

DRAFT RESOLUTION

ROWAN COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS ROWAN COUNTY, NORTH CAROLINA

WHEREAS, the Rowan-Salisbury Board of Education wishes to enter into a continuing contract for capital outlay under N.C. Gen. Stat. § 115C-528 with Apple, Inc. for the purchase of certain computer hardware, software, and related equipment to be used for public school purposes; and

WHEREAS, the contract will require the Board of Education to pay Apple, Inc., up to \$11,503,367.76 over 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26, and 2026-27 fiscal years; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education will pay Apple in approximate installments of \$1,643,338.26 in the 2023-24 fiscal year, \$3,286,676.50 in the 2024-25 fiscal year, \$3,286,676.50 in the 2025-26 fiscal year, and \$3,286,676.50 in the 2026-27 fiscal year; and

WHEREAS, the contract may be a continuing contract for capital outlay subject to the provisions of N.C. Gen. Stat. §§ 115C-441(c1) and 115C-528, including the approval of the Rowan County Board of Commissioners.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Rowan County Board of Commissioners agrees to appropriate sufficient funds to the Rowan-Salisbury Board of Education in ensuing fiscal years to meet the Apple, Inc. contract obligations, so long as the amount the Board of Education shall be obligated to pay under that contract shall be generally equal to the amounts noted above. Said funds shall be a part of, and not in addition to, regular appropriations made to the Board of Education. Said funds obligated by this contract for fiscal years 2023-24, 2024-25, 2025-26, and 2026-27 shall be budgeted by the Board of Education for this purpose, and the Rowan County Board of Commissioners shall not be obligated to increase its annual appropriation to the Board of Education by the amount due under this contract with Apple, Inc.

Resolved, this the 17th day of January 2023 by the Rowan County Board of Commissioners.

Greg Edds, Chairman