



State of New Jersey
STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Adoption Resolution
November 4, 2020

Resolution in Recognition of November 2020 as Parent Teacher Association (PTA) Membership Month

Whereas, the New Jersey Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is an association acting for the benefit of children's education and well-being by focusing attention on issues affecting youth and public education; and

Whereas, the New Jersey PTA also promotes family engagement in schools and communities, and advocates for public education; and

Whereas, for more than 120 years, the New Jersey PTA has served the needs of children, teachers, parents, and schools through active volunteerism; and

Whereas, the New Jersey PTA provides a network of local, state, and national voices speaking together on behalf of all children; and

Whereas, among the millions of members of the National PTA, the New Jersey PTA ranks with more than 110,000 members in 600 Local PTAs; and

Whereas, the strength of the PTA lies in its Membership—the volunteers who tirelessly devote themselves to making this a better world for children and youth; and

Whereas, COVID-19 has certainly put many PTA leaders across the State in times of new adventure, new challenges, and new rewards; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, that the New Jersey State Board of Education and the Acting Commissioner of Education commend the hardworking individuals and members serving in their local, state, and national PTAs and recognize November 2020 as PTA Membership Month in New Jersey; and, be it further

Resolved, that the New Jersey State Board of Education and the Acting Commissioner of Education encourage everyone to join the PTA and become an advocate for children.

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