

RESOLUTION ESTABLISHING

The Operating Authorization for
The Community Police Department-Culver Schools

WHEREAS, Indiana Code 20-26-16 authorizes the Board of School Trustees of an Indiana public school corporation such as the Culver Community Schools Corporation (CCSC) to establish a school police department;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Trustees finds that this legislation creates an opportunity to achieve greater coordination of the various individuals supporting student and staff safety and premises security in the Culver Community Schools Corporation;

WHEREAS, the Board of School Trustees recognizes the importance of establishing and maintaining rigorous standards for the selection, training, and supervision of persons with police powers operating in a school community environment;

NOW THEREFORE; the Board of School Trustees of the Culver Community Schools Corporation resolves that:

1. The Community Police Department-Culver Schools (TCPD) is hereby created pursuant to the authority and standards contained in Indiana Code 20-26-16.
2. The position of "Chief of Police" for the Culver Community Schools Corporation is hereby created. The Chief of Police shall serve as the chief executive officer for "TCPD". The position shall be an at-will certified supervisory position and shall report to and work under the supervision of the Superintendent of Schools and/or designee.
3. All TCPD personnel must be certified and trained by the authority of the Indiana Law Enforcement Training Board.
4. Prior to the activation of TCPD, the School Board of Trustees for the CCSC must provide, by a vote in a public meeting, the authorization to place into active duty status of TCPD.

Approved on this date May 6, 2024

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