**Textbook Waiver Application Form**

Due by June 1

**Section I - Identification**
School Corporation Name and Number:
Monroe County Community School Corporation  #5740
315 North Drive, Bloomington, IN 47401

**Contact Person**
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**Section II - Waiver Information**
A textbook waiver is requested in category number 2008 for the course English 12 for grade 12 beginning with the year 2008 and for 6 subsequent years. The Waiver will involve Bloomington High School North and Bloomington High School South.

**Section III - Type of Waiver**
(2) Use of Textbooks not on the official State Adoption List.

**SECTION IV - TEXTBOOK(S) TO BE USED**

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**Section V – Rationale**
The course description for English 12 states that it is “a study of language, literature, composition, and oral communication focusing on an exploration of point of view and perspective across a wide variety of genres. Students use literary interpretation, analysis, comparisons, and evaluation to read and respond to representative works of historical or cultural significance for Grade 12 in classic and contemporary literature balanced with non fiction.” No literature book has been designated by the state that addresses these aspects. English literature is often taught to 12th grade students, but we feel that a more general anthology answers the needs of these students under the guidelines as given. *The Riverside Reader* is an anthology that addresses many contemporary social issues through literature and *Reading and Writing from Literature* lends itself to multiple genres in literature. Both these selections are college texts which will make for our students to receive college credit through Ivy Tech credit via our Early College Program.

**SECTION VI - AUTHORIZATION**
Attach a copy of the local governing body’s approval for this waiver request.

Mr. James Harvey
Superintendent

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Superintendent’s Signature

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Application Date

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Telephone Number