

## Resolution

WHEREAS, the children of Jeffco Public Schools are our most valued resource, and it is our mission to educate them and model respectful behaviors so they have the opportunity to grow and become tomorrow's leaders; and

WHEREAS, the superintendent informs district leadership at the beginning of each school year to avoid scheduling school events on religious holidays of significance to their communities; and

WHEREAS, the Jefferson County residents follow the observances of many major religious faiths; and


WHEREAS, the Jefferson County Board of Education wishes to honor the individual's and the family's time to reflect and honor special holidays important to their religious faith;

Now therefore, be it resolved that the Jefferson County Board of Education requests that all Jeffco schools and the Colorado High School Athletics Association (CHSAA) join them in honoring the observances of the metropolitan area's major religious holidays of Rosh Hashana, Yom Kippur, Christmas, and Good Friday by not scheduling student or staff related events or activities to conflict with these annual observances.

Adopted this 27th day of September, 2007.


Jefferson County School District No. R-1

By:

  
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Jane Barnes, President  
Board of Education

Attest

By:

  
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Scott Benefield, Secretary  
Board of Education