A RESOLUTION OF THE SCHOOL BOARD FOR THE CITY OF SUFFOLK, VIRGINIA GRANTING THE SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT THE AUTHORITY TO OBLIGATE BY ENCUMBRANCE ANY REMAINING APPROPRIATED FUNDS BEFORE THE END OF THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR [JUNE 30, 2024] FOR CERTAIN DESIGNATED REPAIRS AND/OR PURCHASING NEEDS OF SUFFOLK PUBLIC SCHOOLS

WHEREAS, pursuant to Virginia Code §22.1-89 (1950), as amended, local school boards manage and control funds made available to the school board for public schools and may incur costs and expenses; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Virginia Code §22.1-100 (1950), as amended, all sums of monies derived from local funds unexpended in any year shall remain a part of the funds of the governing body appropriating the funds; and

WHEREAS, the final date for a local school board to expend unencumbered funds appropriated by the local governing body for fiscal year 2023-2024 before such funds revert to the local governing body is June 30, 2024; and

WHEREAS, there are certain repairs and/or purchasing needs of Suffolk Public Schools that will require the expenditure of funds that must be made prior to June 30, 2024, to wit;

Eight (8) 65 Passenger buses to replace half of the 16 2004/2005 buses that are aging out; and

Fifteen (15) White Fleet vehicles that are 20 years old or older to replace the following:

2003 Truck, Chevrolet

2003 Truck, GMC

2003 Van, GMC Extended

2003 Van, Ford Cargo Extended

2003 Van, GMC 2500 Extended

2004 SUV, Ford

2004 Truck, Chevrolet 2500

2004 Truck, Ford 350

2004 Van, Ford 350 Extended

2004 Van, Ford E350 Extended

2004 Van, Ford E350 Extended

2004 Van, Chevrolet Ventura Extended

2005 Automobile, Ford Focus

2005 Automobile, Ford Focus

2005 Van, GMC Extended

One White fleet Van additional vehicle for Audio visual technician to use for hauling equipment

Two (2) single man mini scissor lifts 19ft

Replacement of playground for Creekside Elementary School (next in rotation)

Professional Painting of Elephant's Fork Elementary interior

Teacher Replacement desks 100 units

Student project learning desks and chairs for Creekside Elementary (next in rotation) 850 units each

Replacement Copiers 7+ years old up to 10 units

Replacement for regular student desks that are broken 100 units; and

WHEREAS, the School Superintendent should be granted the authority to obligate by encumbrance any remaining appropriated funds before the end of the current fiscal year [June 30, 2024] for the aforementioned repairs and/or purchases.

BE IT THEREFORE RESOLVED, the School Superintendent is hereby granted the authority to obligate by encumbrance any remaining appropriated funds before the end of the current fiscal year [June 30, 2024] for the following repairs and/or purchases set forth herein.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that at the School Board's regularly scheduled meeting of September 12, 2024 the School Superintendent shall report to the School Board all end of the year expenditures made pursuant to this grant of authority.

Adopted this day of May, 202	4.	
ATTEST:		
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Approved as to both form and content:		
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