Council Rock School District Resolution Limiting Tax Increase to Act 1 Index

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors of the Council Rock School District has determined that there will be no increase in the rate of any tax for the support of its public schools for the 2023-2024 fiscal year by more than the Index established by the Department of Education (Department) for the District;

WHEREAS, the Index for the next fiscal year applicable to the District is 4.1%;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors of the Council Rock School District does hereby certify that the District will comply with the procedures as set forth in Section 687 of the Public School Code as it relates to the annual budget for the adoption of its proposed and final budgets;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors certifies that increasing any tax at a rate less than or equal to the established index will be sufficient to balance its final budget;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors certify that the District will submit information on a proposed increase in the rate of a tax levied for the support of the public schools to the Department on a uniform form prepared by the Department no later than five (5) days after the adoption of this resolution;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors certify that a copy of this resolution adopted pursuant to Section 311 of the Taxpayer Relief Act of Special Session No. 1 of 2006 will be sent to the Department no later than five (5) days after the adoption of this resolution;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors recognize that the District shall not be eligible to seek referendum exceptions under Section 333 (f) of the Taxpayer Relief Act; and,

WHEREAS, the Board of School Directors recognize that the Department shall compare the proposed percentage increase in the rate of the tax with the index; within ten (10) days of the receipt of the information as required, the Department shall inform the District whether the proposed tax rate increase is less than or equal to the index.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Board of School Directors of the Council Rock School District, as follows:

The Board of School Directors adopts this RESOLUTION on the 19th day of January, 2023 indicating that it will not raise the rate of any tax for the support of its public schools for the 2023-2024 fiscal year by more than the index established by the Department of Education for the District of 4.1%.

DULY ADOPTED, by the Board of School Directors of the Council Rock School District, this 19th day of January, 2023.

Council Rock School District

Newtown, Pennsylvania

Edward Salamon Board President

ATTEST:

Donna Heverly, Board Secretary

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