

WHEREAS, it is reported that failing schools have been re-inspected, yet CPS has refused to release the results of those re-inspections to date; and

WHEREAS, the schools with the most egregious violations were disproportionately those schools serving economically disadvantaged children of color; and

WHEREAS, CPS' continued failure to institute transparent and responsible health inspection practices and oversight mechanisms has resulted in unsanitary conditions at schools that may be harmful to children, teachers and staff, as well as expose the City to legal and fiscal liability; and

WHEREAS, children, faculty and staff at CPS must finish out the school year in deplorable and potentially hazardous and unhealthy conditions; and

WHEREAS, CPS has failed to provide safe and adequate learning environments for teachers and students alike in those schools with violations;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Mayor and the members of City Council call for a hearing before the Committee on Health and Environmental Protection to consider the state of sanitation and janitorial policies at CPS with representatives from SodexoMAGIC, Aramark, CPS, Premier Facilities Solutions and any other third party contractors providing maintenance or custodial services, or inspections of the same.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the above mentioned parties identify what measures and hiring practices are being undertaken to adequately and effectively address the sanitation deficiencies in CPS.

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