

Whereas, Mr. Kevin Ahearn, Superintendent of Schools for the Carteret Public School District has created an environment of fear and intimidation, while pushing an agenda of nepotism by creating positions and granting promotions to Board Members' family; and

Whereas, Mr. Ahearn has taken no initiative in helping the Carteret Board of Education reach an agreement with the Carteret Education Association during contract negotiations that have been ongoing for 7 years; and

Whereas, Mr. Ahearn has recommended unfounded charges against two CEA presidents, costing the Board tens of thousands of dollars in legal expenses; and

Whereas, Mr. Ahearn has taken no steps to help quell the exodus of staff members from the district; and

Whereas, Mr. Ahearn has recommended that past Boards enter into Inter-local Agreements with the Borough of Carteret, that has in no way benefited the district, in fact, it cost the district in excess of \$5.5 million dollars for some services that the Borough by law was supposed to provide; and

Whereas, Mr. Ahearn has enjoyed a salary, currently \$190,000, that is in excess of the cap set forth by state law for a district of Carteret's size;

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the members of the Carteret Education Association at a General Membership Meeting on June 18, 2014 have unanimously taken a vote of "No Confidence" in Mr. Ahearn and urge the Board to not offer Mr. Ahearn a new contract.