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**SCHAKOWSKY ANNOUNCES 9TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT WINN**

WASHINGTON, DC—U.S. Representative Jan Schakowsky (D-IL) announced the winners of the 26th A

The winners of the 2007 competition from Illinois' 9th Congressional District are:

Melissa Goldman, Niles West High School-*Hey Kool!* (1st Place Winner)

Maya Koenig, Niles North High School-*Bracha's Burma*

Lydia Nieves, Mather High School-*Color Me Red*

Audrey Kolodziej, Niles West High School-*Untitled*

Amanda Rachmaciej, Resurrection High School-*John*

"I am very impressed by the creativity and skill of all of the students from the 9th Congressional District c

Melissa Goldman's *Hey Kool!* will be on display in the hallway of the U.S. Capitol for c

“I would like to congratulate Melissa Goldman for winning first prize. I am honored to have Melissa’s art

Celebrating its 26th Anniversary in 2007, every is an annual competition held in each of the 435 Congr