June 25, 2003

ESTABLISH ATTENDANCE AREA FOR NEW FIELD PRIMARY SCHOOL AND CHANGE THE GRADE STRUCTURE OF EUGENE FIELD SCHOOL

THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS:

Establish the attendance area for New Field Primary school located at 1707 West Morse Street and change the grade structure of Eugene Field school located at 7019 North Ashland Boulevard, effective July 1st, 2003.

DESCRIPTION:

These changes are necessary due to the opening of the New Field Primary school, built to reduce overcrowding at the Eugene Field school. Reduction in the overcrowding is accomplished by reassigning the grades between the New Field Primary school and the Eugene Field school.

The Comprehensive Student Assignment Plan, adopted by the Board of Education on January 22, 1982 (Board Report 82-12), states: "The Board will seek to eliminate overcrowded schools to the greatest extent practicable considering all circumstances."

Adjusted Attendance Area Boundary of Eugene Field School

Grades 4 through 8th;

Beginning at C&NW RR and Chase Avenue
East to Lake Michigan including both sides of Chase Avenue
South to Farwell Avenue
West to CTA tracks
South to alley between Pratt Boulevard and Farwell Avenue (6800 North)
West to Clark Street
South to Pratt Boulevard
West to the CNW RR
North to starting point.

Attendance Area Boundary for New Field Primary School

Grades K through 3rd

Beginning at C&NW RR and Chase Avenue
East to Lake Michigan including both sides of Chase Avenue
South to Farwell Avenue
West to CTA tracks
South to alley between Pratt Boulevard and Farwell Avenue (6800 North)
West to Clark Street
South to Pratt Boulevard
West to the CNW RR
North to starting point.

LSC REVIEW: Not applicable.

AFFIRMATIVE

ACTION STATUS: Not applicable.

FINANCIAL: No additional cost to the Chicago Public Schools

PERSONNEL

IMPLICATIONS:

None.

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