

CLEVELAND PUBLIC LIBRARY

Board Meeting

October 16, 2014

**RESOLUTION OF SUPPORT FOR CLEVELAND METROPOLITAN SCHOOL
DISTRICT BOND ISSUE AND TAX LEVY**

WHEREAS, At their regular meeting on September 18, 2012, the Board of Trustees of the Cleveland Public Library unanimously passed a resolution to support the implementation of Cleveland Metropolitan School District's *Cleveland Plan for Transforming Schools*, urging the community to invest the necessary energy and resources to make the *Cleveland Plan* a reality; and

WHEREAS, A critical factor in the implementation of the *Cleveland Plan* is the flexibility needed by the School District to start new school models and provide quality school options in every neighborhood, as detailed in the District's facilities plan; and

WHEREAS, The District's facilities plan calls for the construction of 20 to 22 new schools and the refurbishing of 20 to 23 existing schools; and

WHEREAS, The Cleveland Metropolitan School District has placed Issue 4, a bond issue and tax levy, on the November ballot to provide the resources for new construction, renovation, and other improvements to school facilities, as well as funds for building maintenance; now therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Board of Trustees of the Cleveland Public Library supports the passage of Issue 4 on November 4, 2014, and urges the community to continue investing the energy and resources needed to make the *Cleveland Plan* a reality.