ORDINANCE NO. 013-98

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL AGREEMENT WITH THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF THE CITY OF CHICAGO FOR THE SALE AND USE OF AN OPEN STANDARDS FARE SYSTEM STUDENT FARE PAYMENT CARD

WHEREAS, The Chicago Transit Authority ("Authority") provides public transportation in the Chicago metropolitan area; and

WHEREAS, The Board of Education of the City of Chicago ("CBE") provides governance, organizational and financial oversight of the Chicago Public Schools ("CPS"), the third largest school district in the United States of America; and

WHEREAS, The Authority and the CBE share the desire to increase access to convenient, reduced-cost public transportation for CPS students; and

WHEREAS, The Authority and the CBE desire to make the Authority's Open Standards Fare System ("OSFS") fare media cards, also known as Ventra Cards, available to CPS students as student fare payment cards for transit services; now, therefore:

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CHICAGO TRANSIT BOARD OF THE CHICAGO TRANSIT AUTHORITY:

SECTION 1. That the Chicago Transit Board authorizes entry into an intergovernmental agreement with the Board of Education of the City of Chicago for the sale to the CBE of OSFS fare media cards for use by Chicago Public School students as student fare payment cards for rides on the Authority's transit services.

SECTION 2. The Chicago Transit Board authorizes the Chairman, or his designee, to execute an IGA for five-years with five one-year options with the CBE that provides that the CBE will reimburse the Authority for the cost of the OSFS fare media cards, including shipping costs, provided to CPS; includes a phasing in schedule for a combination student identification card and OSFS student fare payment card for CPS high school students, including that for the first year the CTA agrees to pay fifty percent of the printing and shipping costs for the combination card only, up to a maximum of fifty thousand dollars (\$50,000); provides for mutual indemnification; can be terminated by either party upon ninety (90) days written notice; and includes such other terms and conditions as are substantially in conformance with Exhibit A, attached hereto.

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passage.	SECTION 3. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its		
APPROVED:		PASSED:	
Chair	rman	Assistant Secretary	
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