

July 23, 2008

**AMEND BOARD REPORT 08-0326-EX10**  
**AMEND BOARD REPORT 07-1024-EX9**  
**APPROVE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF DISNEY II MAGNET SCHOOL**

**THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER RECOMMENDS THE FOLLOWING DECISION:**

That the Board approve the establishment of the Disney II Magnet School as a Renaissance Performance School.

This March 2008 Board Report amendment is necessary to (1) identify that the school will be located at

and (3) specify that the school shall be known as Disney II Magnet School.

This July 2008 amendment is necessary in order for the Bureau of Student Transportation to provide transportation in the form of Chicago Transit Authority fare cards or travel reimbursements for parents and guardians of students who qualify for transportation under the magnet school policy.

**DESCRIPTION:**

School Designation: Disney II Magnet School is scheduled to open at 3815 North Kedvale Avenue in the

Enrollment: Disney II Magnet School shall enroll students based on a citywide magnet application

application process will be held in the spring 2008 for seats at the school. In the event that the number of eligible applicants exceeds the school's enrollment capacity, applicants shall be selected by random computerized lottery.

Academic Calendar: At inception, Disney II Magnet School will follow Chicago Public Schools' standard 10-month academic calendar from August to June with a summer school program in July and August.

Approved for Consideration:

*Barbara Eason-Watkins*

Approved:

*AD*

Barbara Eason-Watkins  
Chief Education Officer

Arne Duncan  
Chief Executive Officer

Within Appropriation:

Approved as to legal form *AD*

*Pedro Martinez*

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