## LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Livonia, Michigan November 26, 2018 **RESOLUTION** 

**WHEREAS**, The Trustees of the Board of Education are desirous of recognizing and promoting excellence in education in this school district; and

**WHEREAS**, Katie Emert, a third-grade teacher at Randolph Elementary, and a 12-year employee of Livonia Public Schools, has distinguished herself by being named Elementary Educator of the Year for 2018-2019 by a district-wide committee of teachers, support staff and administrators; and

WHEREAS, In achieving that recognition, it is evident that she is an exceptional educator, going far beyond the expected range of her duties to meet the needs of students, colleagues, parents, and others; and

WHEREAS, Katie believes all students can learn and achieve the high standards set forth in the classroom, if given the opportunity to do so. Maintaining an inclusive classroom and differentiating instruction are two tenets of her teaching philosophy and she models respectful interactions each day for her students, enabling them to feel confident in their learning and leadership.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Trustees of the Board of Education do hereby commend and congratulate Katie Emert for being named Elementary Educator of the Year for 2018-2019 and for the dedication and loyal service she has rendered to Livonia Public Schools, her students, and the community.

Tammy Bonifield Secretary, Board of Education