BEFORE THE GOVERNING BOARD OF THE
JEFFERSON ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT
COUNTY OF SAN JOAQUIN
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

RESOLUTION TO EMPLOY CALPERS RETIREE PUSUANT TO GOVERNMENT CODE SECTIONS 7522.56 & 21229

RESOLUTION NO. 2022-06-03

WHEREAS, in compliance with Government Code section 7522.56 the Jefferson Elementary Board of Trustees must provide CalPERS this certification resolution when hiring a retiree before 180 days has passed since his or her retirement date; and

WHEREAS, Dena Whittington, CalPERS ID 5044882180, retired from Jefferson Elementary School District in the position of Chief Business Officer (CBO), effective March 1, 2022; and

WHEREAS, section 7522.56 requires that post-retirement employment commence no earlier than 180 days after the retirement date, which is August 29, 2022, without this certification resolution; and

WHEREAS, section 7522.56 provides that this exception to the 180-day wait period shall not apply if the retiree accepts any retirement-related incentive; and

WHEREAS, the Jefferson Elementary Board of Trustees, the Jefferson Elementary School District, and Dena Whittington certify that Dena Whittington has not and will not receive a Golden Handshake or any other retirement-related incentive; and

WHEREAS, the Jefferson Elementary Board of Trustees hereby appoints Dena Whittington as an extra help retired annuitant to perform the duties of the Chief Business Officer for the Jefferson Elementary School District under Government Code section 21229 effective July 1, 2022; and

WHEREAS, no matters, issues, terms or conditions related to this employment and appointment have been or will be placed on a consent calendar; and

WHEREAS, the employment shall be limited to 960 hours per fiscal year for all CalPERS employees, and

WHEREAS, the compensation paid to retirees cannot be less that the minimum nor exceed the maximum monthly base salary paid to other employees performing comparable duties, divided by 173.333 to equal the hourly rate; and

WHEREAS, the maximum base salary for this position is $11,952.50 and the hourly equivalent is $68.96, and the minimum base salary for this position is $10,619.25 and the hourly equivalent is $61.27; and

WHEREAS, the hourly rate paid to Dena Whittington will be $68.96; and

WHEREAS, Dena Whittington has not and will not receive any other benefit, incentive, compensation in lieu of benefit or other form of compensation in addition to this hourly pay rate; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT the Jefferson Elementary Board of Trustees hereby certifies the nature of the appointment of Dena Whittington as described herein and detailed in the attached employment contract document and that this appointment is necessary to fill the critically needed position of Chief Business Officer for the Jefferson Elementary School District by July 1, 2022, because of the highly technical and specialized skill set and experience required to perform this position, and because the employee hired to assume this position will require the specialized support and training of Dena Whittington to ensure the district is in compliance with all federal and state regulations and procedures related to the financial management of public school districts.

PASSED AND ADOPTED by the Governing Board of the Jefferson Elementary School District this 14th day of June, 2022 by the following vote:

AYES:

NOES:

ABSENT:

ABSTAIN:

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Phil Raya
President, Board of Trustees
Jefferson Elementary School District

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Brian Jackman
Vice President, Board of Trustees
Jefferson Elementary School District