RESOLUTION

**Proclaiming NAST Support for Financial Literacy Graduation Requirements for High School Students**

**WHEREAS** The National Association of State Treasurers (NAST) believes in and supports the significance of financial literacy and financial empowerment for Americans; and

**WHEREAS** NAST believes financial education is a critical component of skills P-12 students need in order to become financially literate and financially independent citizens; and

**WHEREAS** NAST believes that teaching students to become financially literate through evaluating, analyzing, and utilizing personal finance practices that positively impact quality of life will position students for success throughout their career and adulthood;

**THEREFORE**, be it resolved that NAST supports financial literacy as part of an ongoing educational curriculum that includes a state-designated high school graduation requirement in each state in the United States.

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