Resolution

Whereas, Beth Harrison served with distinction as a highly-valued member of the Oklahoma City Public Schools' leadership team from November, 2016, through June, 2022; and,

Whereas, Beth served the district as Chief Communications Officer for Oklahoma City Public Schools (OKCPS) during her tenure; and,

Whereas, Beth oversaw communications and community relations efforts for the district that included collaborating effectively and strategically with internal and external constituents; and,

Whereas, Beth crafted and shared the OKCPS narrative with the media in a way that was honest, genuine and meaningful, thus creating valued and respected relationships with media companies and reporters; and,

Whereas, Beth improved communications with OKCPS students, families and guardians to include modern means of delivery and valuable messaging; and,

Whereas, Beth led communications and strategic planning efforts for the district-wide Pathway to Greatness (P2G) initiative that resulted in critical transformation for the district; and,

Whereas, Beth oversaw the remaking of the OKCPS brand, including logo redesign and associated collaterals, as well as the communication of the new brand to internal stakeholders and the community; and,

Whereas, Beth oversaw the décor and furnishings for the new and acclaimed Clara Luper Center for Educational Services; and,

Whereas, Beth led incredibly intense communication efforts throughout the many challenges the COVID-19 global pandemic presented to the district, students and families, including virtual school, health and safety protocols, information on school meals and many other necessary communication measures; and,

Whereas, Beth Harrison lives the OKCPS core values of tending to relationships, communicating effectively, focusing on student success, having a servant heart and believing that collaboration is key.

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Oklahoma City Public Schools Board of Education, take great pride in recognizing and honoring Beth Harrison for her considerable achievements on behalf of OKCPS and for her years of dedicated service. Our school district's brand and reputation are better because of her work and our students and families, and community, have greater trust in us because of her efforts.

Dated this 6th day of June, 2022. a Paula Lewis, Board Chair k Mann, Vice Chair **I**. **Board** Member nm Carole Thompson, District 1 Board Member **Lori Bowman**. District 2 Board Member Carrie Coppernoll Jacobs, District 3 Board Memberry Oklam Oklaho Adrian Anderson, District 5 Board Member Glonia Torres, District 6 Board Member