

RESOLUTION 2017-18  
AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK  
November 14-18, 2016

Whereas, public schools are the backbone of our democracy, providing young people with the tools they need to maintain our nation's precious values of freedom, civility, and equality;

Whereas, by equipping young Americans with practical and life time skills, and broader intellectual abilities, schools give them hope for, and access to, a more productive future;

Whereas, education employees – be they teachers, building technicians, bus drivers, principals or librarians – work tirelessly to serve our students, families and communities with care and professionalism; and

Whereas, schools are community linchpins, bringing together adults and children, educators and volunteers, business leaders and elected officials in a common enterprise; now, therefore,

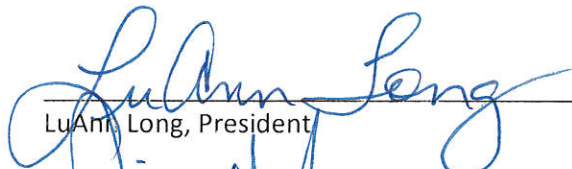
We, the members of the Board of Education of Colorado Springs School District 11, do hereby proclaim November 14-18, 2016, as AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK in School District 11, and urge all parents, teachers, administrators, and students to join us in honoring the institution of education in America.

*This year marks the 95<sup>th</sup> Annual, National Observance of American Education Week.*

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