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**Resolution Agreement
Jackson County School District
OCR Docket Number 04-16-1574**

The Jackson County School District (District) voluntarily submits this Resolution Agreement (Agreement) to the U.S. Department of Education, Office for Civil Rights (OCR), to resolve the above-referenced complaint that was filed against the Jackson County High School (School) pursuant to Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 (Section 504), as amended, 29 U.S.C. § 794, and its implementing regulation, 34 C.F.R. Part 104, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability by recipients of Federal financial assistance (FFA) from the Department and Title II of the Americans with Disabilities Act of 1990 (Title II), 42 U.S.C. §§ 12131 *et seq.*, and its implementing regulation, 28 C.F.R. Part 35, which prohibit discrimination on the basis of disability by public entities.

Prior to the completion of OCR's investigation, the District agreed to resolve the issues of this investigation pursuant to Section 302 of OCR's Case Processing Manual (CPM). Accordingly, to ensure compliance with Section 504 and Title II and their implementing regulations and to resolve the issues of this investigation, the District voluntarily agrees to take the following actions.

1. By **March 1, 2017**, the District will submit documentation detailing how it plans to make sure the band does not block or obstruct the accessible parking spaces and the accessible route near the gym, thereby ensuring the accessible parking and accessible route are readily available to the mobility impaired. The plan should include photographs, diagrams, schematics of changes and measurements

Reporting requirement:

By **March 15, 2017**, the District will submit the plan to OCR for review and approval.

2. Within 15 days of approval by OCR, the District will implement the approved plans and will provide OCR with documentation confirming the implementation of the above referenced corrective action.

The District understands that by signing this Agreement, it agrees to provide data and other information in a timely manner in accordance with the reporting requirements of this agreement. Further, the District understands that during the monitoring of this Agreement, if necessary, OCR may visit the District, interview staff and students, and request such additional reports or data as are necessary for OCR to determine whether the District has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement and is in compliance with the regulations implementing Section 504 and its

implementing regulation at 34 C.F.R. § 104.21 and Title II and its implementing regulation at 28 C.F.R. § 35.149.

The District understands that OCR will not close the monitoring of this Agreement until OCR determines that it has fulfilled the terms of this Agreement and is in compliance with the regulations implementing of Section 504 and its implementing regulation at 34 C.F.R. § 104.21 and Title II and its implementing regulation at 28 C.F.R. § 35.149.

This Agreement will become effective immediately upon the signature of the District's representative below.

/s/

Superintendent
or Designee

Date