

REGULAR TEACHER CONTRACT

Prescribed pursuant to Ind. Code 20-28-6-3 as the regular and uniform contract

for the employment of teachers pursuant to Ind. Code 20-28-6-4(b)

This regular teacher contract ("Contract") is by and between the governing body of the LOGOOTEETEE COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION ("Corporation") and CHIP A MEHAFFEY ("Teacher"). CHIP A MEHAFFEY is a teacher as defined in Ind. Code 20-18-2-22.

In exchange for the Teacher's services described below, the Corporation and the Teacher agree that:

1. The Teacher shall teach in the schools of the Corporation for the school term, beginning JULY 1, 2016 and ending on JUNE 30, 2019 Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(a)(3)(A)
2. The school term described in paragraph 1 immediately above for services under this Contract consists of 260.00 days. Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(a)(3)(B)
3. Unless governed by an existing collective bargaining agreement, or as discussed pursuant to Ind. Code 20-29-6-7, the number of hours per day the Teacher is expected to work under this Contract is 7.50. Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(a)(3)(E)
4. The Corporation shall pay the Teacher for services under this Contract the total salary of \$100,000.00 during the school year. Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(a)(3)(C)
5. The Corporation shall pay this amount in 26.0 installments on a biweekly basis. Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(a)(3)(D) Ind. Code 20-28-6-5(1)
6. This Contract may be cancelled during its term for any of the grounds set forth in Ind. Code 20-28-7.5-1(b) pursuant to the procedures set forth in Ind. Code 20-28-7.5-2 and Ind. Code 20-28-7.5-3.
7. This Contract is a public record pursuant to Ind. Code 20-28-6-2(d) and Ind. Code 5-14-3.

Agreed this 16TH day of MAY, 2016.

Teacher

Chip MehaFFEY

Attested:

Jean L. Keller
Superintendent

School Corporation by:

[Signature]
President

[Signature]
Secretary

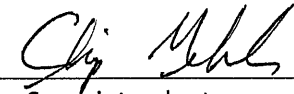
This addendum becomes a part of the contract of Chip Mehaffey for the period from July 1, 2016, through June 30, 2019, when attached hereto.


IN WITNESS WHEREOF the Superintendent and Employer have executed this agreement this 16th day of May, 2016.

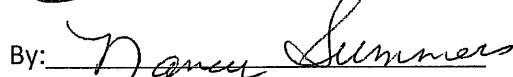
SCHOOL:
Loogootee Community School Corporation

SUPERINTENDENT

By: 
Board President

By: 
Superintendent

By: 
Board Vice-President

By: 
Board Secretary

By: 
Board Member

By: 
Board Member

**ADDENDUM TO THE TEACHER'S CONTRACT
BETWEEN
Chip Mehaffey
AND THE
BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES
OF THE
LOGOOTEЕ COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION
OF MARTIN COUNTY, INDIANA**

This Addendum to the Teacher's Contract, made and entered into this 16th day of May, 2016, between the Board of School Trustees of the Loogootee Community School Corporation of Martin County, Indiana, hereinafter referred to as "DISTRICT" and Chip Mehaffey, hereinafter referred to as "SUPERINTENDENT." The term "school" as used in this Contract shall refer to facilities operated by the Loogootee Community School Corporation. The term "Board" as used in this Contract shall mean the Board of School Trustees of the Loogootee Community School Corporation. The DISTRICT and SUPERINTENDENT for the consideration herein specified agree as follows:

1. TERM

DISTRICT hereby employs, and SUPERINTENDENT hereby accepts employment as Superintendent of Schools for a term commencing July 1, 2016 and ending June 30, 2019.

2. PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION and RESPONSIBILITIES

- a. CERTIFICATION. SUPERINTENDENT shall hold a valid Administration and Supervision-Superintendent certificate issued by the state of Indiana or be eligible for a temporary superintendent's license.
- b. DUTIES. SUPERINTENDENT shall have charge of the administration of the schools under the direction of the Board, and shall be the chief executive officer of the DISTRICT; shall direct and assign teachers and other employees of the schools under his staff, including instruction and business affairs, as best serves the DISTRICT, subject to the approval of the Board; shall select all personnel, subject to the approval of the Board; shall from time to time suggest regulations, rules, and procedures deemed necessary for the well ordering of the district, and in general perform all duties incident to the office of the Superintendent and such other duties as may be prescribed by the Board from time to time. The Board shall be entitled to require attendance of SUPERINTENDENT at any Board or committee meeting, and SUPERINTENDENT shall have the right to attend and provide administrative recommendations at any Board or committee meeting provided, however, that the Board shall be entitled to exclude the SUPERINTENDENT from any executive session.
- c. OUTSIDE ACTIVITIES. SUPERINTENDENT shall devote his full time, attention, and energy to the business of the DISTRICT. However, SUPERINTENDENT may engage in non-school educational activities that are of a short-term duration with prior approval of the Board. He may choose to use vacation days or personal days to perform outside activities, with honoraria paid the SUPERINTENDENT in connection with these activities to be retained by him.
- d. Superintendent is expected to work as many additional hours/days as needed before school, after school, during extra activities, and as issues arise.

3. PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

DISTRICT encourages the continuing professional development of SUPERINTENDENT through his participation in the following:

- a. The operations, programs, and other activities conducted or sponsored by local, state, and national administrator and school board associations;
- b. Seminars and courses offered by public or private educational institutions;
- c. Informational meetings with other persons whose particular skills or backgrounds would serve to improve the capacity of SUPERINTENDENT to perform his professional responsibilities to DISTRICT; and
- d. Advisory committees to the Indiana Department of Education.

DISTRICT may allow reasonable time for SUPERINTENDENT to attend the described functions and pay such necessary registration, fees for travel, and subsistence expenses, as approved by the Board.

4. EVALUATION OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

The Board will review the Superintendent's performance no less than annually for each contracted year. The Superintendent will not receive any performance-related compensation for the following year if his performance is designated as "improvement necessary" or "ineffective."

5. COMPENSATION

SALARY. DISTRICT shall pay SUPERINTENDENT at an annual salary rate of \$100,000. This annual salary rate shall be paid to SUPERINTENDENT in installments in accordance with the schedule of salary payments in effect for other certified school employees.

The Superintendent will be eligible for a stipend amount equal to the increase in compensation for the top of the scale teachers for that school year. This stipend will only be paid if the teachers receive performance compensation or an increase/stipend for that year. This stipend will be based upon two factors: 75% on the Superintendent's performance rating and 25% for the additional year of experience. The Superintendent will not receive a stipend if his performance is designated as "improvement necessary" or "ineffective." This stipend will take effect for the 2017-18 school year and beyond.

6. VACATION AND OTHER BENEFITS

SUPERINTENDENT shall be entitled to all the fringe benefits applicable to certified school employees as defined in the Master Bargaining Agreement, including but not limited to, benefits and leaves, any other forms of insurance protection, in effect on July 1, 2016, and said fringe benefits for SUPERINTENDENT shall not be decreased during the term of this contract unless by mutual agreement between the SUPERINTENDENT and the Board, with the following exceptions:

- a. DISTRICT shall provide SUPERINTENDENT \$120,000 group term life insurance at standard insurable rates.
- b. DISTRICT shall grant SUPERINTENDENT twenty (20) days of vacation time each contract year. Vacation days not used may be carried over to the next year and accrued to a maximum of 30 days. When Superintendent leaves corporation,

accrued vacation days up to 30 days shall be paid at \$70.00 per day. These vacation days shall be in addition to the following paid holidays: New Year's Day, New Year's Eve, Memorial Day, Independence Day, Labor Day, Thanksgiving Day, day before and day after Thanksgiving, and Christmas Eve, and Christmas Day.

SUPERINTENDENT is expected to work from Monday through Friday each week, fifty-two (52) weeks (260 days) per contract year. SUPERINTENDENT shall select which work days shall be used for holiday or vacation pay purposes, up to a combined total number of days stated above.

- c. SUPERINTENDENT shall be entitled to participate in the certificated employee sick leave bank.
- d. DISTRICT shall pay dues for membership of the SUPERINTENDENT in professional educational organizations including the Indiana Association of Public School Superintendents and the local Study Council.
- e. The School shall provide an annuity contribution equal to 3% of the base salary.
- f. In addition to the basic salary provided to the Superintendent, the Board shall also pay the Indiana State Teachers' Retirement Fund (INPRS) an additional three percent (3%) of his salary as the Superintendent's contribution to INPRS.
- g. The School shall pay to the Superintendent as salary the premium equivalent to an HSA Family Health Plan, Family Dental Plan, and Family Vision Plan, in addition to the \$6,000 that would have been contributed to a family Health Savings Account. Superintendent has the option of joining the corporation's health insurance plan(s) at his expense.

7. EXPENSES

- a. DISTRICT shall pay or reimburse SUPERINTENDENT for reasonable expenses approved by DISTRICT and incurred by SUPERINTENDENT in the continuing performance of his duties under this Addendum to Contract. Superintendent may use the school car as available for business-related travel.

8. EXTENSION AND NON-RENEWAL OF THIS CONTRACT

The superintendent's contract will be extended by twelve (12) months each year after the first year provided the following conditions are met: 1) Superintendent notifies the Board in writing by July 1 that his performance is to be evaluated and contract extension considered prior to December 31 of each year, and 2) the Board does not give notice to the Superintendent by December 31 of each calendar year that contract will not be extended.

8. PROFESSIONAL LIABILITY

DISTRICT agrees that it shall defend, hold harmless, and indemnify SUPERINTENDENT from any and all demands, claims, suits, actions, and legal proceedings brought against SUPERINTENDENT in his individual capacity while discharging his responsibilities as an employee of the DISTRICT, provided the incident arose while SUPERINTENDENT was acting within the scope of his employment and as such liability coverage is within the authority of the Board under State law. In any case, individual Board members will not be considered personally liable for indemnifying SUPERINTENDENT against such demands, claims, suits, actions, and legal proceedings. DISTRICT shall not, however, be required to pay SUPERINTENDENT'S attorney fees or any costs of any legal proceedings in the event the DISTRICT and SUPERINTENDENT have adverse interests in such litigation.

9. **TERMINATION:** This Agreement may be terminated only at the following times and only upon the following conditions:
- a. **Mutual Agreement:** This Agreement may be terminated on any date upon the written mutual agreement of the Board and the Superintendent, and in that event, neither party shall have any obligations to the other party after the date of termination.
 - b. **Termination by Board "For Cause:"** The Board may terminate this Agreement at any time in accordance with the procedures of applicable law, including Indiana Code 20-28-8 et seq., as amended, and for cause or on grounds provided by law. If the Board terminates this Agreement during its Term by process provided in applicable, all obligations of the Board to make further payments and/or to provide any other compensation or consideration hereunder shall cease upon the date of termination.
 - c. **Notice of Termination Upon Expiration:** This Agreement may be terminated at any time during the Term as provided herein in accordance with applicable law. Further, termination of this Agreement on and effective as of the expiration of the Term stated herein shall be upon notice as provided by law. Applicable law includes Indiana Code 20-28-8 et seq., as amended.

10. **MISCELLANEOUS PROVISIONS**

- a. **Governing Law & Venue:** This Agreement is governed by the law of the State of Indiana, and shall be subject to the provisions of any applicable state law concerning the terms and conditions of an employment contract between Indiana public school corporation and a superintendent. The construction and interpretation of this Agreement shall at all times and in all respects be governed by the law of the State of Indiana and any litigation arising as a result of this Agreement shall be brought in Martin County, Indiana. The parties hereby consent to the venue in the Courts of Martin County, Indiana.
- b. **Severability:** In case any one or more of the provisions contained in this Agreement shall for any reason be held by a court or government agency of competent jurisdiction to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable in any respect, such invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision hereof, and this Agreement shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein.
- c. **Binding Effect:** This Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the parties hereto and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives, successors and assigns.
- d. **Entire Agreement:** This Agreement constitutes the sole and only agreement of the parties hereto and supersedes any prior understandings or written or oral agreements between the parties respecting the subject matter hereof and cannot be modified without the written consent of both parties.