

State of Michigan
State Board of Education
RESOLUTION

Laura Chang

2018-2019 MICHIGAN TEACHER OF THE YEAR

WHEREAS, Laura Chang received a Bachelor of Science degree in Education and a Master of Arts in Education and Professional Development, both from Western Michigan University; and

WHEREAS, Laura Chang, with 19 years of teaching experience and expertise, was a second-grade teacher at Sunset Lake Elementary, and is now currently a K-5 Interventionist in Vicksburg Community Schools; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Education and the Michigan Department of Education honored Laura Chang as the 2018-2019 Michigan Teacher of the Year; and

WHEREAS, Laura Chang is known for her ability to motivate and inspire her students, as well as other educators, to embrace challenges and grasp difficult concepts through her unique and imaginative presentations and lessons; and

WHEREAS, Laura has recognized the importance of student and educator engagement throughout her tenure as the Michigan Teacher of the Year and has never lost her interest, her enthusiasm, and her commitment to the ideals of education; and

WHEREAS, the State Board of Education has continually supported teachers with several quality initiatives, including the Michigan Teacher of the Year Program and the Milken National Educator Award; now, therefore, be it

RESOLVED, that the State Board of Education expresses its deepest appreciation and gratitude to Laura Chang and the thousands of educators in the great State of Michigan for their outstanding work; and be it finally

RESOLVED, that the State Board of Education supports all efforts, training, and resources available to our state's educators so that they may continue to educate and positively influence the children of today as they become the leaders of tomorrow.

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