

CITY of ALBUQUERQUE

TWENTIETH COUNCIL

COUNCIL BILL NO. R-11-14 ENACTMENT NO. _____

SPONSORED BY: Brad Winter and Rey Garduño

1 RESOLUTION

2 EXPRESSING FULL SUPPORT FOR THE ALBUQUERQUE-BERNALILLO
3 COUNTY (ABC) COMMUNITY SCHOOLS PARTNERSHIP AND FOR THE
4 COMMUNITY SCHOOLS INITIATIVE

5 WHEREAS, the City of Albuquerque, the County of Bernalillo and the
6 Albuquerque Public Schools utilize their combined resources to increase
7 parent involvement, student academic achievement and overall community
8 quality of life; and

9 WHEREAS, through the creation and support of collaborative working
10 relationships with schools and the business community, social service
11 agencies, government agencies, faith-based organizations, civic groups,
12 neighborhood associations and post secondary institutions; and

13 WHEREAS, support for the organizations necessary to create an effective
14 and sustainable Community Schools System is a priority for the City of
15 Albuquerque; and

16 WHEREAS, a Community School is both a set of partnerships and a place
17 where services, supports, and opportunities lead to improved student
18 learning, stronger families, and healthier communities; and

19 WHEREAS, a Community School differs from a traditional school because
20 the various partners are not conducting business as usual. They are working
21 together toward common results; changing their funding patterns,
22 transforming the practice of their staffs, and working creatively and
23 respectfully with youth, families, and residents to create a different kind of
24 institution.

25 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE COUNCIL, THE GOVERNING BODY OF THE CITY OF
26 ALBUQUERQUE:

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Section 1. That the City of Albuquerque will continue to support and invest in the Community School Initiative by working in conjunction with the ABC-Community Schools Partnership, the Albuquerque Business Education Compact (ABEC), and any federal, state, and local entity that supports the Community School Initiative.

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