

**LIVONIA PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
March 19, 2012**

ITEM: II.B.

TOPIC: Read Across America Resolution

RECOMMENDATION:

Move that the Board of Education of the Livonia Public Schools School District adopt the attached resolution recognizing the contribution made to children's literature by renowned author, Dr. Seuss, and the focus on reading to children during March, the month of his birthday.

RATIONALE:

In the past, the NEA has sponsored a national campaign to encourage adults to read to children and used the occasion of author Dr. Seuss's birthday to launch the campaign. The LEA has participated in this national event since 1998 and is doing so again this year.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

None

RESOURCE PERSONNEL:

Donna McDowell

EXHIBITS:

Attached

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