

## **Exhibit B – Flexibility Component of Contract**

### **For the Chickamauga City School District**

Under O.C.G.A. § 20-2-80 and SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.33, The Chickamauga City School District is seeking flexibility for all its schools from the following state statutes and associated rules in exchange for greater accountability (as outlined in the SWSS/IE<sup>2</sup> Partnership Contract) over the life of a five-year contract which allows for six years of flexibility between the Chickamauga City School District Board of Education and the Georgia State Board of Education, except as prohibited by O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(e).

#### Academic Program Flexibility:

- Education Programs (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-153, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-154, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-154.1, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-155, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-156)
- Education Program for Gifted Students (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.38)
- Organization of Schools; Middle School Programs; Schedule (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-290)
- Program Enrollment & Appropriation except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160)
- Competencies and Core Curriculum, Online Learning (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-140.1, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-142)
- Graduation Requirements for the purpose of substitution of equivalent or higher level requirements which will assist students in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful as they continue their education at the postsecondary level and/or enter the workforce (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.48)
- Statewide Passing Score (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.13(2)(a) and (2)(c))
- Scheduling for Instruction except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160(a), O.C.G.A. § 20-2-168(c))
- Promotion and Retention (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-283)
- School Attendance, Compulsory Attendance as it Relates to the Attendance Protocol (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-690.2)
- School Day and Year for Students and Employees (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-151, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-160, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-168(c))
- Instructional Extension (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-184.1)
- Comprehensive Health & Physical Education Program except as prohibited by O.C.G.A. § 20-2-82(e) (SBOE Rule 160-4-2-.12)
- Media Programs (SBOE Rule 160-4-4-.01)
- Awarding Units of Credit for the purpose of substitution of equivalent or higher level requirements which will assist students in acquiring the knowledge and skills necessary to be successful as they continue their education at the postsecondary level and/or enter the workforce (SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.15)

#### Human Resources Flexibility:

- Personnel Required (SBOE Rule 160-5-1-.22)

- Certification requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-108, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-200, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-201, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-204)
- Class-size and Reporting requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-182)
- Employment Conditions of Employment as it Relates to Duty Free Lunch (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-218)
- Substitute Teachers requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-216, to the extent it allows for the employment of teachers certified by another state)
- Use of Guidance Counselor (SBOE Rule 160-4-8-.05)
- School Councils (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-85, O.C.G.A. § 20-2-86)

Finance Flexibility:

- QBE Financing except to the extent it relates to funding (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-161)
- Direct Classroom Expenditures and Expenditure Controls (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-167; O.C.G.A. § 20-2-171)
- Salary Schedule requirements (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-212)
- Categorical Allotment requirements, Article 6 of Chapter 2 of Title 20 (O.C.G.A. § 20-2-183 to 20-2-186)