

## **RESOLUTION HONORING JUANDIEGO WADE**

*WHEREAS*, Juandiego Wade is retiring after fifteen years of distinguished service on the Charlottesville City School Board, Charlottesville, Virginia; and

*WHEREAS*, he has provided quality leadership by serving as Chairperson of the Board; as a member and Chair of the Charlottesville-Albemarle Technical Education Center (CATEC), as a School Health Advisory Board member, as a Piedmont Regional Education Program (PREP) member, as a Creative Learning After School & Summer (CLASS) Committee member, as a Title I Advisory Board member, as a Regional Adult Education Board member, as a Naming of School Facilities Committee member, as a Community Development Block Grant Board member; and

*WHEREAS*, he has served as president of the Virginia School Boards Association, served on several of their committees, and further was named VSBA School Board member of the year in 2020; and

*WHEREAS*, he has dedicated his tenure as a board member to providing Charlottesville City Schools students with first-class programs and facilities in a fiscally responsible manner; and

*WHEREAS*, his thorough research on issues, depth of historical knowledge, concern for fairness and proper resolution of issues have earned him the respect and admiration of his board colleagues;

*WHEREAS*, he served as an excellent colleague and mentor to his fellow School Board members, and that he facilitated an atmosphere of civil and respectful discourse at School Board meetings;

THEREFORE BE IT AND IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED, by the Charlottesville City School Board;

*THAT* the appreciation of the citizens of Charlottesville, members of the Board, and Administration be expressed to *JUANDIEGO WADE* for the contributions he has made to the schools of the District; and

*THAT* this expression of appreciation and gratitude be made a part of the permanent records of the Division; and

*THAT* a copy of this Resolution be presented to him by the Charlottesville City School Board. Dated this 2nd day of December 2021.

Lisa Torres, School Board Chair