

STANDARD RESOLUTION FORM

Proposed By (Name): _____
City: _____ Precinct: _____
County Unit/Senate District: _____ Congressional District: _____

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Whereas parents miss an average of eight days of work per year due to lack of afterschool care, costing American businesses up to \$300 billion per year in decreased productivity (Catalyst & Brandeis University), and

Whereas Minnesota has one of the highest percentages of working parents with school-aged youth in the country, and

Whereas children and youth have more than 2,000 discretionary non-school hours each year, and

Whereas youth who engaged in community learning opportunities after school and during the summer are more likely to graduate from school and enroll in college, and

Therefore be it resolved that the Minnesota _____ Party add the following statement to its party platform:

“We believe high-quality community learning opportunities after school and during the summer provide critical supports for Minnesota’s children, youth, families and communities.”

This resolution should be considered under the following category:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Agriculture | <input type="checkbox"/> Health and Human Services |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Business and Community Development | <input type="checkbox"/> Labor and Employment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Civil, Human and Constitutional Rights | <input type="checkbox"/> Natural Resources & the Environment |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Consumer Issues | <input type="checkbox"/> Public Safety & Crime Prevention |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Education | <input type="checkbox"/> Tax and Budget Policy |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Government Accountability to the Public | <input type="checkbox"/> World Affairs |
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This resolution was: Adopted Defeated by:
 A voice vote
 A recorded vote of: Yes No Abstain