

Loudon County Board Of Education

RESOLUTION SUPPORTING CENTRAL OFFICE SCHOOL STAFF REMAINING AT THE CURRENT LOCATION AT 100 RIVER ROAD

WHEREAS, the Loudon Board of Education has maintained a collegial relationship with the County Commission, the Mayor and other support staff; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education believes that a successful and effective relationship is based in part on effective communication through the close proximity of the two offices; and

WHEREAS, this advantageous communication link will to a considerable extent be broken if the school staff is moved from the current River Road location several miles into the Lenoir City community, and

WHEREAS, many of our constituents and educational advocates have expressed grave concern relative to the practicality of this proposed project, and

WHEREAS, the Board and the Commission are tasked to make use of tax dollars in a most wise and prudent manner, and

WHEREAS, there will be considerable funds applied to office construction that will not directly impact the total school instructional program.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED that the Loudon County Board of Education would, as a component of our Long Range Strategic Facility plan, prefer funds that might be available for this project to be more strategically designated for classroom construction.

Adopted this 8th day of January, 2014