

ABSENT:

## Literacy Month

## The Board of Education Pittsburg Unified School District Resolution 18-13

WHEREAS, the Pittsburg Unified School District is a big proponent of all students in the district being very literate.

WHEREAS, helping every student in the K-12 system to read at or above grade level and making literacy the priority of every citizen in the Pittsburg Unified School District boundaries; and

WHEREAS, changing the culture of our schools from Pre-Kindergarten to postsecondary by raising the ceiling and raising the floor to better enable students for success in the 21st century; and

WHEREAS, raising awareness of the literacy programs and projects offered and to increase involvement in these programs and projects; and

WHEREAS, The Pittsburg Unified School District recognizes that school library media programs are an important asset in the education of the youth;

WHEREAS, the school district aims to promote the enjoyment of reading for all ages, children to adults; and

WHEREAS, parents, families, neighbors, and mentors play a crucial role in helping children learn to read; and

WHEREAS, a focus in our district is to increase the proficiency of all students by providing them with the opportunity to expand their knowledge and skills through learning opportunities and research valued by students, parents, and communities; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, the School Board of Pittsburg Unified School District hereby request the Superintendent to support each of the school sites to do an event or school activity around literacy.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the School Board encourages all families to engage in some form of literacy activity with children.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the School Board request the Superintendent to post a copy of this resolution at each school site within the boundaries of the school district.

Passed and Adopted, on January 24, 2018, at a regular meeting of the Board of Education by the following vote:

AYES: 5 (Arenivar, Canciamilla, Miller, Smith, Woodidge) (Elam – Student Member)

NOES: 0
ABSTAIN: 0

De'Shawn Woolridge, Board President