WHEREAS, the Superintendent has recommended that the Board of Education eliminate the following positions due to the decrease in student enrollment of the District pursuant to Article 14 of the Negotiated Agreement between the Board of Education and OAPSE Local #167, and O.R.C. §§ 3319.17 and 3319.172:

1 - Special Education Assistant I – Norton Primary School 6.5 hours

WHEREAS, on November 5, 2024, the Superintendent had discussions with representatives for OAPSE Local #167, including the President of OAPSE Local #167, regarding reductions in force identified above, and on November 5, 2024, provided written notice to the President of OAPSE Local #167, regarding his intention to recommend the Board act on the proposed reduction in force for implementation on December 9, 2024.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED:

Section 1. The Board of Education hereby authorizes the elimination of the following position due to the decrease in student enrollment of the District pursuant to Article 14 of the Negotiated Agreement between the Board of Education and OAPSE Local #167, and O.R.C. §§ 3319.17 and 3319.172:

1 - Special Education Assistant I – Norton Primary School 6.5 hours

<u>Section 2</u>. The Superintendent and Treasurer are hereby authorized and directed to take all necessary steps to implement the reduction in force on December 9, 2024.

Section 3. It is found and determined that this resolution is being adopted in compliance with all applicable laws, including O.R.C. §121.22.