## RESOLUTION NO. 1981-10

## BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd has been informed that the governing Board of the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated School Corporation is presently entertaining a proposal that 7th and 8th grade students presently attending Hazelwood Junior High School shall be transferred to Scribner Junior High School; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd understands that attendant to such transfer, it will be necessary to transport by bus to Scribner Junior High School those students who would otherwise attend Hazelwood Junior High for and during the 7th and 8th grades; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd has received numerous enquiries from concerned parents and members of the staff and faculty of Hazelwood Junior High asserting that the proposed transfer of students would effect a change in the character, nature and quality of the educational program presently being offered at Hazelwood Junior High; would, without necessity, disrupt the educational program historically provided at Hazelwood Junior High School; and, would be inconsistent with the neighborhood school concept; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd remains of the opinion that a decision of the nature presently contemplated by the governing Board of the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated School Corporation is one of great public interest and one which must be predicated upon consideration of the views and comments of interested members of the public.

## NOW THEREFORE:

BE IT RESOLVED, that the governing Board of the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated School Corporation be, and such Board is, encouraged to permit and allow interested members of the public to speak in favor of or against the proposed plan to transfer students from Hazelwood Junior High School to Scribner Junior High School as well as program and curriculum changes attendant thereto.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board of Commissioners of the County of Floyd evidence its present opposition to the proposal to transfer students from Hazelwood Junior High School to Scribner Junior High School, as well as the program and curriculum changes necessitated thereby, which opposition would be withdrawn only after a determination by the governing Board of the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated School Corporation, following a full and fair public hearing, that the proposal being presently entertained is in the best interest of the educational program of the community, would further the existing student-teacher-parent relationship upon which such program depends, and, would be consistent with a neighborhood school concept.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Auditor of Floyd County be, and she hereby is directed to forward a copy of this Resolution to the superintendent of the New Albany-Floyd County Consolidated School Corporation for proper presentation to the governing Board.

DATED this of lay of October, 1981.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

OF THE COUNTY OF FLOYD

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ATTEST:

Delly J. Hanney AUDITOR OF FLOYD COUNTY