

Resolution No. 2014-04

*A Resolution of the School Board of Volusia County, Florida,
Recognizing March 3, 2014 as "Read Across America Day"*

KNOW ALL CITIZENS BY THESE PRESENTS, that the Volusia County School Board, Volusia County, Florida, a political subdivision of the State of Florida, hereby recognizes March 3, 2014 as "Read Across America Day" and encourages all citizens of Volusia County to assure that every child is in a safe place reading together with a caring adult on the evening of March 3, 2014.

WHEREAS, the citizens of Volusia County stand firmly committed to promoting reading as the catalyst for our students' future academic success, their preparation for America's jobs of the future, and their ability to compete in a global economy; and

WHEREAS, the School Board of Volusia County has provided significant leadership in the area of community involvement in the education of our youth, grounded in the principle that educational investment is key to the community's well being and long term quality of life; and

WHEREAS, "Read Across America," a national celebration of Dr. Seuss's birthday, promotes reading and adult involvement in the education of our community's students; and

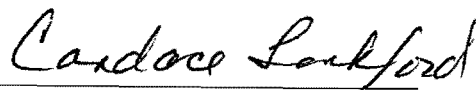
WHEREAS, this body enthusiastically endorses "Read Across America" and recommits our community to engage in programs and activities to make America's children the best readers in the world.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA, IN OFFICIAL SESSION, DULY ASSEMBLED IN DELAND, FLORIDA, THIS 25th DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014, AS FOLLOWS:

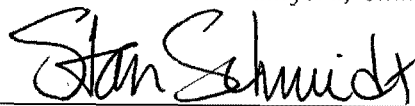
Section 1. That the School Board of Volusia County, Florida, on behalf of all students and personnel, does hereby resolve to recognize March 3, 2014, as "Read Across America Day" for Volusia County Schools;

Section 2. That a copy of this Resolution be spread upon the official minutes of the School Board of Volusia County, Florida, distributed to all public schools and appropriate governmental bodies in Volusia County, Florida.

PASSED AND ADOPTED THIS 25TH DAY OF FEBRUARY, 2014
THE SCHOOL BOARD OF VOLUSIA COUNTY, FLORIDA



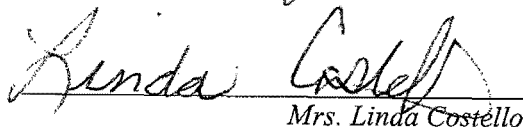
Ms. Candace Lankford, Chairman



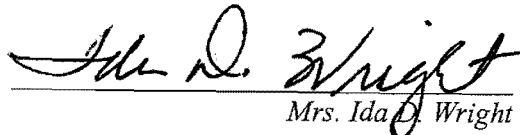
Mr. Stan Schmidt, Vice Chairman



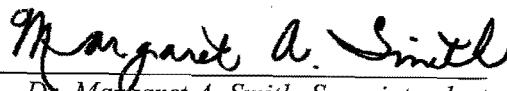
Mrs. Diane J. Smith



Mrs. Linda Costello



Mrs. Ida D. Wright



Dr. Margaret A. Smith, Superintendent