



## MEMBER LETTER OF COMMITMENT

\_\_\_\_\_ (organization) is committed to being an active member of the Healthy Kids Learn Better Coalition. We are committed to working collectively to promote policies and programs that will reduce physical, social and emotional barriers to learning. We support the Coalition's goal to build funding, leadership and policies on the connections between health and education in order to keep kids safe, healthy and ready to learn. We are committed to the planning and collaboration that the Coalition must undertake and understand it will take time. We acknowledge the contributions and expectations of the other members of the Coalition.

As evidence of our commitment, we agree to do the following:

- Appoint a representative to attend coalition meetings and activities.
- Authorize that representative to vote on coalition questions.
- Read minutes, reports, and communications to stay abreast of Coalition decisions and activities.
- Disseminate relevant information to Coalition members, within our organization, and to our constituents as appropriate.
- Keep the Coalition informed of our organization's related activities.

Benefits of HKLB Membership include:

- Collective impact and influence.
- Alignment of health and education.
- Professional networking and facilitated partnerships among member organizations, including grassroots organizations, local/county governments, non-profits, State agencies and legislative organizations.
- Notification of relevant issues via regular meetings and committee reports.
- Provide essential policy and practice information for individual organization leaders.
- Opportunities for members to connect state-level policy to local practice.
- Provide opportunities to participate in large-scale initiatives
- Impact major systems (e.g., Department of Education) to accomplish our shared goals.

Our organization will commit the following resources to the Coalition (choose at least one):

- A financial commitment of \$\_\_\_\_\_
- In-kind contributions of staff time, materials, equipment, meeting space, refreshments, etc.
- Connections to key organizations and/or leaders, including \_\_\_\_\_.

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Authorized signature

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Printed name of authorized signer

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Signature of representative to the Coalition

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Date