## Morrow County School District Board of Education Resolution No. 2023-24-13

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A FIFTEEN PERCENT (15%) SCHOOL SUPPORT FEE WITH THE COLUMBIA RIVER ENTERPRISE ZONE AND THE MORROW COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT EFFECTIVE APRIL 1, 2024.

WHEREAS, the Board of County Commissioners of Morrow County and the Board of Commissioners of the Port of Morrow are co-sponsors of the Columbia River Enterprise Zone ("EZ") and together make up the governing body of the EZ; and

WHEREAS, HB 2009 (2023) was passed in 2023 and became part of ORS 285C.067; and

WHEREAS, HB 2009 (2023) requires the governing body of each school district along with the governing body of the zone sponsor to set a rate for the school support fee imposed pursuant to Sections 48 (2) and 51 (2) of HB 2009 (2023); and

WHEREAS, said rate must be no less than 15 percent and not more than 30 percent; and

WHEREAS, the Morrow County School District ("district") is located within the EZ and has coordinated with the EZ to set the rate; and

WHEREAS, by November 1 in any applicable year, the EZ, through the County Assessor's office, will provide the district with all information necessary for the district to collect the fee directly from any business firm approved by the EZ and acknowledged by Business Oregon on or after the effective date of this Resolution; and

WHEREAS, by December 1 in any applicable year, the district shall send to the business firm a notice of the required fee, with a due date not later than December 31 of the same year; and

WHEREAS, the district shall be responsible for making refunds to business firms of overpayments; and

WHEREAS, if a fee payment is delinquent for more than 60 days following the date of delinquency or any later date allowed for curing the delinquency, the Board shall give written notice of the delinquency to the business firm and the assessor of Morrow County.

NOW, THEREFORE, RESOLVED

- 1. The Morrow County School District Board and the Columbia River Enterprise Zone establish the rate of the School Support Fee of fifteen percent (15%).
- 2. Effective Date: This Resolution is effective April 1, 2024.

Morrow County School District

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Matt Combe, Superintendent

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