

# Resolution

**WHEREAS** the National Association of Elementary School Principals and the National Association of Secondary School Principals have declared the month of October 2010 As *National Principals Month*;

**WHEREAS** principals are expected to be instructional leaders, assessment experts, disciplinarians, facility and budget managers, public relations officers and team builders while being entrusted with young people, our most important resource;

**WHEREAS** principals set the academic tone for their schools and work collaboratively with teachers to develop and maintain rigorous curriculum standards and meet performance objectives;

**WHEREAS** school leadership is second only to classroom instruction among all school related factors that contribute to student achievement;

**WHEREAS** the acknowledgement of *National Principals Month* would honor principals and recognize the importance of school leadership in ensuring that every child has access to a high-quality education;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Bath County School Board recognizes the numerous contributions of school principals and assistant principals to the success of students; supports the designation of *National Principals Month*; and encourages the citizens of Bath County to acknowledge and support our school leaders.

**IN OFFICIAL RECOGNITION WHEREOF**, the members of the Bath County School board hereby affix our seal this fifth day of October, 2010.

Eddie Ryder  
Chairman, Bath County School Board

Sue Hirsh  
Clerk, Bath County School Board