

RESOLUTION
of
APPRECIATION

WHEREAS, the citizens of Urbana have the benefit of one of the finest public school systems of the State of Illinois; and

WHEREAS, the excellence of a community's school system has a direct relationship to the quality of life enjoyed by the citizens of the community; and

WHEREAS, the excellence of a community's educational institution is a result of dedication, devotion, abilities and leadership of its staff, faculty, and the Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, Raphael H. Braun has served the community of Urbana as Principal of the Urbana High School and Superintendent of Schools for nearly a quarter of a century; and

WHEREAS, Esther Feral Blackburn, has served the Public Schools in District 116, as Business Manager, since 1951; and

WHEREAS, Alvin F. King has served as Elementary Supervisor, Coordinator of Curriculum, Principal and Director of Personnel since 1950; and

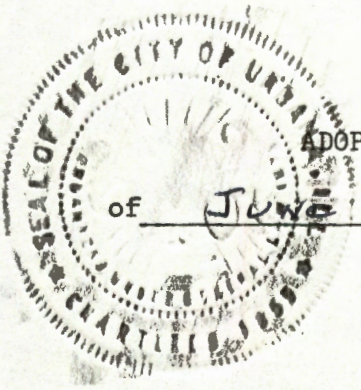
WHEREAS, the loyalty, dedication and leadership of these outstanding citizens have played significant roles of the development and maintenance of excellence in the Urbana Schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF URBANA, ILLINOIS:

That we express our great appreciation and gratitude for the untiring and selfless devotion demonstrated by Raphael H. Braun, Esther Feral Blackburn and Alvin F. King to the citizens of Urbana, Illinois, during these past years;

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED:

That the City Council of Urbana extends their best wishes for their future happiness and wellbeing.



ADOPTED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, this 5TH day

of June, A.D., 1972.

Duane Eckerty
Duane Eckerty, CITY CLERK

APPROVED BY THE MAYOR OF URBANA, ILLINOIS, this 6th day of

June, A.D., 1972.

Charles M. Zippert
Charles M. Zippert, MAYOR