NORTH CAROLINA STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

A Resolution Establishing a Partnership with myFuture NC for the State Board of Education

Whereas, the State Board Education has an approved strategic plan that includes a goal that every student in a NC Public School System graduates from high school prepared for work, further education, and citizenship; and

Whereas, equitable opportunities for public school students, educators, and administrators are strengthened through partnerships that focus on comprehensive priorities with alignment to the State Board of Education's strategic plan and guiding principles; and

Whereas, the Board acknowledges that other State and local agencies, along with educators, parents, communities, and philanthropists, each have significant roles in meeting the needs of children and in removing barriers to their success, and

Whereas, the broad focus areas of myFuture NC to reach its 2030 objectives – education and workforce alignment; access to lifelong educational opportunities; preparation for education, career, and life – support the North Carolina State Board of Education’s vision that “every public school student graduates ready for post-secondary education and work, prepared to be globally engaged and a productive citizen through access to needed resources and rigor”; and

Whereas, the North Carolina Constitution declares that the people have a right to the privilege of education, and that it is the duty of the State to guard and maintain that right, and

Whereas, the North Carolina Constitution establishes the North Carolina State Board of Education as a body whose duty is to make all needed rules and regulations as it supervises and administers the free public school system, subject to laws enacted by the General Assembly, and

Whereas, the Board admires and supports the work of the My Future NC Commission whose efforts, make use of educational and financial resources to fully benefit North Carolina’s public school students, educators and administrators, and

Whereas, the State Board of Education acknowledges that its partnership with myFuture NC will help ensure that North Carolina recruits and retains the best educators to improve academic outcomes for all students regardless of background; and

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT

Resolved, that the North Carolina State Board of Education encourages continued and sustained momentum of the myFuture NC Commission to move its work forward to obtain its ambitious and rigorous goals by 2030; and

Resolved, that Board members direct the Secretary to the State Board of Education to enter a copy of this resolution into the official minutes of the North Carolina State Board of Education.