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ALLEGHENY COUNTY SCHOOLS HEALTH INSURANCE CONSORTIUM RESOLUTION NO. 1 - 2023

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE ALLEGHENY COUNTY SCHOOLS HEALTH INSURANCE CONSORTIUM REAPPORTIONING THE FOUR REGIONAL AREAS FOR THE APPOINTMENT OF DISTRICT SUPERINTENDENTS AND SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS AS ADMINISTRATION TRUSTEES.

WHEREAS, the governance of the Allegheny County Schools Health Insurance Consortium ("ACSHIC") is the responsibility of the Board of Trustees ("Board") pursuant to the September 1, 2003 Agreement, as amended effective April 14, 2002 and July 1, 2008 ("Trust Agreement"); and

WHEREAS, Article IV of the Trust Agreement entitled "Trustees" provides that District Superintendent appointments and school board member elections for Administration Trustees are to be based on four regional areas (Northern, Eastern, Southern and Western); and

WHEREAS, Article II of the Trust Agreement entitled "Participating School Entities" sets forth the procedure by which school entities may apply to become a Participating School Entity in ACSHIC; and

WHEREAS, the Trust Agreement does not contain provisions addressing how the four regional areas were originally established, how they are to be reapportioned, or how newly admitted Participating School Entities are to be assigned to a region; and

WHEREAS, Section 5.5 of the Trust Agreement empowers the Trustees to "adopt bylaws, and promulgate any and all necessary rules and regulations, which they deem necessary or desirable to facilitate the proper administration of the Consortium, provided the same are not inconsistent with the terms of this Agreement."; and

WHEREAS, the Board previously assigned new Participating School Entities based on their location relative to the center of Allegheny County; and

WHEREAS, with the admission of a new Participating School Entity and withdrawal of a Participating School Entity effective July 1, 2023, the four regions need to be updated to allow for equal representation as close as reasonably practical for the appointment by District Superintendents and election of the school board members as Administration Trustees; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to formally revise the apportionment of Participating School Entities that participate in the appointment of District Superintendents and the election of school board members as Administration Trustees.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Board of Trustees of the Allegheny County Schools Health Insurance Consortium hereby resolves as follows, incorporating the above recitals by reference: **Section 1.** The four regional areas (Northern, Eastern, Southern and Western) referenced in the Trust Agreement are hereby re-established as stated in the chart attached hereto, made a part hereof, and labeled **Attachment 1**.

Section 2. The four regional areas have been reapportioned so that the current Administrative Trustees appointed by the District Superintendents and elected by the school board members are not automatically disqualified from their respective seats and terms. It is the intent of the Board that the regional areas shall be effective immediately for the filling of any vacancies for the appointment by the District Superintendents and that the regional areas for the election of school board members shall be effective with the nominations and elections that will occur in February and March 2024.

Section 3. The Board directs ACSHIC's consultants to provide a copy of this Resolution to each of the Participating School Entities listed on the chart in Attachment 1.

Section 4. All other resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are hereby repealed to the extent inconsistent herewith.

Section 5. This Resolution shall become effective immediately upon its adoption.

RESOLVED and **ADOPTED** this 20th day of July, 2023, by the Board of Trustees of the Allegheny County Schools Health Insurance Consortium in lawful session duly assembled.

ATTEST:

ALLEGHENY COUNTY SCHOOLS HEALTH **INSURANCE CONSORTIUM**

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By: Walter Michalski, Secretary

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By: L. Douglas McCausland, Chair

Attachment 1 Resolution No. 1-2023 Four Regional Areas

Northern Region

Allegheny Valley School District Ambridge Area School District Avonworth School District Deer Lakes School District Ellwood City School District Fox Chapel Area School District Grove City Area School District Hampton Township School District Highlands School District

Eastern Region

Brownsville Area School District Clarion City School District Connellsville Area School District Duquesne City School District East Allegheny School District Elizabeth Forward School District Frazier School District Gateway School District Hempfield Area School District Laurel Highlands School District

Southern Region

ACLD Tillotson School District Albert Gallatin School District Baldwin-Whitehall School District Bentworth School District Bethel Park School District Bethlehem-Center School District California Area School District Carmichaels Area School District Central Greene School District

Western Region

Avella Area School District Burgettstown Area School District Canon-McMillan School District Carlynton School District Chartiers Houston School District Chartiers Valley School District Cornell School District Fort Cherry School District Keystone Oaks School District McGuffey School District North Hills School District Northgate School District Pine-Richland School District Quaker Valley School District Redbank Valley School District River Valley School District Riverview School District Shaler Area School District Western PA School for the Blind WPIAL

McKeesport School District Penn Hills School District Plum Borough South Allegheny School District Steel Valley School District Uniontown School District West Mifflin School District Wilkinsburg School District Woodland Hills School District

Charleroi School District Jefferson Morgan School District Pace School Peters Township School District Ringgold School District South Park School District Southeastern Greene School District West Greene School District West Jefferson School District

Montour School District Moon School District Mt. Lebanon School District South Fayette School District Sto-Rox School District Trinity Area School District Upper St. Clair School District Washington School District West Allegheny School District