

FOR CONSENT

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT 273
Special Meeting, December 22, 2023

SUBJECT: COMMENDATION OF JULIE GREENE

Be it Resolved, That

The School Board

Commend and recognize Julie Greene for her service on the Edina School Board from January 2020 through December 2023.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The Board hereby expresses its sincere appreciation, and that of the staff and residents of the School District, for Julie Greene's four years of devoted service to the Edina Public Schools and its affairs during the period 2020 through 2023.

Julie Greene has served the district in many different capacities both on the board and off. Throughout her tenure, Julie demonstrated strong leadership, notably as the head of the Legislative Action Committee, where she championed our district's interests at the state level. Her commitment to staying informed on legislative matters and advocating for policies that benefit our students and educators has been invaluable.

Julie Greene served as Board Vice-Chair for the past year and a half and as a member of the Governance Committee for the past two years. She also served as the chair of the district's policy committee, showcasing her keen understanding of the details that govern our educational system. She has also served as Board liaison to many organizations. These have included the Student Activities Advisory Committee, the Edina Education Fund, and the Parent Leadership Council. Additionally, she has been the Board liaison to several of our schools during her tenure on the board.

Beyond her formal responsibilities, Vice-Chair Greene has consistently demonstrated a passion for education and genuine concern for the well-being of our students. Julie was involved in many critical decisions for Edina Public Schools, including hiring

Superintendent Stanley, developing the district's most recent strategic plan, and navigating the district's COVID-19 pandemic response. Her advocacy for educational excellence, equity, and inclusivity has left a lasting impact on our community.

The Board members congratulate Julie Greene and extend a collective and individual "thank you" for a job well done!