

## COLORADO STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

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## Resolution Recognizing the Lasting Contribution Assistant Commissioner Vody Herrmann Has Made to the Education of Children in Colorado

WHEREAS: Vody Herrmann joined the Colorado Department of Education

on June 1, 2000 and has served as Director of Public School

Finance since November 1, 2001; and,

WHEREAS: Ms. Herrmann quickly became known throughout the State of

Colorado as a resource on statutory analysis in the area of

public school finance; and,

WHEREAS: Ms. Herrmann acted as an essential resource to Colorado's

lawmakers, elected officials, educational community leaders

and school district administrators;

WHEREAS: Ms. Herrmann worked closely on a daily basis with the school

districts' chief financial officers and other staff, providing them with financial analysis and critical information that directly impacted their ability to provide services to students; and

WHERERAS: Concerning the many legal issues faced by the State of

Colorado throughout the years, Ms. Herrmann was a source of historical knowledge and financial analysis which benefitted

the State in its resolution of legal issues; and

WHEREAS: On July 1, 2008, in recognition of the essential contribution she

made on behalf of the State Board of Education and the Department, Commissioner of Education Dwight D. Jones designated Ms. Herrmann as an Assistant Commissioner of

Education; and

WHEREAS: Since its inception, Ms. Herrmann has overseen the Division of

Public School Capitol Construction Assistance, which assists with critical funding of facility needs around the State of

Colorado; and

WHEREAS: Under her direction, Ms. Herrmann worked to facilitate

innovations in the areas of food service and transportation; and

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WHEREAS:

Among the many gestures of recognition Ms. Herrmann has received over the years, the Colorado Association of School

Executives awarded her the 2010 CASEY Award; and,

WHEREAS:

In 2010, the Colorado BOCES Association awarded Ms.

Herrmann the 2010 Stanley A. Leftwich Award; and,

WHEREAS:

In 2011, the Colorado Association of School Boards awarded

Ms. Herrmann the State Leadership Award; Now Therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED:

That the Colorado State Board of Education formally extends its sincere appreciation to Vody Herrmann for her eleven years of tireless dedication and effort on behalf of the Department of

Education to the children of Colorado.

DATED THIS 9th DAY OF MARCH, 2011

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