



The School Board of Broward County, Florida

RESOLUTION

No. 09-52

RESOLUTION IN SUPPORT OF FLORIDA JEWISH HISTORY MONTH JANUARY 2009

WHEREAS, among the multiple ethnic groups that have passed through Florida since 1513, Jews are notable for remaining in the state and retaining and asserting their ethnic identity; and

WHEREAS, we celebrate the rich history of the Jewish people in Florida and honor the great contributions they have made; and

WHEREAS, like other ethnic groups, Jews have actively participated in shaping the destiny of Broward County by bringing their visions for freedom and democracy and their creativity, thus leaving their footprints across the county and the state; and

WHEREAS, Broward County and the State of Florida is better and stronger because Jewish people from all over the world have chosen to live and work here; and

WHEREAS, the Jewish people have enriched our culture and our economy; and

WHEREAS, Florida Jewish History Month is a time to focus on the tremendous contributions Broward Jews have made in every area of the development of our county,

NOW, THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that The School Board of Broward County, Florida, in conjunction with others throughout this state, hereby extends its support for the celebration of

FLORIDA JEWISH HISTORY MONTH January 2009

and urges all schools, centers and departments within its jurisdiction to support this observance.

Given at Fort Lauderdale, Florida, this 9th day of December 2008.

THE SCHOOL BOARD OF BROWARD COUNTY, FLORIDA

BY: _____
Maureen S. Dinnen, Chair

ATTEST: _____
James F. Notter, Superintendent of Schools