

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

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WHEREAS, Our nation has enjoyed an abundance of natural resources throughout its existence; and

WHEREAS, The future well-being of all citizens, particularly that of our young, depends on our ability to better manage our natural resources; and

WHEREAS, The Tennessee PTA recognizes the environment crisis and the need to move from indifference to action which will preserve the interrelationships of living things and the balance of nature; and

WHEREAS, This nation must embark on new ways to develop energy and to conserve present energy resources; therefore be it

RESOLVED, That the Tennessee PTA cooperate with all public bodies and agencies responsible for environmental protection; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Tennessee PTA assist in the education of parents and students by recognizing and participating in energy conservation and recycling programs whenever possible; and be it further

RESOLVED, That the Tennessee PTA support a strong environmental module in each school's curriculum.

Adopted by the 1991 Convention Delegates

Reaffirmed by the 1997 Convention Delegates

Reaffirmed by the Board of Managers – April, 2002