

**WILLIAMSBURG-JAMES CITY COUNTY  
SCHOOL BOARD**

**R-5-11**

At the regular meeting of the Williamsburg-James City County School Board in the City Council Chambers in the Stryker Building on the 1<sup>st</sup>, of February 2011.

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School Board: Ms. Elise L. Emanuel Mr. Joseph Fuentes Mr. James L. Kelly Ms. Denise W. Koch Ms. Ruth Larson Mr. James P. Nickols Dr. Oscar Prater	Vote:
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Motion was made by \_\_\_\_\_, which carried \_\_\_\_\_, to adopt the following resolution:

**Black History Month**

**WHEREAS**, African-Americans have been in America since colonial times; and

**WHEREAS**, many of their accomplishments are unfamiliar to many students, staff, and parents; and

**WHEREAS**, African-American history is significant and interwoven in the history of America; and

**WHEREAS**, the struggle for equality and equity remains a genuine challenge for all minority groups; and

**WHEREAS**, this school division is committed to enlightening and exposing students, educators, and parents to the great works of African-Americans.

**NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the School Board of the Williamsburg-James City County Public Schools hereby proclaims the month of February 2011, as Black History Month, and encourages all schools and citizens to join in recognition of this significant celebration and invaluable observation.

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Janet Cerza  
Clerk of the Board

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James P. Nickols  
Chair

