## SUPERINTENDENT'S CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT is made and entered into by and between the Board of Trustees (the "Board") of the Jayton Girard Independent School District (the "District") and **Mr. Trig Overbo** (the "Superintendent").

NOW THEREFORE, the Board and the Superintendent, for and in consideration of the terms stated in this contract do hereby agree, as follows:

- 1. The Board agrees to employ the Superintendent on a twelve-month basis for **3** years, beginning July 1, 20<u>17</u> and ending June 30, 20<u>20</u>.
- 2. This Agreement is conditioned on the Superintendent's satisfactorily providing the necessary certification and experience records, medical records, and other records required by law, district policy, State Board for Educator Certification rules, and Texas Education Agency rules. Failure to provide necessary records shall render this Agreement void. Any material misrepresentation may be grounds for dismissal.
- 3. The Superintendent shall perform the duties of Superintendent of Schools for the District as prescribed in state law, the job description, and as may be assigned by the Board. The Superintendent shall perform those duties with reasonable care, skill, and diligence. The Superintendent shall comply with all Board directives, state and federal law and rules, district policy, and regulations as they exist or may hereafter be amended. Texas law shall govern construction of this Agreement.
- 4. The Superintendent agrees to devote his or her time, skill, labor, and attention to performing his or her duties, but may, with prior written consent of the Board, undertake consulting work, speaking engagements, writing, lecturing, and other professional duties and obligations that do not conflict or interfere with the Superintendent's professional responsibilities to the District.
- 5. The Board agrees to pay the Superintendent an annual salary and other compensation as follows:
  - (a) The District shall provide the Superintendent with an annual base salary in the sum of **one hundred seven thousand, eighty seven** dollars (\$107,087.00) and an insurance supplement of **four thousand five hundred** dollars (\$4,500.00). This annual salary rate shall be paid to the Superintendent in installments, consistent with the Board's policies.
  - (b) At any time during the term of this Agreement, the Board may, in its discretion, review and adjust the salary of the Superintendent, but in no event shall the Superintendent be paid less than the salary set forth in Section 5(a) of this Agreement.
  - (c) Other Benefits.

- i. *Expenses*. The District shall pay or reimburse the Superintendent for reasonable expenses directly incurred by the Superintendent in the continuing performance of the Superintendent's duties under this Agreement. The District agrees to pay the actual and incidental costs incurred by the Superintendent for travel; such costs may include, but are not limited to, gasoline, hotels and accommodations, meals, rental cars, and other expenses incurred in the performance of the business of the District. The Superintendent shall comply with all procedures and documentation requirements and receive prior Board approval for the activity resulting in the expense.
- ii. *Cell Phone*. The District shall provide the Superintendent with a mobile telephone allowance in the sum of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) per month. The Superintendent shall maintain a personal account for mobile telephone service and shall not open an account in the name of the District. The Superintendent shall have total responsibility for payment of such personal account and the District shall have no obligation or responsibility related to such personal account other than the monthly payment to the Superintendent of the mobile telephone allowance stated herein.
- iii. *Insurance*. The District shall pay the same premiums for hospitalization, major medical, and dental insurance coverage for the Superintendent pursuant to the group health care plan(s) provided by the District for its administrative employees.
- iv. *Automobile*. The district shall provide the Superintendent with mileage expense reimbursement, for District use of the Superintendent's personal automobile, at the IRS per mile rate, for miles traveled while performing the Superintendent's duties as Superintendent. If a district vehicle is available and suitable for travel to district related activities, the Superintendent should use a district vehicle.
- v. Moving and Relocation Expense. In connection with the necessary relocation of the Superintendent and the Superintendent's family to the District, the District shall pay the sum of three thousand dollars (\$3,000.00) as a moving or traveling allowance. The moving and relocation expense allowance is paid in lieu of any other compensation or reimbursement for the cost and expense of moving the Superintendent's family and belongings.
- vi. *Housing*. The school district will provide housing for the Superintendent. The housing will include the cost of utilities including electricity, gas, water, phone and internet. It will also include the cost of maintenance and improvements. All improvements to the house will be made only following the notification and approval of the improvement by the Board. A separate housing contract will be signed subsequent to this contract.
- vii. *Vacations, Holidays, Sick Leave*. The Superintendent may take, at the Superintendent's choice, the same number of days of vacation authorized by policies adopted by the Board for administrative employees on twelve-month contracts, the days to be in a single period or at different times. The vacation days taken by the Superintendent will be taken at such time or times as will least interfere with the performance of the Superintendent's duties as set forth in this Agreement. The Superintendent shall observe the same legal holidays as provided by Board policies for administrative employees on twelve-month contracts. The Superintendent is hereby granted the same number of illness benefits and leave as authorized by Board policies for administrative employees on twelve-month contracts.
- viii. *Civic Activities, etc.* The Superintendent is encouraged to participate in the community and civic affairs in accordance with the Board's policies. The district shall pay reasonable dues for civic activities associated with the Superintendent's position.

- 6. The Superintendent cannot be reassigned from the position of Superintendent to another position without the Superintendent's consent.
- 7. The Board shall evaluate and assess in writing the Superintendent's performance at least once each year during the term of this Agreement. The evaluation format and procedure shall comply with Board policy and state law.
- 8. The Board may dismiss the Superintendent at any time for good cause in accordance with Texas Education Code Sections 21.211, 21.212(d), and Board policy.
- 9. In accordance with Texas Education Code Chapter 21, the Board may suspend the Superintendent without pay during the term of this Contract for good cause as determined by the Board. The Board President may place the Superintendent on paid administrative leave for a period not to exceed ten (10) school business days at anytime the Board President determines that doing so is in the District's best interest of the District. Such suspension with pay by the Board President may only be extended upon action of the Board.
- 10. This Agreement shall be terminated upon the death of the Superintendent or upon the Superintendent's retirement under the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.
- 11. A determination by the Board that a consolidation of the District with one or more other school districts requires that the contract of the Superintendent be terminated during the term shall constitute good cause for dismissal.
- 12. The Superintendent and the Board may agree in writing to terminate this Agreement pursuant to any mutually agreed upon terms and conditions.
- 13. Renewal or nonrenewal of this Agreement shall be in accordance with Texas Education Code Chapter 21, Subchapter E, and Board policy.
- 14. At any time during the contract term, the Board may, in its discretion, reissue the contract for an extended term. Failure to reissue the contract for an extended term shall not constitute nonrenewal under Board policy.
- 15. The Superintendent may leave the employment of the District at the end of a school year without penalty by filing a written resignation with the Board. The resignation must be addressed to the Board and filed not later than the 45th day before the first day of instruction of the following school year. The Superintendent may resign, with the consent of the Board, at any other time.
- 16. The Board has not adopted any policy, rule, regulation, law, or practice providing for tenure. No right of tenure is created by this Agreement. No property interest, express or implied, is created in continued employment beyond the contract term.
- 17. The Superintendent agrees to have a comprehensive medical examination, at District expense, by a physician acceptable to both the Board and the Superintendent, once a year, and to obtain a statement certifying that the Superintendent is physically able to perform his or her essential job functions with or without reasonable accommodation. This statement shall be filed with

the president of the Board.

- 18. In the event any one or more of the provisions contained in this Agreement shall, for any reason, be held to be invalid, illegal, or unenforceable, such invalidity, illegality, or unenforceability shall not affect any other provision thereof, and this Agreement shall be construed as if such invalid, illegal, or unenforceable provision had never been contained herein. All existing agreements and contracts, both verbal and written, between the parties hereto regarding the employment of the Superintendent have been superseded by this Agreement, and this contract constitutes the entire agreement between the parties. This Agreement may not be amended except by written agreement of the parties.
- 19. This offer will expire unless signed and returned to the Board or its authorized representative by 5:00 p.m. the  $20^h$  day of February, 2017.

Signed this day of	, 20 <u>17</u> .	Signed this day of	, 20 <u>17</u> .
President, Board of Trustees		Superintendent	<u>.</u>