



March 21, 2017

Re: Kettle Moraine School District Board of Education Resolution Supporting Education Funding as Identified in Proposed 2017-19 Biennial Budget

WHEREAS, pursuant to Wis. Stat. Ch. 118 the State of Wisconsin provides that public school districts provide for the education of resident students; and

WHEREAS, the primary purpose of Wisconsin public schools is to provide a sound, well-rounded education that will prepare Wisconsin's children for their roles as citizens and enable them to succeed economically and personally; and

WHEREAS, funding for school districts has not kept up with the rate of inflation; and

WHEREAS, since the enactment of Act 10 in 2011 the Kettle Moraine School District has implemented all the provisions of said legislation, including redefining health insurance and eliminating district post-employment benefits; and

BE IT RESOLVED that the Kettle Moraine School Board supports Governor Scott Walker's proposed biennial 2017-19 State Budget including the categorical aid for public K-12 education to increase by \$200.00 per student in 2017-18 and \$204.00 in 2018-19 which approximates the rate of inflation.

Dated this 21st day of March, 2017.

Gary Vogt, Board President

Kathy Kapsy, Board Member

Jay Crouse, Board Vice President

Dennis Krueger, Board Member

David Zeier, Board Treasurer

Theresa A. Phillips, Board Member

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Patricia Deklotz, PhD., District Superintendent