

**RESOLUTION** to affirm Berwyn South School District 100 as a welcoming district for all students and families

**WHEREAS**, the Berwyn South School District 100 Board of Education is committed to inclusive teaching and learning environments for all District 100 students, staff and families;

**WHEREAS**, District 100 provides equal educational and extracurricular opportunities for all students without regard to color, race, nationality, religion, sex, sexual orientation, ancestry, age, physical or mental disability, gender identity, status of being homeless or immigration status;

**WHEREAS**, District 100 celebrates Berwyn's diversity resolution entered into the records of the City of Berwyn on November 22, 2016;

**WHEREAS**, District 100 values and celebrates the diversity of our students, staff and families;

**WHEREAS**, District 100 does not require students to disclose information about their citizenship or immigration status;

**WHEREAS**, District 100 has policies that prohibit harassment and promote the safety and security of all students and staff;


**WHEREAS**, pursuant to State law District 100 schools welcome all K-8 children who reside in South Berwyn regardless of immigration status;


**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that District 100 will do everything under the law to protect our students' and staff members' confidential information and ensure that learning environments are not disrupted by immigration enforcement actions;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that immigration officials will not be allowed access to our students, staff, or facilities without a valid warrant or court order that is reviewed by the superintendent and legal counsel;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Board of Education is committed to the safety and well-being of students and staff and prohibits unlawful discrimination and harassment. The Board values all students, staff, and families and will continue to provide an inclusive environment that treats everyone with respect and fairness.

Board of Education of Berwyn South School District 100. Dated this 22nd day of March 2017.

  
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Mary Havis  
Superintendent

  
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Robert Pauly  
Board of Education President