

## Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

## STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

## Resolution Honoring DR. JAY BADAMS Member, State Board of Education 2014 – 2017

Whereas, Dr. Jay Badams served as a dedicated member of the State Board of Education since his appointment to the Board by Governor Tom Corbett in March 2014; and

Whereas, As Superintendent of the Erie School District, Dr. Badams brought an important perspective to the Board's deliberations that bridged policy and practice; and

Whereas, Dr. Badams is well-respected by fellow Board members and his colleagues in the education community for his strong personal commitment to improving education for all students; and

Whereas, Dr. Badams tendered his resignation from the Board in order to focus on the responsibilities of his new position as Superintendent of School Administrative Unit 70, the nation's first interstate school district comprised of territory in both Vermont and New Hampshire; now therefore be it

**Resolved:** That the members of the State Board of Education pay tribute to Dr. Badams for his dedicated service to the Commonwealth and wish him continued success in a career devoted to enriching educational opportunities for all students.

Given under my hand and our seal this 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 2017

Larry Wittig
Chairman