RESOLUTION

Adopting the District's Health, Safety and Environmental Management Program, for 2011-2012

RESOLVED, by the School Board of Independent School District No. 709, St. Louis County, Minnesota, to direct administration to implement the 2011 – 2012 Health, Safety & Environmental Management Program, as summarized below and including completed Attachment #10 to the MDE 2011 Health and Safety Revenue Application Packet.

<u>Summary of 2011-2012</u> <u>ISD 709 – Duluth Public Schools</u> Health, Safety, & Environmental Management Program

The purpose of this program is to ensure that the District provides a safe and healthy work and learning environment for its employees and students. Every reasonable precaution must be taken to protect the safety of students, employees, and other citizens present on School District property or at school approved events. It is the basic responsibility of all supervisory personnel to assure that safe conditions exist and that those who they supervise use safe practices for the conduct of their work. In addition, all students and employees shall adhere to all applicable safety and health regulations through the implementation of the following programs and such other safety regulations as may be promulgated from time to time by the Superintendent. The rules and regulations are to be on file in the School District's Safety Office, and available through the District's Human Resource Office.

AWAIR Program Asbestos Bloodborne Pathogen Chemical Hygiene/Lab Safety Community Right-to-Know Compressed Gas Confined Space Electrical Safety Emergency Action Plan Employee Right-to-Know First Aid /CPR Food Safety Inspection Forklift Safety Hazardous Waste Hearing Conservation Hoist Lift Indoor Air Quality Infectious Waste Lead in water Lockout/Tagout Machine Guarding OSHA Inspections Personal Protective Equip. Pest Management Playground Safety Radon Respiratory Protection Underground Storage Tanks Welding, Cutting or Brazing

Implementation:

The District, with advice from its Health and Safety Committee, will conduct assessments of current conditions and develop plans to address needs and set timelines for implementation of the programs.

The District will monitor and evaluate potential hazards through routine inspections and surveillance, train district staff and maintain records required by state, federal and local agencies.

The District administration will demonstrate its commitment to school safety and environmental health by incorporating safety rules into all employees work routine.

The Board will ensure that appropriate funding and resources are available to implement and maintain compliance with federal, state and local government health and safety requirements, and to meet the criteria outlined in the MDE 2011 Health and Safety Revenue Application Packet Attachment #10.