Proclamation

BOARD OF EDUCATION JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. R-1

National Principals Month

WHEREAS, principals in Jefferson County schools are expected to be instructional leaders, assessment experts, disciplinarians, sense makers for our parents and community, budget analysts, facility managers, athletics and activities supervisors, and guardians of legal, contractual and policy mandates and initiatives as well as guiding our most precious resource, our children and young adults; and,

WHEREAS, principals set the academic tone for their schools and work collaboratively with teachers to develop and maintain high standards for student achievement, set performance goals and objectives working to ensure the district's mission, to provide a quality education that prepares all children for a successful future, is met; and,

WHEREAS, the vision, dedication, and determination of our principals provides the mobilizing force behind any school reform effort and establishes school cultures of success and engagement; and,

WHEREAS, the Governor John Hickenlooper has also proclaimed October 2012 in the State of Colorado as 'National Principals Month;' and,

WHEREAS, the celebration of 'National Principals Month' honors elementary, middle level, and high school principals and recognizes the importance of school leadership in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education;

Therefore, the Jefferson County Board of Education does hereby proclaim October 2012 as

National Principals Month

Adopted this 4th day of October, 2012.

JEFFERSON COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT R-1

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Attest:

Jill C. Fellman

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