AUTHORIZING EXPENDITURES FROM REVENUES COLLECTED FROM THE EDUCATION CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS SALES AND USE TAX

Policy Reference: Board Governance: "OE-6 - Financial Administration," p. 32.

Board Governance: "OE-7 - Asset Protection," p. 34.

Background Information:

The Education Capital Improvement Sales and Use Act approved on November 4, 2008 authorizes the school district to utilize the sales tax revenue to pay debt service on bonds to be issued, to pay debt service on bonds previously issued, and directly pay costs of projects authorized in the referendum question.

Purpose:

The Burr Forman Firm has prepared the enclosed Resolution to authorize the direct expenditure of approved capital improvement projects including classroom & instructional technology and the Short-term Facilities Plan.

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Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Board authorizes the expenditure of not to exceed \$36,200,000 from Sales Tax Revenues for the direct payment of costs for Approved Projects including classroom & instructional technology and the Short-term Facilities Plan.

Estimated Project Cost:

The cost is expected to be approximately \$36,200,000

Recurring X (over life of sales tax) Non-recurring

Funding Sources: Debt Service