

**SENATE CONCURRENT
RESOLUTION No. _____**

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION recognizing Matthew Clifford on being named the 2019 Indiana Middle School Principal of the Year for District 10 by the Indiana Association of School Principals.

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2 Clifford on being named the 2019 Indiana Middle School
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4 of School Principals.

5 *Whereas, The Indiana Association of School Principals*
6 *recognized Matthew Clifford, Principal of Greensburg Junior*
7 *High School, as the 2019 Indiana Middle School Principal of*
8 *the Year for District 10;*

9 *Whereas, Matthew received his Bachelor of Music*
10 *Education Degree from DePauw University, and in 2000 he*
11 *was recognized by the Indiana Music Educator's Association as*
12 *the Outstanding Future Music Educator of the Year;*

13 *Whereas, After graduation, Matthew began his teaching*
14 *career as a music teacher and high school band director at*
15 *Greensburg High School;*

16 *Whereas, In 2012, Matthew earned a master's degree in*
17 *Educational Leadership and Supervision from Ball State*
18 *University;*

19 *Whereas, Matthew began his education administration*
20 *career in 2013 when he became Principal of Greensburg Junior*
21 *High School;*

22 *Whereas, Among his accomplishments as Principal,*
23 *Matthew changed the school's master schedule to accommodate*
24 *targeted academic intervention in English and language arts*



1 *and math to increase instructional time in all classes,*
2 *volunteered his school to pilot the one-to-one Digital Learning*
3 *Initiative in the school district, and brought the alternative*
4 *school program back into the middle school, with changes to*
5 *improve academic success, attendance, and behavioral*
6 *statistics; and*

7 *Whereas, Matthew is a transformational leader who has*
8 *shifted from being a building manager to being an education*
9 *leader, and his work earned recognition by the Indiana*
10 *Association of School Principals as the 2019 Middle School*
11 *Principal of the Year for District 10: Therefore,*

12 *Be it resolved by the Senate of the General Assembly*
13 *of the State of Indiana, the House of Representatives*
14 *concurring:*

15 SECTION 1. That the Indiana General Assembly
16 recognizes Matthew Clifford on being named the 2019 Indiana
17 Association of School Principals District 10 Middle School
18 Principal of the Year.

19 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed
20 to transmit a copy of this Resolution to Matthew Clifford.

