

The Ohio Coalition for Equity and Adequacy of School Funding

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DUES INVOICE: FISCAL YEAR 2023 (July 1, 2022-June 30, 2023)

To: Ridgedale Local Schools School District

DUES FOR ANNUAL COALITION MEMBERSHIP PLUS ANNUAL EDCHOICE VOUCHER LITIGATION DUES

Most recent report card enrollment * 602 x \$2.00 = \$ 1,204.00

*Please Initial Here That Report Card Enrollment Is Being Used: 

Total Enclosed**: \$ 1,204.00

**The TOTAL amount of dues paid for FY23 should not exceed \$2 per pupil

Please Mail Payment To:

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VOUCHER JOINDER RESOLUTION

WHEREAS, EdChoice Vouchers are funded by the State from designated appropriation line-items 200-550, 200-604, 200-612 and payment to private schools diminishes the amount of funding and levels of educational opportunities in districts; and

WHEREAS, the deduction of school voucher funds from the School District further reduces the funding available to support the additional needs of district minority pupils, pupils in poverty and pupils with disabilities; and

WHEREAS, the deduction of school voucher funds from the appropriations that fund School Districts increases reliance on local tax revenue to maintain school operations in violation of the Ohio Constitution and clear directives of the Ohio Supreme Court.

Section 1. Now, Therefore, The Board of Education finds and determines that the deduction of school voucher funds from School Districts is harmful to the district, its pupils, taxpayers, voters and staff.

Section 2. The Board of Education authorizes and directs the School District's joinder of the Ohio Coalition for Equity and Adequacy of School Funding (Coalition) and directs the District Treasurer to pay Coalition dues as set forth in Section 3.

Section 3. Coalition dues for the 2022-2023 school year are the sum of \$2.00 per district pupil (enrollment listed on most recent report card). Dues shall be allocated by the Coalition as follows: 1) \$.50 per pupil shall be initially allocated to the payment of Coalition operating expenses, and, 2) \$1.50 per pupil shall be allocated to the support of the Coalition's efforts in opposition to the deduction of school voucher funds from this, and other school districts. Coalition Dues (a total of \$2 per pupil) are payable upon passage of this resolution.