AN ORDINANCE AMENDING CHAPTER 3, ARTICLE 1, SECTION 3-1.4 ENTITLED "COMPENSATION AND BENEFITS FOR SUPERINTENDENT; WHEN RENEGOTIATION OF SUPERINTENDENT'S CONTRACT NOT PERMITTED; NOTICE REQUIREMENT; SEVERANCE BENEFITS" OF THE POLICIES OF THE SUFFOLK CITY SCHOOL BOARD - SECOND READING

BE IT ORDAINED, by the School Board of the City of Suffolk, Virginia that Chapter 3, Article 1, Section 3-1.4 entitled "Compensation and benefits for superintendent; when renegotiation of superintendent's contract not permitted; notice requirement; severance benefits" of the Policies of the Suffolk City School Board, be, and the same is hereby amended as follows:

Section 3-1.4. Compensation and benefits for superintendent; when renegotiation of superintendent's contract not permitted; notice requirement; severance benefits. — A. The superintendent's contract shall be negotiated as provided by law and local School Board policy. The contract shall also set forth the superintendent's compensation and benefit package.

- B. The School Board shall not renegotiate a superintendent's contract during the period following the election or appointment of new members to the School Board and the date such members are qualified and assume office.
- C. When the superintendent's contract is being renegotiated, each member of the School Board will be notified at least 30 days in advance of any meeting at which a vote is planned on the renegotiated contract unless the members agree unanimously to take the vote without the 30-day notice. Each member's vote on the renegotiated contract will be recorded in the minutes of the meeting.
- D. <u>Any severance benefits provided to a departing superintendent will be publicly announced prior to the superintendent's departure</u>. (Adopted June 8, 1995; Revised: July 10, 2003; Ordinance Number 02/03-24; Effective: July 1, 2004; Revised: July 12, 2018; Ordinance Number: 18/19-5; Effective: July 12, 2018)

**Legal Authority -** Virginia Code §§ 2.2-3705.1, 22.1-60, and 15.2-1510.1.

**BE IT FURTHER ORDAINED** that all phrases, clauses, sentences, paragraphs, subsections, sections and chapters of the School Board's Policy Manual not amended or repealed shall remain in full force and effect.

FIRST READING:	August 15, 2024
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Approved as to form and content:

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