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Resolution

Village of Beverly Hills

Whereas it has been brought to the attention of the Beverly Hills Village Council that Governor Jennifer Granholm and the Michigan Legislature propose to eliminate 20J funding for certain school districts, including the Birmingham School District, and

Whereas the citizens of Beverly Hills desire to maintain the highest level of public education for our children and have in the past consistently approved school millage requests to achieve this goal, and

Whereas eliminating 20J funding breaks the promise of Proposal A, breaks the promise of equal treatment to all school districts in Michigan, and breaks the promise we have made to the children of our Village, our region, and our state, and

Whereas eliminating the 20J funding unfairly targets districts that have voted for the higher levels of school funding, by eliminating the portion of funding guaranteeing our district the same per pupil funding increases as other school districts.

Now Therefore Be it Resolved, that the Beverly Hills Village Council finds that any reduction of 20J funding is contrary to the promises made to the residents of this State, and we further request that Governor Jennifer Granholm and the Michigan Legislature keep in place all such funding.

Be it Further Resolved, that copies of this resolution be sent to the Governor, the Majority and Minority leaders of the Michigan Senate and House, State Representatives for the Village of Beverly Hills, the Birmingham School Board, and all the communities within the Birmingham School District.

CERTIFICATION

I, Ellen E. Marshall, Clerk of the Village of Beverly Hills, Oakland County, Michigan do hereby certify and declare that the above is a true and correct copy of a resolution that was adopted by the Village Council at a regular meeting held on Tuesday, October 20, 2009.

Ellen E. Marshall

Ellen E. Marshall
Village Clerk

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