

## **Proposed Resolution in Favor of Parent Voice in Principal Selection**

**Whereas** Seattle Public Schools believes that by collaborating with families in authentic partnerships, we create a path for students to reach their highest potential, engaging with families as the first and lifelong teachers of students;

**Whereas** every school community is acknowledged to be unique, and best understood by its membership;

**Whereas** the spring 2020 term at Cascadia Elementary School has seen unprecedented upheaval and change as a result of COVID-19 and its impacts on the school community; now, therefore, let it be

**Resolved**, that the Cascadia PTA declares its participation essential in the selection of a new Principal to lead our community. Therefore, the Cascadia PTA formally requests participation in the selection of a new Principal, including by contributing votes to a final decision.