

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF CHARACTER COUNTS!

WHEREAS, given the concern many voice over the state of our society and while building awareness that the world should change is one thing, it is quite another to convince people; and

WHEREAS, it is imperative that efforts by community members be launched acknowledging the ethical values that bind us and teach them rigorously to the young; and

WHEREAS, CHARACTER COUNTS! Week is a way to build that necessary awareness; and

WHEREAS, Bloomingdale School District 13 celebrates citizens—young and old—who exemplify the Six Pillars of Character which are; Trustworthiness, Respect, Responsibility, Fairness, Caring and Citizenship; and

WHEREAS, this commitment requires dedication from everyone in the community who has a part to play in teaching young people to be responsible and to live with integrity; and

WHEREAS, the National CHARACTER COUNTS! Day will be acknowledged in this community on October 15, 2013;

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board of Education of Bloomingdale School District 13 does hereby support October 15, 2013 as CHARACTER COUNTS! Day, and encourages its citizens to participate in making a visible statement that we are strongly committed as a CHARACTER COUNTS! values education community.

Unanimously passed and approved by the Board of Education of Bloomingdale School District 13, Bloomingdale, Illinois this 23rd day of September, 2013.


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