

**WILLIAMSBURG-JAMES CITY COUNTY  
SCHOOL BOARD  
R-9-22**

At the Regular Meeting of the Williamsburg-James City County School Board at  
James Blair Middle School, 101 Longhill Road, on the 15 day of March 2022.

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**SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS**

Dr. James W. Beers  
Ms. Kyra A. Cook  
Mr. D. Greg Dowell, Jr.  
Ms. Julie Y. Hummel  
Mrs. Kimberley M. Hundley  
Mrs. Sarah G. Ortego  
Mrs. Sandra S. Young

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**MONTH OF THE MILITARY CHILD**

**WHEREAS**, Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools serves over 1,200 school-age, military- connected children; and

**WHEREAS**; military families include men and women on active duty services in the Air Force, Army, Coast Guard, Marine Corps, and Navy, and members of the reserves and the National Guard; and

**WHEREAS**; Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools abides by all provisions of the Interstate Compact on Educational Opportunity for Military Children, which addresses key transition issues encountered by military students including enrollment, placement, attendance, eligibility and graduation; and

**WHEREAS**; military-connected children often demonstrate resilience, perseverance, maturity, and cultural competence in the face of frequent moves, family separations through deployments, and reintegration following deployments; and

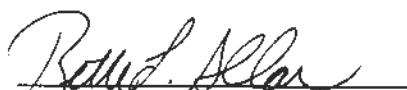
**WHEREAS**; military children provide unique and valuable perspectives on learning, friendship, and service to others; and


**WHEREAS**; the Month of the Military Child provides an opportunity to salute our military children and acknowledge the contributions they bring to families, classrooms, schools and the Williamsburg-James City County public school division.

**WHEREAS**; across the Commonwealth individuals are encouraged to wear purple on April 20, 2022, in celebration of "Purple Up! for Military Kids," to show support for military-connected children and to thank them for their strength and sacrifices;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Williamsburg-James City County School Board recognizes April 2022 as the Month of the Military Child and encourages all schools to celebrate this recognition with activities to honor the contributions of our students from military families;

**BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Williamsburg-James City County School Board expresses its sincere gratitude to military-connected students throughout the division for their service to our great nation.

  
Beth Allar, Clerk of the Board

  
D. Greg Dowell, Jr., Chair