



**Vermont State Board of Education**

**Resolution of Appreciation**

**Peter Peltz**

WHEREAS, Peter Peltz has served with distinction on the Vermont State Board of Education from 2015 to 2021; and

WHEREAS, he previously served in the Vermont State Legislature for eight years on House Committee on Education (2007-2014), with 2 of those years as vice chair and 2 years as ranking member; and

WHEREAS, he was respected as a measured legislative leader in his mission to improve public education for all children, encourage smart economic development policies, and promote affordable health care for all, believing “what’s good for one is good for all”; and

WHEREAS, he has further served the people of his community as an elected official for over 30 years and a small business owner for 25 years; and

WHEREAS he engaged every action with an intense and deep focus on the welfare of Vermont children and families as his paramount, guiding value; and

WHEREAS, he was a strong advocate for the independent integrity of the State Board as a vital check and balance to democratic governance and as the most vital advocate for all of Vermont's children; and

WHEREAS, Peter helped to guide the Board through months of arduous and contentious hearings and meetings and to promulgation of the State Plan mandated by Act 46.

Now therefore be it RESOLVED that the Vermont State Board of Education recognizes and applauds the service and commitment of Peter Peltz to the State of Vermont, and

Be it further RESOLVED that his colleagues on the State Board of Education, past and present, join this day in honor, admiration, and appreciation of Peter Peltz and his service and leadership of this Board.

DATED at Barre, Vermont, this 17<sup>th</sup> day of February, 2021.

STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
John Carroll, Chair