## Resolution Supporting Legislation to Protect DACA Students

WHEREAS, the decision by President Donald Trump to end the Deferred Action for Childhood Arrivals (DACA) program leaves children and youth in our school district in a predicament; and

WHEREAS, these children and youth are being raised in our neighborhoods; are integrated in our public schools; are active, productive and responsible members of our community; and share our most precious aspirations of social justice for all; and

WHEREAS, many of these young people live in fear that the program will be reversed,

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Eau Claire School Board will advocate for these individuals by asking the federal administration to allow all of them to continue to work and/or study while Congress approves a permanent solution to their migratory status.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Eau Claire School Board asks Congress to approve legislation to protect undocumented immigrants who were brought to our country as children and eventually to provide them with a path to permanent residence in the United States.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the School Board shall send a copy of this resolution to the Wisconsin Association of School Boards and all members of Congress.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the undersigned, being all members of the School Board for the Eau Claire Area School District, have executed this resolution this 9th day of October 2017.

Joe Luginbill, Clerk

Chris Hambuch Boyle, President

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