

RESOLUTION

Whereas, the education of Virginia’s school-aged children is the foundation upon which the economic, social and intellectual capital of our state is built; and

Whereas, locally elected and appointed school boards play an important and vital role in a representative democracy, and decisions made by local boards of education directly influence instruction in Virginia’s public schools; and

Whereas, these decisions affect the present and future lives of children, and also set direction to prepare all students to be competitive in a local, state, national and global 21st Century knowledge economy; and

Whereas, local school board members work with parents, businesses, education professionals and other community members to create the educational vision we want for our students; and

Whereas, this year’s theme “*Student Focused Leadership*” reflects the top priority of local school board members as they advocate for public education with local, state, and federal leaders; and

Whereas, School Board Appreciation Month provides an opportunity to build stronger relationships between the thousands of Virginians who champion the mission of public education and school board members; now, therefore be it

Resolved the Culpeper County School Board recognizes the contributions of the state’s local school boards to the academic success of its public school students and expresses its sincerest recognition to local board members for their focus on the well-being and achievement of children throughout the state; and be it finally

Resolved the Culpeper County School Board declares February 2016 as School Board Member Appreciation Month and encourages local school divisions and community leaders to appropriately recognize our state’s dedicated school board members.

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