

EVERETT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2

BOARD SUPPORT FOR STATE EDUCATIONAL FUNDING

RESOLUTION NO. 448

WHEREAS, last month's strike by teachers from school districts throughout Washington has brought much attention to the issue of the funding of education in our State; and

WHEREAS, the percentage of the State's operating budget spent on education has declined in recent years from 50% to less than 46%; and

WHEREAS, educators must be given adequate resources to meet the daily tasks of teaching if they are to meet the challenge of providing quality educational opportunities to students; and

WHEREAS, presently a legislative conference committee is meeting in Olympia to help formulate the operating budget for the next biennium;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board believes that there is a pressing need for additional State funding for education.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the interests of students and public education will best be served if parents, guardians, and other community members express their comments, concerns, and wishes concerning State funding for education to the legislative conference committee at this time.

ADOPTED this 20<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1991 and authenticated by the signatures affixed below.

ATTESTED BY:

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Secretary, Board of Directors

Charles E. Betts  
President, Board of Directors

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Attachment: Addresses of Legislative Conference Committee Members

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