RESOLUTION

A RESOLUTION EXPRESSING THE OPPOSITION OF THE LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION TO THE LOCATION OF A LANDFILL NEAR THE CITY OF LEE'S SUMMIT'S BORDER.

WHEREAS, numerous residents and stakeholders have expressed concern to the Board of Education about the potential location of a landfill outside the corporate City limits but near the City's border; and,

WHEREAS, conversations have occurred among a developer, investors, elected officials at the state and local level, lobbyists, and legal representation, recognizing no formal application has been submitted to the City of Kansas City, Missouri or the Missouri Department of Natural Resources; and,

WHEREAS, Summit Pointe Elementary is 0.14 miles, Hawthorn Hill Elementary is 1.55 miles, Lee's Summit West High School is 2.32 miles, Trailridge Elementary is 2.55 miles and Summit Lakes Middle School is 2.55 miles from the proposed parcel; and,

WHEREAS, no such engagement of the entire community or metropolitan area has been conducted.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION, as follows:

SECTION 1. That the Board of Education hereby expresses its opposition to the location of any landfill outside the corporate City limits and near the borders of the City.

SECTION 2. That any and all resolutions or parts of resolutions in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

SECTION 3. That this resolution shall be in full force and effect from and after the date of its passage and adoption, and approval by the Board of Education.

PASSED AND APPROVED by the LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION <u>24th</u> day of January, 2023.

ATTEST:

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WHEREAS, there is currently no application pending with the City of Kansas City, Missouri or the Missouri Department of Natural Resources related to such a landfill; however, discussions intitiated by a private developer, attorneys, and lobbyists have now included legislators in Jefferson City and opposition in the community continues;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION, as follows:

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PASSED AND APPROVED by the LEE'S SUMMIT R-7 SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION 24th day of January, 2023.

President, Kathryn Campbell	
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