The National Council on School Facilities is the nonprofit membership association of state-level facilities officials of U.S. states, territories, and federal agencies. The mission of the Council is to educate, serve, and advocate on behalf of states in their responsibilities for the nation’s public school buildings and grounds.

Whereas: Public trust in school district facilities management requires effective systems for transparency and accountability;

Whereas: The failure to identify inequalities and inefficiencies can lead to waste, fraud, and abuse; and

Whereas: Governing bodies that have standards, internal controls, and oversight of school facilities create better public schools;

Therefore be it resolved that:

The National Council on School Facilities advocates for and supports action at the local, state, and national levels to develop and implement research-based systems and best practices in PK–12 facilities accountability.

Approved by vote of the members of the National Council on School Facilities present on December 6, 2016.

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Mike Rowland, President