T. McCutcheon Elementary School since 1984 and will be retiring this year, 2012; and

WHEREAS, The City Council has been informed of her retirement by the Honorable Harry Osterman, Alderman of the 48th Ward; and

WHEREAS, Carol Ann McGee was born and raised on the Southside of Chicago. Carol McGee was always a brilliant student while attending Haines Elementary School and went on to attend Wendell Phillips High School, where she excelled to the top 10 of her graduation class. Carol McGee was recognized for her academic achievements, resulting in a scholarship to the University of Illinois. Carol McGee was married in 1971 and now Carol Lang received her Bachelor of Arts Degree, in Education, from UIC. She later went on to receive her Master of Education Degree, Type 75, in 1989 from the same university.

WHEREAS, After completing her stellar career at Mays Academy in 1984, she pursued an open teaching position at John T. McCutcheon School located in the Chicago-Uptown area. In her early years, Carol wore many hats: 4th grade teacher, Reading Resource teacher, Homeless Liaison and Acting Assistant Principal; and

WHEREAS, In 1995, Carol Lang took on that challenging role of Assistant Principal. She received various awards for creating a positive, enriching environment that would turn out to be a big part of her great legacy at McCutcheon. In 2001, because of her diligence and hard work, Assistant Principal Lang was highly recommended for the position of Principal; and

WHEREAS, As Principal Lang, she passionately and gracefully attacked the many challenges she faced ahead; her goal remained to bring in as many beneficial grants and programs within her power, increasing the future success of her students, parents, staff and community. The catalogue of grants, programs, and dedicated supporters Doctor Carol Lang has brought forth throughout the history of her leadership at McCutcheon Elementary has been momentous; and

WHEREAS, Principal Lang believes that learning is a lifelong experience; and because of this, she chose to continue her educational studies. Principal Lang obtained her Doctorate Degree from Nova University in 2007.

WHEREAS, Dr. Carol Lang has a heart of gold, with a true passion for enriching the lives of the young, developing minds on her campus. She is also genuinely concerned about her employees and their families. From the hearts of McCutcheon...Dr. Carol Lang; Dedicated Servant; Devout Christian; Philanthropist; Educator; Example, Friend. In her own words, "McCutcheon; my capacious family; one of my proudest achievements;" and

BE IT RESOLVED That we, the Mayor and members of the City of Chicago City Council, gathered together this 14th Day of March, 2012 AD, do hereby honor Dr. Carol Lang and extend our most sincere gratitude for her faithful and impactful service to a life-long dedication to education.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED That a suitable copy of this resolution be prepared and presented to Dr. Carol Lang.

Harry Osterman Alderman, 48th Ward