

PROCLAMATION
School Board Recognition Week 1999

Whereas An excellent public education system is vital to the quality of life for all our citizens, and

Whereas The more than 2,350 Iowa school board, area education agency board and community college board members represent a tremendous resource as local decision makers, responding to the needs of their communities and regions based on varying local conditions and serving as the voice of their communities, and

Whereas School boards are leaders for learning, continually put students first striving for improvement and progress in education to ensure that Iowa students are prepared for the future, and

Whereas School board governance provides shared vision, structure, accountability and advocacy for the community's educational system, keeping before the public the need of all students to become participating and productive citizens, and promoting the importance of public education for a free nation, its people, its economy, and its continued leadership in the world, and

Whereas The men and women elected by the people as members of school boards deserve recognition and thanks for countless hours of voluntary public service to education in Iowa,

Passed by the City Council of Buffalo, IA, this 03rd day of May, 1999.

Approved and signed by the Mayor of Buffalo, IA, this 03rd day of May, 1999.

Signed: Betty O. Walters
Betty O. Walters, Mayor, Buffalo, IA

Attest: Carol A. Bernauer
Carol A. Bernauer, City Clerk, Buffalo, IA