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101 ALBANY AREA SCHOOLS MISSION STATEMENT

I. PURPOSE: To articulate the mission of Albany Area Schools.

- II. **GENERAL POLICY STATEMENT:** Mission Statement: Albany Area Schools will build and nurture a community of successful, life-long learners through a partnership of students, school employees, families and community members.
- III. **BELIEFS:** We believe that...
 - 1. Each person has the opportunity and responsibility to learn.
 - 2.An environment of trust, respect and security promotes learning.
 - 3. High expectations promote academic success.
 - 4.Interpersonal skills are vital for student success.
 - 5. Teamwork is essential for achievement.
 - 6. Change is a vital part of education.
 - 7.Both global and local perspectives are essential for growth.
 - 8.Learning is a life-long process.