Resolution of the Indiana State Board of Education Terminating Turnaround Designation at Broad Ripple Magnet High School

WHEREAS, Broad Ripple Magnet High School within the Indianapolis Public Schools Corporation received six (6) consecutive placements in the lowest category or designation of school improvement in 2011; and

WHEREAS, the Indiana State Board of Education (“Board”) assigned Broad Ripple Magnet High School a Lead Partner under I.C. 20-31-9-4 in August, 2011; and

WHEREAS, I.C. 20-31-9-9 requires the Board to take one (1) of the following actions for a school in its fifth (5th) year of intervention: (1) return the school to the school corporation for operation, (2) direct the special management team to apply to a charter school authorizer for charter school status for the school, or (3) implement a new intervention under section 4(b) of this chapter; and

WHEREAS, the Board held a public hearing, as required by I.C. 20-31-9-9, for Broad Ripple Magnet High School on April 13, 2016; and

WHEREAS, Broad Ripple Magnet High School has received a “B” school improvement designation for each of the past four school years.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT, the Indiana State Board of Education applauds the work of Indianapolis Public Schools, students, parents, educators and community leaders for improving the educational attainment of students at Broad Ripple Magnet High School; and

RESOLVED, due to improved educational attainment of students at Broad Ripple Magnet High School, the Board hereby returns Broad Ripple Magnet High School to Indianapolis Public Schools for operation without the assistance of a Lead Partner under I.C. 20-31-9-9(a)1; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED THAT, the Board terminates the designation of turnaround academy for Broad Ripple Magnet High School under I.C. 20-31-9.5.

ADOPTED ON: April 15, 2016