

RESOLUTION NO. 3415

WHEREAS, since the beginning of the 1994-95 school year there has been considerable media attention given to incidences involving students carrying and using weapons in area schools; and

WHEREAS, the use of weapons in and around our schools creates an unnecessary danger to students, faculty, administrators, and the community, and

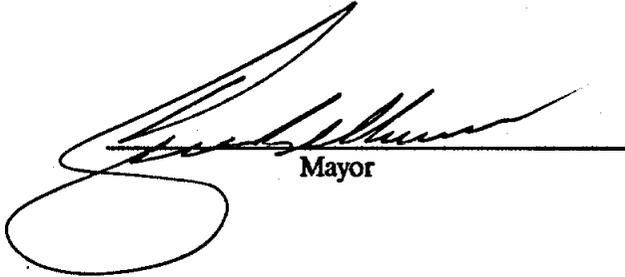
WHEREAS, violence in our schools negatively impacts the community by creating an atmosphere of fear for students and a concern by parents for the safety of their school-aged children; and

WHEREAS, the Greater Albany Public Schools Board of Directors has issued a policy outlining disciplinary actions to be taken when individuals are caught bringing weapons to or around Albany schools; and

WHEREAS, in doing so, the School Board has proclaimed that weapons on school property is unacceptable and will not be tolerated.

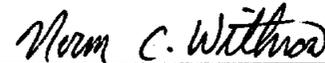
NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Albany City Council that the City of Albany does hereby support the weapons policy approved by the Greater Albany Public Schools Board of Directors and that the Albany Police Department will assist the school district in its efforts to eliminate violence in and around Albany schools.

DATED this 28th day of September, 1994.



Mayor

ATTEST:



Deputy City Recorder

