

**SAFETY AND EDUCATION ARTICULATION AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN  
SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY, FLORIDA,  
THE CITY COUNCIL OF CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS, CLAY  
COUNTY, FLORIDA  
AND  
THE GREEN COVE SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT, CLAY COUNTY,  
FLORIDA  
2015 - 2016**

This Agreement is made and executed among the School Board of Clay County, Florida (hereinafter the “**SBCC**”), the City Council of the City of Green Cove Springs, Clay County, Florida (hereinafter the “**City**”), and the Green Cove Springs Police Department (hereinafter the “**GCSPD**”).

**RECITALS**

WHEREAS, the GCSPD has provided and can continue to provide to the SBCC assistance in maintaining a safe school and certain educational resource services; and

WHEREAS, the SBCC desires to provide funding through the City to the Green Cove Springs Police Department in exchange for such services.

**WITNESSETH**

IN CONSIDERATION of the foregoing RECITALS, the mutual promises hereinafter set forth, and other good and valuable consideration, the receipt, adequacy and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, the parties hereby agree as follows:

1. The SBCC, from Safe Schools Act funds, will pay to the City, for the benefit and use of the GCSPD, the sum of \$9,000.00 upon approval of this Agreement by all parties in exchange for certain services as specified in Paragraph 2 to be provided to the SBCC by the GCSPD during the period of October 1, 2015 through September 30, 2016. The payment will be made on or before June 30, 2016, after execution of this document and upon receipt of an invoice submitted by the City to the SBCC for the agreed upon amount.
2. The services referenced in Section 1 to be provided to the SBCC by the GCSPD are as follows:
  - A. The GCSPD will provide direct and indirect assistance and support to school personnel in the planning and implementation of grade level programs such as SAVE, other substance abuse education, health education, and traffic and pedestrian safety programs for schools within the City, to wit: Charles E. Bennett Elementary and Green Cove Springs Junior High.
  - B. The SBCC and the GCSPD, will work together and with other local law enforcement agencies to ensure that appropriate and effective services are provided to the School Board. General orders and directives will be reviewed and updated to address the role and responsibilities of the assigned GCSPD staff. Administrative guidelines will

be developed to address the working relationship between the School Board staff and the GCSPD, including encouraging early intervention activities.

C. Certain state and federal statutes prohibit discrimination on the basis of race, age, sex, national origin, religion, or handicaps and both parties to this Agreement agree to fully comply with the terms of these acts.

3. The City agrees to accept receipt of the sums referenced in Paragraph 1 for the benefit and use of the GCSPD.

4. GCSPD agrees to comply with the requirements of the Jessica Lunsford Act by requiring that all GCSPD personnel who come in contact with students, or who enter upon any SBCC school campus where students are present, are fingerprinted and have passed a Level II background check at no cost to the SBCC.

5. This Agreement shall not take effect until the date upon which it shall have been fully executed by the parties hereto.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have set their hands and seals the dates hereinafter indicated.

September 17, 2015  
Date

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JOHNNA MCKINNON, CHAIR  
SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY

September 17, 2015  
Date

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CHARLIE E. VAN ZANT, JR.  
SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS  
SCHOOL BOARD OF CLAY COUNTY

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Date

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CITY MANAGER  
CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS

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MAYOR  
CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS

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CHIEF OF POLICE  
CITY OF GREEN COVE SPRINGS