

May 25, 2011

**RESOLUTION RE: DR. CHARLES M. PAYNE
CHIEF EDUCATION OFFICER OF THE CHICAGO PUBLIC SCHOOLS**

WHEREAS, the Honorable Richard M. Daley, Mayor of the City of Chicago, appointed Dr. Charles M. Payne as Chief Education Officer for Chicago Public Schools in February 2011;

WHEREAS, Dr. Payne took temporary leave from his role as the Frank P. Hixon Distinguished Service Professor in the School of Social Service Administration at the University of Chicago to serve the students and families of the City of Chicago;

WHEREAS, Dr. Payne has served as a member of the board of the Chicago Alcohol Project, the steering

committee for the Consortium on Chicago School research, and other boards, and he is a founding director of the Urban Education project in Orange, New Jersey and the co-founder of the John Hope