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ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 3—COMMITTEE  
ON NATURAL RESOURCES, AGRICULTURE, AND MINING

(ON BEHALF OF THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSION'S  
COMMITTEE TO STUDY THE DEPOSITS AND  
REFUNDS ON RECYCLED PRODUCTS)

MARCH 15, 2013

Referred to Committee on Natural Resources,  
Agriculture, and Mining

SUMMARY—Expresses support for the educational programs and  
partnerships of the International Environmental  
Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program.  
(BDR R-122)

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EXPLANATION – Matter in *bolded italics* is new; matter between brackets ~~omitted material~~ is material to be omitted.

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ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION—Expressing  
support for the educational programs and partnerships of  
the International Environmental Youth Campaign of the  
America's Schools Program.

- 1 WHEREAS, The mission of the International Environmental  
2 Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program is to help fund  
3 environmental education programs in the K-12 schools in this State  
4 and across the United States through the establishment of  
5 partnerships with businesses, organizations and institutions which  
6 support the development and distribution of a curriculum of  
7 environmental education; and  
8 WHEREAS, In furtherance of its mission, the International  
9 Environmental Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program  
10 has created an educational curriculum to increase the awareness and  
11 understanding of students concerning critical environmental issues,  
12 to promote the environmental responsibility of those students and to  
13 motivate those students to take action at home, at school and in their  
14 community; and  
15 WHEREAS, The International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
16 the America's Schools Program also seeks to educate this nation's



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1 youth concerning the personal actions, public policy initiatives and  
2 available technologies which may reduce the negative effects of  
3 human activities on the environment and which may protect wildlife  
4 and the health of humans now and in the future; and

5 WHEREAS, The International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
6 the America's Schools Program provides information and methods  
7 to this nation's youth to allow them to be agents for environmental  
8 protection and to progress through various activities, including,  
9 without limitation, participation in annual state and national  
10 environmental youth summits, selection as environmental youth  
11 ambassadors from each participating state for domestic and overseas  
12 student exchange programs and engaging in research, creative  
13 design and writing contests that reward learning and promote  
14 responsible actions concerning the environment; and

15 WHEREAS, The educational programs of the International  
16 Environmental Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program  
17 provide knowledge and skills to students to assist those students in  
18 becoming more responsible citizens who have an increased ability to  
19 engage in communication and take action concerning environmental  
20 issues; and

21 WHEREAS, In addition to its mission, the goal of the educational  
22 programs of the International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
23 the America's Schools Program is to teach the youth in this State  
24 and across the United States about environmental conservation and  
25 sustainability; and

26 WHEREAS, The recycling of plastics is a critical component of  
27 environmental conservation and sustainability; and

28 WHEREAS, The International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
29 the America's Schools Program partners with leading recycling  
30 companies that have the technology to recycle plastic waste and  
31 create environmentally safe and useful products; and

32 WHEREAS, The International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
33 the America's Schools Program recognizes the potential of its  
34 partners to increase greatly the recycling of plastic waste in this  
35 State and across the United States; and

36 WHEREAS, The businesses, organizations and institutions that  
37 partner with the International Environmental Youth Campaign of  
38 the America's Schools Program recognize the value and importance  
39 of educating this nation's youth concerning the environment and,  
40 through those partnerships, support the International Environmental  
41 Youth Campaign of the America's School Program and its  
42 educational programs and activities in this State and across the  
43 United States; now, therefore, be it

44 RESOLVED BY THE ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF NEVADA, THE  
45 SENATE CONCURRING, That the members of the 77th Session of the



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1 Nevada Legislature express their support for the International  
2 Environmental Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program  
3 in its efforts to develop and fund environmental education programs  
4 in K-12 schools in this State and across the United States through  
5 the establishment of partnerships with businesses, organizations and  
6 institutions; and be it further

7       RESOLVED, That the Nevada Legislature urges the International  
8 Environmental Youth Campaign of the America's Schools Program  
9 and its partners to continue their efforts to educate and inspire this  
10 nation's youth with respect to environmental issues and personal  
11 environmental responsibility; and be it further

12       RESOLVED, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly prepare and  
13 transmit a copy of this resolution to each member of the Nevada  
14 Congressional Delegation, the Governor of the State of Nevada, the  
15 Superintendent of Public Instruction and each member of the State  
16 Board of Education.

