

**A RESOLUTION REGARDING
COVINGTON INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FOR CONTINUED ENGAGEMENT IN “COVINGTON RECREATION COMMITTEE”**

WHEREAS, COVINGTON INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT (hereinafter the “School District”) is a state school district organized pursuant to the Kentucky Constitution and is governed by the Covington Independent Public School District Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, THE CITY OF COVINGTON (hereinafter the “City”) is a city of the second class in the Commonwealth of Kentucky; and

WHEREAS, the City and School District have recognized and determined that it is in their mutual interests to collaborate regarding providing and improving community-based recreation programming and opportunities across the city.

WHEREAS, the Board approved and adopted a prior resolution on or about June 26, 2025. This resolution shall supersede the prior resolution and become controlling as it identifies and names the appointed members to serve on the Covington Recreation Committee.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of each party’s shared desires and undertakings herein, and other good and valuable considerations, the School District agrees as follows:

1. The following six members are hereby appointed by the Covington Board of Education to serve on the Covington Recreation Committee for one-year terms beginning July 1, 2026 and ending June 30, 2027: Bradie Bowen, Jacob Counts, David Reeves, Jameela Salaah, Colton Shrader and Stacie Strotman.

2. In addition to the selected six members referenced above, Covington Board of Education Member Kareem Simpson shall continue to serve as Co-Chairperson and provide leadership and direction to the Committee.

3. To provide essential guidance and administrative assistance, the following School District staff shall serve on the Committee in a non-voting ex-officio role:

- a. Superintendent or their designee – to offer insights on the current recreation strategy and direct further assistance from Covington Independent Public Schools staff.
- b. Athletic Director – to offer insights on the current recreation strategy and direct further assistance from Covington Independent Public Schools staff.
- c. Director of Community & Family Engagement – to offer insights on the current recreation strategy and direct further assistance from Covington Independent Public Schools staff.

4. To provide insights into the School District's priorities, duties and priorities, the following members of the Covington Board of Education may serve on the Committee in a non-voting ex-officio role if they choose:

- a. Chair Tom Haggard
- b. Vice Chair Stephen Gastright
- c. Member Hannah Edelen
- d. Member Michelle Williams

5. This Resolution shall be in effect from July 1, 2026 until June 30, 2027 and supersedes and modifies and effectively repeals the end date identified in prior Resolution adopted on June 26, 2025.

6. Should any portion of this Resolution be found invalid for any reason, such holding shall not be construed as affecting the validity of the remaining portions of this Resolution.

7. The Resolution shall be in full force and effect upon signatures and recordation.

COVINGTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

BY: _____
Chair

Date: _____