

November 20, 2013

RESOLUTION

Below please find a resolution to be sent to your legislators in support of A4300 and S2877 – Change of Timelines for Budget Submission and Approval for districts who have moved their Annual School Board Elections to November.

Resolution to Adjust The Budget Submission Calendar For 2014-15

Whereas, Chapter 202, P.L. 2011 provided that New Jersey School Districts may move their school board elections from April to November, and

Whereas, over 90% of all school districts have chosen to make this change, and

Whereas, the current school budget submission calendar has not been changed or amended to reflect the fact that the majority of New Jersey school districts no longer have budget votes in April, and

Whereas, districts that no longer have an April budget vote would benefit greatly by having more time to prepare and submit their budgets to county offices for review and approval, and

Whereas, proposed legislation (A4300 and S2877) recognizes this benefit by extending budget submission dates for districts with November elections,

Now Therefore Be it Resolved that the Black Horse Pike Board of Education, County of Camden does hereby request their local legislators to press forward and have this legislation (A4300 and S2877) adopted in time to modify the School District Budget Calendar for the 2014-15 School Year, and

Be It Further Resolved, that a copy of this resolution be forwarded to:

List Legislators, New Jersey Association of School Business Officials, New Jersey School Boards Association.

