

Proclamation

WHEREAS, school counselors are employed in the Dubuque Community School District to help students reach their full potential; and

WHEREAS, school counselors are actively committed to helping students explore their abilities, strengths, interests, and talents as these traits relate to career awareness and development; and

WHEREAS, school counselors help parents focus on ways to further the educational, personal and social growth of their children; and

WHEREAS, school counselors work with teachers and other educators to help students explore their potential and set realistic goals for themselves; and

WHEREAS, school counselors seek to identify and utilize community resources that can enhance and complement comprehensive school counseling programs and help students become productive members of society; and

WHEREAS, comprehensive developmental school counseling programs are considered an integral part of the educational process that enables all students to achieve success in school;

NOW THEREFORE, I, Michael J. Donohue, on behalf of the Dubuque Community School District Board of Education, do hereby proclaim February 6-10, 2017, as:

NATIONAL SCHOOL COUNSELING WEEK

Signed this 9th Day of January, 2017.

Michael J. Donohue, *President* BOARD OF EDUCATION

ATTEST:

Joni Lucas, *Secretary* Board of Education