

RESOLUTION OF THE TOWN OF WARREN IN SUPPORT OF LEGISLATION AUTHORIZING FINANCING FOR SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION AND/OR RENOVATION

WHEREAS: The Joint Finance Committee and the School Committee of the Bristol-Warren Regional School District have approved the introduction and enactment of legislation in the Rhode Island General Assembly, January Session, A.D. 2023 to authorize the Bristol Warren Regional School District to finance the construction and/or renovation of a new high school to be located within the District, and improvements, renovations, alterations, furnishing and equipping the following existing District Schools: Mt. Hope High School, Kickemuit Middle School, Colt Andrews Elementary School, Guiteras Elementary School, Hugh Cole Elementary School and Rockwell Elementary School, and all expenses incident thereto including without limitation, engineering, surveying, architectural and professional fees and expenses, landscaping, parking, playgrounds, athletic fields, and the cost of issuance of bonds and notes (the "Project"); and

WHEREAS: in order to undertake all or a portion of the Project, the District will finance the costs and expenses of the Project in one or more Bonds, or Notes in anticipation thereof, in an amount not to exceed Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000).

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Council of the Town of Warren strongly encourages the General Assembly to approve the legislation proposed in order to authorize financing of the Project, which will be subject to a referendum within the member towns of Warren and Bristol in accordance with Section V (10) of Public Law 1991, Chapter 330 – An Act Authorizing the Towns of Bristol and Warren Rhode Island to Establish a Regional School District.

Passed as a resolution of the Town of Warren, Warren Council this 30th day of May 2023.

John W. Hanley, President

Town of Warren, Town Council

Sandrea J. Speroni, Town Clerk

TOWN COUNCIL

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