

**FAIRBANKS NORTH STAR BOROUGH BOARD OF EDUCATION**

**RESOLUTION 2017-12:**

**HONORING DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR.**

WHEREAS, the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District envisions excellence and equity for all; and

WHEREAS, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. also dreamed of an outstanding education for all children; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King believed education transmitted the accumulated knowledge of the human race as well as the accumulated experience of social living; and

WHEREAS, Dr. King dedicated his life to justice, equality, and service for the greater good; and

WHEREAS, the principles, oratory, and achievements of Dr. King are worthy of emulation; and

WHEREAS, the third Monday in January, a national holiday since 1983, has become known as a Day of Service by which to honor Dr. King's legacy; and

WHEREAS, a Day of Service empowers individuals, strengthens communities, bridges barriers, creates solutions to social problems, and moves us closer to Dr. King's vision of a beloved community;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, the Fairbanks North Star Borough Board of Education honors Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. by proclaiming the week of January 16, 2017, as a time for teachers and students to conduct special studies of Dr. King's life and achievements and engage in service activities throughout the Fairbanks North Star Borough School District.

PASSED AND APPROVED: December 6, 2016

*Heidi Haas*

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ATTEST:

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