

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
November 21, 2011**

**AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK
RESOLUTION**

WHEREAS, public schools are the backbone of our democracy, providing young people with the tools they need to maintain our nation's precious values of freedom, civility and equality; and

WHEREAS, by equipping young Americans with both practical skills and broader intellectual abilities, schools give them hope for, and access to, a productive future; and

WHEREAS, public education employees work tirelessly to serve our children and communities with care and professionalism; and

WHEREAS, schools unite entire communities, bringing together adults and children, educators and volunteers, business leaders, and elected officials in a common enterprise.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Trustees of the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District do hereby proclaim November 13-19, 2011, as the 90th annual observance of

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and urge all citizens to make a commitment to public education and to the future of our children.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Trustees of the Livonia Board of Education take this special occasion to thank Livonia Public Schools employees, parents and community volunteers for the work they do to educate and support the children of our School District.

Robert Freeman, Secretary
Livonia Board of Education