

## Resolution on Full Funding for Education

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3 **WHEREAS**, the federal government has mandated the states comply with strict federal  
4 guidelines for education and student graduation and success; and

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6 **WHEREAS**, the United States is in danger of losing its technological and competitive  
7 place in the world or at the very least stagnating; and

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9 **WHEREAS**, education is and will continue to be the most important component in  
10 individual and national success and growth; and

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12 **WHEREAS**, the Washington state Constitution requires that schools be adequately and  
13 equitably funded; and

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15 **WHEREAS**, poorer communities and communities with a weak property tax base are at  
16 a grave disadvantage when schools rely on levy revenue for education services; and

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18 **THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED**, that the Washington State Democratic Party support  
19 full state and federal government funding for public education K through College, as  
20 this is in the highest interest of the people and the nation.

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23 Submitted by the delegates of the Chelan County Democratic Convention to the  
24 Washington State Democratic Party for consideration at its June 3, 2006 convention in  
25 Yakima (Date Submitted 4/8/2006).

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27 The Washington State Democratic Party at its State Convention on June 3, 2006 in  
28 Yakima referred this resolution to the WSDCC Resolutions Committee for review at its  
29 September 9 - 10, 2006 meeting in Ellensburg.

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31 The WSDCC Resolutions Committee recommended a "Pass" on this resolution at its  
32 September 10, 2006 meeting in Ellensburg. The resolution will be forwarded to the  
33 WSDCC at its next meeting on September 29 - 30, 2006 in Tacoma.

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35 The WSDCC passed this resolution at its September 30, 2006 meeting in Tacoma.