



Chicago Public Schools

Student Science Fair, Inc.

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, **Melanie Wojtulewicz** (Mel) believed science literacy is crucial to the growth and development of our Chicago Public School students and community;

Whereas, **Melanie** understood how teachers and volunteers dedicate their time, talent and treasure to improving the lives of youth;

Whereas, **Melanie** knew the power of publicity by having well known dignitaries (i.e. Mayor Richard M. Daley, Paul Vallas, Arne Duncan, etc.) speak at the annual Citywide Science Fair;

Whereas, **Melanie** spent over 40 years as an active member of the Chicago Public Schools Student Science Fair, Inc. (CPSSSF, Inc.) organization in many roles (Executive Director and as a member of numerous committees).

Now, therefore, the CPS Student Science Fair, Inc.
does hereby proclaim the establishment of the

Melanie R. Wojtulewicz Memorial Scholarship

In witness whereof, I as a representative of Chicago Public
Schools Student Science Fair, Inc.

Set my hand this 25th day of April, 2026

Elizabeth Copper

Executive Director

Chicago Public Schools Student Science Fair, Inc.