STATE OF ALABAMA

DALE COUNTY

RESOLUTION OF THE DALE COUNTY COMMISSION

BE IT RESOLVED, ORDERED and DECREED by the Dale County Commission (herein called "the Commission") in the State of Alabama as follows:

Section 1. Findings. (a) The Commission hereby finds, determines, and declares that there has been filed with the Commission the following written request from the Daleville City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"):

TO THE DALE COUNTY COMMISSION:

Members of the Commission

We hereby transmit to and file with you the attached copy of a resolution which was duly adopted by the Daleville City Board of Education at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on October 20, 2021. You are hereby requested to call and cause to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the Daleville City School District in Dale County, Alabama, a special election as set forth in the said resolution. The boundaries of the Daleville City School District encompass all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama.

Yours very truly, By: <u>/s/ Lisa Stamps</u> It's Secretary DALEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

There was attached to the said request a certified copy of the following resolution:

RESOLUTION OF THE DALEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Daleville City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. *Findings*. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of 3 mills on each dollar (thirty cents on each one hundred dollars) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Daleville City School District (herein called "the District") and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901.

(b) All of the area lying within the Daleville City School District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has further determined that it is necessary and desirable that the said special 3-mill district tax now being levied in the District be renewed and continued.

Section 2. Petition to County Commission. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the District to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (three mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the District, which District includes all of the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama, for a period of twenty nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the District but to be in continuation of the 3-mill district school tax now levied in the District.

Section 3. Delivery of Request. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution."

(HERE ENDS THE RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION)

(b) The Commission hereby further finds, determines and declares that said petition complies in all respects with the applicable provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 13 of Title 16 of the *Code of Alabama* (1975), and that the findings set out in Section 1 of the resolution adopted by the Board are true and correct.

Section 2. Call of Election. An election shall be and hereby is called to be held in the Daleville City School District in the County (herein called "the District") on January 11, 2022, between the legal hours for holding elections and at the regular voting places in the District, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the District the question of whether the County shall be authorized to renew and continue the annual levy, for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years beginning with the levy for the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year taxes will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), of a special ad valorem tax for public school purposes in the District at the rate of 3 mills on each dollar of the assessed value of the taxable property in said District, being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901; it being intended that the said special tax to be voted on at the said election shall constitute a continuance and renewal of the said tax and shall not constitute an increase in the rate of taxation presently authorized in the District.

Section 3. Voting Places. The said election herein called shall be held and conducted at the regularly established voting places in the Daleville City School District except as to the casting of ballots of absent voters as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. Notice of Election. The sheriff of the County is hereby directed to give notice of said election in the manner prescribed by law, by publication in *The Southern Star*, a newspaper published in the County and having general circulation in the Daleville City School District, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date fixed for said election, the first publication of such notice to be at least thirty days before the date of the said election, and also by posting a written notice of said election at three public areas within the Daleville City School District, each of which shall be posted not less than thirty days prior to the date fixed for said election. The said notice to be so published and posted shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF 3-MILL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX IN THE DALEVILLE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that the County Commission has called and ordered a special election to be held in the Daleville City School District on January 11th 2022, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said district, for their determination by ballot, the question of whether a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 3 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the said school district shall be levied for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year will

become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in continuation of the 3-mill school district tax now being levied in the District.

The boundaries of the Daleville City School District are coterminous with the corporate limits of the City of Daleville.

The said election will be held at the voting places regularly established for Dale County elections in the Daleville City School District between the legal hours for the holding of elections.

Sheriff Dale County, Alabama

Section 5. Form of Ballot. The form of the official ballot to be used at said election shall be substantially the following form, except that there shall appear on the envelope accompanying each ballot for absent voters an affidavit substantially equivalent to the applicable form of affidavit prescribed for absent voters by law:

OFFICIAL BALLOT DALEVILLE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF LEVY OF 3-MILL DALEVILLE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX,

Shall the governing body of Dale County, Alabama, be authorized to levy a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 3 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the Daleville City School District in said County, the area comprising said School District being all of the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama, for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in continuation of the 3-mill school district tax now being levied in the said School District?

()	FOR proposed taxation
()	AGAINST proposed taxation

The voter shall make a cross mark (X) before the proposition that expresses his or her choice.

Section 6. Ballots for Absent Voters. The form of the ballots for absent voters to be cast at the election shall be the same as that provided above except as follows:

(a) In lieu of the words "Official Ballot" at the heading of the ballot there shall be substituted the words "Official Absentee Ballot";

In lieu of the instructions to voters appearing at the end of the Official Ballot there shall (b) be substituted the following:

Instructions to Voters

The voter shall record his or her choice, whether for or against the said special tax, by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his or her choice.

Each absentee ballot shall be accompanied by an envelope on which there shall be printed (c) an affidavit in the form prescribed by law for absent voters for elections held in this state.

Section 7. Conduct of Election. The special election to be held in the District on January 11, 2022, shall be held and the results of such election shall be declared in the same manner and by the same officers as the results of regular elections for county officers, under the general election laws of the state.

Commissioner $(A - \gamma)$ moved that said resolution and order be adopted, which motion was seconded by Commissioner $(A - \gamma)$ and, upon said motion being put to vote, the following vote was recorded:

Commissioners:

YEAS:

NAYS:

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The Chairman thereupon declared that said resolution and order together with the preambles thereto, had been adopted.

RESOLUTION OF THE DALEVILLE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Daleville City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. *Findings*. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of 3 mills on each dollar (thirty cents on each one hundred dollars) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Daleville City School District (herein called "the District") and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901.

(b) All of the area lying within the Daleville City School District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has further determined that it is necessary and desirable that the said special 3-mill district tax now being levied in the District be renewed and continued.

Section 2. Petition to County Commission. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the District to determine whether or not a special district tax of thirty cents on each one hundred dollars (three mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the District, which District includes all of the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Daleville, Alabama, for a period of twenty nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the District but to be in continuation of the 3-mill district school tax now levied in the District.

Section 3. Delivery of Request. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution."

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I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Daleville City Board of Education at its meeting on the 20th day of October, 2021.

By:

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Lisa Stamps Secretary of the Daleville City Board of Education

Exhibit 3

PROCEEDINGS PERTAINING TO THE REQUEST FOR AND CALL OF A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL SCHOOL TAX IN THE DOTHAN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT IN DALE COUNTY (Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

The following resolution and order was introduced in writing by Commissioner

BE IT RESOLVED, ORDERED AND DECREED by the Dale County Commission (herein called "the Commission") as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. (a) The Commission hereby finds, determines and declares that there has been filed with the Commission the following written request from the Dothan City Board of Education:

TO THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA:

We hereby transmit to and file with you the attached copy of a resolution which was duly adopted by the Dothan City Board of Education at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on October 18, 2021. You are hereby requested to call and cause to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Dothan City School District in Dale County, Alabama, a special election as set forth in the said resolution. The boundaries of the Dothan City School District in Dale County encompass all area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Dothan, Alabama, in Dale County.

Yours very truly,

DOTHAN CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

By______/s/ Dennis Coe______ Its Secretary

There was attached to the said request a certified copy of the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Dothan City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (or 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Dothan City School District (herein called "Dothan District" and sometimes referred to as District No. 60) and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Dothan in the County, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the Dothan District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution, and that is being levied pursuant to an election held on January 14, 1992.

(b) All the area lying within the Dothan District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has determined that it is necessary and desirable that the special district tax now being levied in the Dothan District be continued after the expiration of the period for which the said tax is currently authorized to be levied.

Section 2. <u>Petition to County Commission</u>. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the Dale County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Dothan District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the Dothan District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the Dothan District for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the Dothan District but to be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill district school tax now being levied in the Dothan District. Section 3. <u>Delivery of Request</u>. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

(HERE ENDS THE RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION)

(b) The Commission hereby further finds, determines and declares that said petition complies in all respects with the applicable provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 13 of Title 16 of the Code of Alabama 1975, and that the findings set out in Section 1 of the resolution adopted by the Board are true and correct.

Section 2. <u>Call of Election</u>. An election shall be and hereby is called to be held in the Dothan School District in the County (herein called "the District") on January 11, 2022, between the legal hours for holding elections and at the regular voting places in the District, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the District the question of whether the County shall be authorized to renew and continue the annual levy, for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years beginning with the levy for the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year taxes will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), of a special ad valorem tax for public school purposes in the District, being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution; it being intended that the said special tax to be voted on at the said election shall constitute a continuance and renewal of the said tax and shall not constitute an increase in the rate of taxation presently authorized in the District.

Section 3. <u>Voting Places</u>. The said election called shall be held and conducted at the regularly established voting places in the District except as to the casting of ballots of absent voters as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. <u>Notice of Election</u>. The sheriff of the County is hereby directed to give notice of said election in the manner prescribed by law, by publication in *The Southern Star*, a newspaper published in the County and having general circulation in the District, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date fixed for said election, the first publication of such notice to be at least thirty days before the date of the said election, and also by posting a written notice of said election at three public places within the District, each of which shall be posted not less than thirty days prior to the date fixed for said election. The said notice to be so published and posted shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX IN THE DOTHAN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT IN DALE COUNTY

(Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

Notice is hereby given that the Dale County Commission has called and ordered a special election to be held in the Dothan City School District on January 11, 2022, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said district, for their determination by ballot, the question of whether a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the taxable property located within the said school district shall be levied for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill school district tax now being levied in the district.

The boundaries of the Dothan City School District in Dale County are coterminous with the corporate limits of the City of Dothan in Dale County.

The said election will be held at the voting places regularly established for County elections in the Dothan City School District between the legal hours for the holding of elections.

Sheriff of Dale County, Alabama

Section 5. Form of Ballot. The form of official ballot to be used at said election shall be in substantially the following form, except that there shall appear on the envelope accompanying each ballot for absent voters an affidavit substantially equivalent to the applicable form of affidavit prescribed for absent voters by law:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

DOTHAN CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX

(Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

January 11, 2022

Shall the governing body of Dale County, Alabama, be authorized to levy a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the taxable property located within the Dothan City School District in said county, the area comprising the said district being all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Dothan in Dale County, for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill school district tax now being levied in the said school district?

()	FOR proposed taxation
()	AGAINST proposed taxation

The voter shall make a cross mark (X) before the proposition that expresses his or her choice.

Section 6. <u>Ballots for Absent Voters</u>. The form of the ballots for absent voters to be cast at the election shall be the same as that provided above except as follows:

(a) In lieu of the words "Official Ballot" at the heading of the ballot there shall be substituted the words "Official Absentee Ballot";

(b) In lieu of the instructions to voters appearing at the end of the Official Ballot there shall be substituted the following:

Instructions to Voters

The voter shall record his or her choice, whether for or against the said special tax, by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his or her choice.

(c) Each absentee ballot shall be accompanied by an envelope on which there shall be printed an affidavit in the form prescribed by law for absent voters for elections held in this state.

Section 7. <u>Conduct of Election</u>. The special election to be held in the District on January 11, 2022, shall be held and the results of such election shall be declared in the same manner and by the same officers as the results of regular elections for county officers, under the general election laws of the state.

Commissioner Grad ham moved that said resolution and order be adopted, which motion was seconded by Commissioner Asre/ and, upon said motion being put to vote, the following vote was recorded:

Commissioner CArroll Commissioner Grantham Commissioner Gary Commissioner Wilson NAYS: NONE

The chairman thereupon declared that the said motion for the adoption of said resolution and order had been unanimously adopted.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Dothan City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (or 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Dothan City School District (herein called "Dothan District" and sometimes referred to as District No. 60) and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Dothan in the County, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the Dothan District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution, and that is being levied pursuant to an election held on January 14, 1992.

(b) All the area lying within the Dothan District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has determined that it is necessary and desirable that the special district tax now being levied in the Dothan District be continued after the expiration of the period for which the said tax is currently authorized to be levied.

Section 2. <u>Petition to County Commission</u>. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the Dale County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Dothan District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the Dothan District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the Dothan District for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the Dothan District but to be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill district school tax now being levied in the Dothan District.

Section 3. <u>Delivery of Request</u>. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

Approved by the Dothan City Board of Education on October 18, 2021.

Deknis R. Coe, Ed.D. Superintendent

Exhibit 3

PROCEEDINGS PERTAINING TO THE REQUEST FOR AND CALL OF A SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL SCHOOL TAX IN THE ENTERPRISE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT IN DALE COUNTY (Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

The following resolution and order was introduced in writing by Commissioner

McKinson :

BE IT RESOLVED, ORDERED AND DECREED by the Dale County Commission (herein called "the Commission") as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. (a) The Commission hereby finds, determines and declares that there has been filed with the Commission the following written request from the Enterprise City Board of Education:

TO THE COUNTY COMMISSION OF DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA:

We hereby transmit to and file with you the attached copy of a resolution which was duly adopted by the Enterprise City Board of Education at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on $(\underline{Acbec 19}, 2021)$. You are hereby requested to call and cause to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Enterprise City School District in Dale County, Alabama, a special election as set forth in the said resolution. The boundaries of the Enterprise City School District in Dale County encompass all area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Enterprise, Alabama, in Dale County.

Yours very truly,

ENTERPRISE CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

By______/s/ Zel Thomas Its Secretary

There was attached to the said request a certified copy of the following resolution:

BE IT RESOLVED by the Enterprise City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (or 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Enterprise City School District (herein called "Enterprise District" and sometimes referred to as District No. 48) and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Enterprise in the County, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the Enterprise District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution, and that is being levied pursuant to an election held on January 14, 1992.

(b) All the area lying within the Enterprise District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has determined that it is necessary and desirable that the special district tax now being levied in the Enterprise District be continued after the expiration of the period for which the said tax is currently authorized to be levied.

Section 2. <u>Petition to County Commission</u>. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the Dale County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Enterprise District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the Enterprise District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the Enterprise District for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the Enterprise District but to be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill district school tax now being levied in the Enterprise District. Section 3. <u>Delivery of Request</u>. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

(HERE ENDS THE RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION)

(b) The Commission hereby further finds, determines and declares that said petition complies in all respects with the applicable provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 13 of Title 16 of the Code of Alabama 1975, and that the findings set out in Section 1 of the resolution adopted by the Board are true and correct.

Section 2. <u>Call of Election</u>. An election shall be and hereby is called to be held in the Enterprise School District in the County (herein called "the District") on January 11, 2022, between the legal hours for holding elections and at the regular voting places in the District, for the purpose of submitting to the electors of the District the question of whether the County shall be authorized to renew and continue the annual levy, for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years beginning with the levy for the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year taxes will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), of a special ad valorem tax for public school purposes in the District, being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution; it being intended that the said special tax to be voted on at the said election shall constitute a continuance and renewal of the said tax and shall not constitute an increase in the rate of taxation presently authorized in the District.

Section 3. <u>Voting Places</u>. The said election called shall be held and conducted at the regularly established voting places in the District except as to the casting of ballots of absent voters as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. <u>Notice of Election</u>. The sheriff of the County is hereby directed to give notice of said election in the manner prescribed by law, by publication in *The Southern Star*, a newspaper published in the County and having general circulation in the District, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date fixed for said election, the first publication of such notice to be at least thirty days before the date of the said election, and also by posting a written notice of said election at three public places within the District, each of which shall be posted not less than thirty days prior to the date fixed for said election. The said notice to be so published and posted shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX IN THE ENTERPRISE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT IN DALE COUNTY

(Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

Notice is hereby given that the Dale County Commission has called and ordered a special election to be held in the Enterprise City School District on January 11, 2022, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said district, for their determination by ballot, the question of whether a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the taxable property located within the said school district shall be levied for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill school district tax now being levied in the district.

The boundaries of the Enterprise City School District in Dale County are coterminous with the corporate limits of the City of Enterprise in Dale County.

The said election will be held at the voting places regularly established for County elections in the Enterprise City School District between the legal hours for the holding of elections.

Sheriff of Dale County, Alabama

Section 5. <u>Form of Ballot</u>. The form of official ballot to be used at said election shall be in substantially the following form, except that there shall appear on the envelope accompanying each ballot for absent voters an affidavit substantially equivalent to the applicable form of affidavit prescribed for absent voters by law:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

ENTERPRISE CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF THE 4 MILL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX

(Amendment No. 3, Section 2, Constitution of Alabama of 1901)

January 11, 2022

Shall the governing body of Dale County, Alabama, be authorized to levy a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the taxable property located within the Enterprise City School District in said county, the area comprising the said district being all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Enterprise in Dale County, for public school purposes for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill school district tax now being levied in the said school district?

()	FOR proposed taxation
()	AGAINST proposed taxation

The voter shall make a cross mark (X) before the proposition that expresses his or her choice.

Section 6. <u>Ballots for Absent Voters</u>. The form of the ballots for absent voters to be cast at the election shall be the same as that provided above except as follows:

(a) In lieu of the words "Official Ballot" at the heading of the ballot there shall be substituted the words "Official Absentee Ballot";

(b) In lieu of the instructions to voters appearing at the end of the Official Ballot there shall be substituted the following:

Instructions to Voters

The voter shall record his or her choice, whether for or against the said special tax, by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his or her choice.

(c) Each absentee ballot shall be accompanied by an envelope on which there shall be printed an affidavit in the form prescribed by law for absent voters for elections held in this state.

Section 7. <u>Conduct of Election</u>. The special election to be held in the District on January 11, 2022, shall be held and the results of such election shall be declared in the same manner and by the same officers as the results of regular elections for county officers, under the general election laws of the state.

Commissioner $(\sqrt{150})$ moved that said resolution and order be adopted, which motion was seconded by Commissioner $(\sqrt{150})$ and, upon said motion being put to vote, the following vote was recorded:

Commissioner Carroll Commissioner Grantalam Commissioner Grantalam Commissioner Gary Commissioner Wilson

NAYS:

NONE

The chairman thereupon declared that the said motion for the adoption of said resolution and order had been unanimously adopted.

BE IT RESOLVED by the Enterprise City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. <u>Findings</u>. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) Dale County (herein called "the County") is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (or 4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Enterprise City School District (herein called "Enterprise District" and sometimes referred to as District No. 48) and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Enterprise in the County, which special district tax has been authorized by the electors of the Enterprise District to be levied annually until and including the levy for the tax year that will begin October 1, 2021 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2022), being the tax that was originally authorized and provided for in Section 2 of Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901 and the rate of which was heretofore increased pursuant to proceedings taken under the said Constitution, and that is being levied pursuant to an election held on January 14, 1992.

(b) All the area lying within the Enterprise District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has determined that it is necessary and desirable that the special district tax now being levied in the Enterprise District be continued after the expiration of the period for which the said tax is currently authorized to be levied.

Section 2. <u>Petition to County Commission</u>. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the Dale County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11, 2022, in the Enterprise District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (4 mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the Enterprise District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the Enterprise District for a period of twenty-nine (29) consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, not to operate to increase the presently existing 4 mill district school tax in the Enterprise District but to be in renewal and continuation of the 4 mill district school tax now being levied in the Enterprise District.

Section 3. <u>Delivery of Request</u>. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission, accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution is a true and correct copy of the Resolution adopted by the Enterprise City Board of Education at its meeting on the 19th day of October, 2021.

By:

Dr. Zel Thomas Secretary of the Enterprise Qity Board of Education

RESOLUTION OF THE DALE COUNTY COMMISSION

BE IT RESOLVED, ORDERED and DECREED by the Dale County Commission (herein called "the Commission") in the State of Alabama as follows:

Section 1. Findings.

(a) The Commission hereby finds, determines, and declares that there has been filed with the Commission the following written request from the Ozark City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"):

TO COUNTY COMMISSION: We hereby transmit to and file with you the attached copy of a resolution which was duly adopted by the Ozark City Board of Education at a meeting thereof duly convened and held on September 16th, 2021. You are hereby requested to call and cause to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the Ozark City School District in Dale County, Alabama, a special election as set forth in the said resolution. The boundaries of the district in which it is proposed to levy the tax referred to in the said resolution are coterminous with the boundaries of the City of Ozark, Alabama, as set forth in the said resolution.

Yours very truly,

OZARK CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

By Reeivice Girtman

Board Secretary

There was attached to the said request a certified copy of the following resolution:

"STATE OF ALABAMA DALE COUNTY CITY OF OZARK

RESOLUTION OF THE OZARK CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Ozark City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. Findings. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) The County is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of 4 mills on each dollar (forty cents on each one hundred dollars) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Ozark City School District

(herein called "the district") and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Ozark. The said tax was originally authorized to be levied at the rate of three mills on each dollar pursuant to an election held in the District on January 14th, 1992, under Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901; the rate of levy has been increased by proceedings taken by the County Commission under Amendment Nos. 325 and 373 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901.

(b) All of the area lying within the Ozark District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has further determined that it is necessary and desirable that the said special 4-mill district tax now being levied in the district be renewed and continued.

Section 2. Petition to County Commission. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (four mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the District, which District includes all of the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Ozark, Alabama, for a period of 29 consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, to be in continuation of the 4-mill district school tax now levied in the District.

Section 3. Delivery of Request. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution."

(b) The Commission finds, determines, and declares that the said request complies in all material respects with the applicable provisions of Article 9 of Chapter 13 of Title 16 of the Code of Alabama of 1975, and that the findings set out in Section 1 of the resolution adopted by the Board are true and correct.

Section 2. Call of Election.

An election shall be and hereby is called to be held in the Ozark City School District on January 11th, 2022, between the legal hours for the holding of elections, and at the regular voting places in the said district, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of the said district the question of whether a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to four mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the said school district shall be levied for public school purposes for a period of 29 consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in continuation of the 4-mill district tax now being levied in the School District.

Section 3. Voting Places.

The said election herein called shall be held and conducted at the regularly established voting places in the Ozark City School District except as to the casting of ballots of absent voters as hereinafter provided.

Section 4. Notice of Election.

The sheriff of the County is hereby directed to give notice of said election in the manner prescribed by law, by publication in *The Southern Star*, a newspaper published in the County and having general circulation in the Ozark City School District, once a week for four consecutive weeks prior to the date fixed for said election, the first publication of such notice to be at least thirty days before the date of the said election, and also by posting a written notice of said election at three public areas within the School District, each of which shall be posted not less than thirty days prior to the date fixed for said election. The said notice to be so published and posted shall be in substantially the following form:

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF THE LEVY OF FOUR-MILL DISTRICT SCHOOL TAX

Notice is hereby given that the Dale County Commission has called and ordered a special election to be held in the Ozark City School District on January 11th, 2022, at which there will be submitted to the qualified electors of said district, for their determination by ballot, the question of whether a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to four mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the said school district shall be levied for public school purposes for a period of 29 consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in continuation of the 4-mill school district tax now being levied in the District. The boundaries of the said school district are as follows:

All the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Ozark, Alabama

The said election will be held at the voting places regularly established for County elections in the School District between the legal hours for the holding of elections.

Sheriff of Dale County, Alabama

Section 5. Form of Ballot.

The form of the official ballot to be used at said election shall be substantially the following form, except that there shall appear on the envelope accompanying each ballot for absent voters an affidavit substantially equivalent to the applicable form of affidavit prescribed for absent voters by law:

OFFICIAL BALLOT

OZARK CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT

DALE COUNTY, ALABAMA

SPECIAL ELECTION FOR RENEWAL AND CONTINUATION OF LEVY OF FOUR-MILL SCHOOL DISTRICT TAX

Shall the governing body of County, Alabama, be authorized to levy a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (equal to four mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of taxable property located within the School District in said County, the area comprising said School District being the entire corporate limits of the City of Ozark, Alabama, for public school purposes for a period of 29 consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023), which levy shall be in continuation of the four-mill school district tax now being levied in the said School District?

____FOR proposed taxation

____AGAINST proposed taxation

The voter shall make a mark (X) before the proposition that expresses his or her choice.

Section 6. <u>Ballots for Absent Voters</u>. The form of the ballots for absent voters to be cast at the election shall be the same as that provided above except as follows:

- (a) In lieu of the words "Official Ballot" at the heading of the ballot there shall be substituted the words "Official Absentee Ballot";
- (b) In lieu of the instructions to voters appearing at the end of the Official Ballot there shall be substituted the following:

Instructions to Voters

The voter shall record his or her choice, whether for or against the said special tax, by placing a cross mark before or after the words expressing his or her choice.

(c) Each absentee ballot shall be accompanied by an envelope on which there shall be printed an affidavit in the form prescribed by law for absent voters for elections held in this state.

Section 7. <u>Election Officers</u>. The special election to be held in the County on January 11, 2022, shall be held and the results of such election shall be declared in the same manner and by the same officers as the results of regular elections for county officers, under the general election laws of the state.

Commissioner	moved that said	resolution and order be adopted, which
motion was seconded by Commissioner	GARY	and, upon said motion being put to
vote, the following vote was recorded:		

Commissioners:

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NONE	
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	NAYS:

The chairman thereupon declared that the said resolution and order, together with the preambles thereto, had been adopted.

RESOLUTION OF THE OZARK CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

BE IT RESOLVED by the Ozark City Board of Education (herein called "the Board"), in the State of Alabama, as follows:

Section 1. Findings. Preliminary to the adoption of this resolution, the Board has caused an investigation to be made of the facts set out in the following statements and, on the basis thereof, the Board has found and does hereby declare as follows:

(a) The County is currently levying a special district tax for public school purposes at the rate of 4 mills on each dollar (forty cents on each one hundred dollars) of the assessed value of taxable property in the special school district in the County known as the Ozark City School District (herein called "the district") and consisting of all the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Ozark. The said tax was originally authorized to be levied at the rate of three mills on each dollar pursuant to an election held in the District on January 14th, 1992, under Amendment No. 3 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901; the rate of levy has been increased by proceedings taken by the County Commission under Amendment Nos. 325 and 373 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901.

(b) All of the area lying within the Ozark District is subject to the jurisdiction and control of the Board.

(c) The Board has further determined that it is necessary and desirable that the said special 4-mill district tax now being levied in the district be renewed and continued.

Section 2. Petition to County Commission. The Board does hereby respectfully petition and request the County Commission to call an election to be held on January 11th, 2022, in the District to determine whether or not a special district tax of forty cents on each one hundred dollars (four mills on each dollar) of the assessed value of the property subject to taxation in the District shall be levied annually for public school purposes within the District, which District includes all of the area lying within the corporate limits of the City of Ozark, Alabama, for a period of 29 consecutive years commencing with the tax year that will begin on October 1, 2022 (for which first tax year the tax will become due and payable on October 1, 2023); the said levy, if authorized, to be in continuation of the 4-mill district school tax now levied in the District.

Section 3. Delivery of Request. The Secretary of the Board shall be and hereby is directed and instructed to prepare and deliver a certified copy of this resolution to the Dale County Commission accompanied by a written request that the said County Commission call the aforesaid election pursuant to the provisions of this resolution.

Exhibit 3

The above Resolution was duly and unanimously adopted at a regular meeting of the Ozark City School Board on September 16th, 2021.

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/ Chairman OCBE

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Secretary

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