

UNION PUBLIC SCHOOLS

2024-2025

NEW JERSEY NONPUBLIC SECURITY AID PROGRAM AGREEMENT

THIS AGREEMENT made this first day of July 2024, between the Union County Educational Services Commission, having its principal office at 45 Cardinal Drive, in the Town of Westfield, County of Union, and State of New Jersey, hereinafter referred to as **U.C.E.S.C.**, and the _____ Board of Education having its principal office at _____, _____, _____, County of Union, and State of New Jersey hereinafter referred to as the Public School District.

WHEREAS, the U.C.E.S.C. by the authority of its Board of Directors, acting on approval of the State Board of Education, is capable of administering the Nonpublic School Security Aid Program; and

WHEREAS, the U.C.E.S.C. services are in accordance with the New Jersey Nonpublic School Security Aid Program, and the Rules and Regulations governing same to nonpublic schools; and

WHEREAS, the Public School District is under an obligation to provide said services to all eligible nonpublic schools within its district to assure equal access to the specified New Jersey Nonpublic School Security Aid Program; and

WHEREAS, the Public School District has by Resolution of its Board agreed to contract with the U.C.E.S.C. to provide said services pursuant to said legislation and serve as the district designee:

NOW, THEREFORE, the parties hereto agree as follows:

- I. The terms and conditions of this Agreement shall be in effect from July 1, 2024 through and including June 30, 2025.
- II. The U.C.E.S.C. will fulfill the following responsibilities on behalf of the Public School District within the limitations of funds;
 - A. Confer with the nonpublic school administrator(s) to determine the security aid to be provided and the limit of funds available;
 - B. Provide the agreed upon security material which may include purchasing security services, equipment or technology pursuant to the Public School Contract law;
- III. BE IT FURTHER UNDERSTOOD that the _____ Board of Education pay a surcharge equal to 12% of the allocation for nonpublic security aid to cover the Commission's costs for administering the program. The Commission will bill the district for services rendered throughout the 2024-2025 school year, not to exceed State aide for nonpublic security aid. There will be a 12% surcharge on these invoices to be paid out of district current expense funds. Surcharge is not to be paid from nonpublic school security aid entitlement.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Board of Directors of the Union County Educational Services Commission and the _____ Board of Education, have by Resolution directed their respective Presidents and Secretaries to set their signatures and affix their seals. A certified copy of the Public School Resolution is annexed hereto.

ACCEPTED AND APPROVED:

(Please Print Board of Education Name)

, Board President Date

, Board Secretary Date

**UNION COUNTY EDUCATIONAL
SERVICES COMMISSION**

Lorraine j. Aklonis, Board President Date

Eric Larson, Board Secretary Date