

EVERETT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 2
RESOLUTION NO. 1079
EVERETT PTSA COUNCIL APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, the mission of Everett Public Schools is to inspire, educate, and prepare each student to achieve to high standards, contribute to our community and thrive in a global society; and,

WHEREAS, the Everett PTSA Council is a formal, key strategic partner in support of the school district's mission; and,

WHEREAS, the PTSA Council intentionally and uniquely supports the mission and vision of Everett schools through the alignment of the council's strategic plan with the school district's strategic plan resulting in a system-wide approach of creative collaboration to support student learning; and,

WHEREAS, the Everett Parent Council of Parents, Teachers and Students Association and its 26 local PTA's serve over 17,000 students with a membership of over 4,000 parents, teachers, and school support employees; and,

WHEREAS, Everett's PTSA Council; a branch of the National Parent Teachers Association and the Washington Congress of Parents and Teachers, and its 26 local units play a crucial role in vocally advocating for the educational interests, health, welfare and safety of our students and that no other volunteer parent organization has the voice that can be heard throughout the far corners of the United States of America; and,

WHEREAS, PTA provides countless hours of volunteer service and support to our school district and individual schools which supports student learning and the creation of inviting, positive school cultures; and,

WHEREAS, the PTAs provide additional funding to schools and classrooms for special projects and enhancement that supplements school funding; and,

WHEREAS, the PTA provides a forum by which parents and teachers can actively engage together to support the educational process; and,

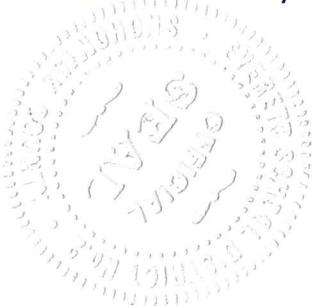
WHEREAS, it is appropriate to recognize PTA members as outstanding volunteers and champions for public education.

NOW, THEREFORE, we the Board of Directors of Everett Public Schools do hereby proclaim Feb. 2014 as

PTA Appreciation Month

in Everett Public Schools, we urge our schools and community to join us in recognizing this special observance.

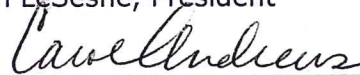
ADOPTED this 25th day of February, 2014 and authenticated by the signatures affixed below:



BOARD OF DIRECTORS




Pam LeSesne, President



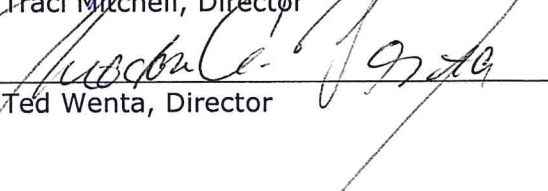
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Superintendent & Secretary to the Board