

SARASOTA COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD EMERGENCY RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, a state-wide catastrophe, commonly known as "Hurricane Ian", has adversely affected the educational programs, facilities and infrastructure of the Sarasota County School District; and

WHEREAS, the School Board of Sarasota County, Florida (hereinafter the "School Board") wishes to move with all deliberate speed to protect, secure and if necessary, reestablish and rebuild all adversely affected educational programs, facilities and infrastructure; and

WHEREAS, the School Board wishes to empower its Superintendent with all appropriate rights and powers necessary in order to expeditiously achieve those ends;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

1. The School Board finds that the after effects of Hurricane Ian comprise an emergency within the meaning of § 255.0525, Florida Statutes. The resulting storm damage is an immediate danger to the public health and safety, presenting a significant loss of public property and an interruption in the delivery of essential education programs and services.

2. Pursuant to § 252.46, Florida Statutes (2022), Executive Order Number _____ and any other applicable laws, rules or orders, the School Board hereby grants the Superintendent the authority to act on its behalf to do any and all things necessary to provide for the fulfillment of the legal responsibility of the School Board for the education of students in Sarasota County to protect, secure and if necessary, reestablish educational programs and to rebuild the educational facilities and infrastructure without the need of formal resolution and without the need of formal School Board action or quorum.

3. The Superintendent and, if necessary the Chair, are empowered to do any and all things necessary to achieve those ends pursuant to the aforementioned Statutes and Executive Orders and pursuant to § 255.0525(2), § 1013.50 and § 1010.04, Florida Statutes (2022), including but not limited

to, the execution of any and all agreements, leases, conveyances, applications and any other documents whatsoever.

4. The School Board hereby ratifies and shall ratify any of the Superintendent's actions or decisions arising from Hurricane Ian pursuant to this Resolution at the next duly held School Board meeting.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Emergency Resolution for the purpose herein expressed this _____ day of October, 2022.

ATTEST:

**THE SCHOOL BOARD OF SARASOTA
COUNTY, FLORIDA**

By: _____
Brennan Asplen, Superintendent

By: _____
Jane Goodwin, Chair

Approved as to Form and Legal Content
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