RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING REQUIRED THIRD GRADE ASSESSMENTS IN PAPER FORMAT

WHEREAS Ohio Revised Code Section 3301.0711, as amended by Senate Bill 216 enacted by the 132nd Ohio General Assembly, authorized a school district to administer the required third grade English language arts or mathematics assessments, or both, in a paper format in any given school year; and

WHEREAS it is the desire of the Board of Education of Galion City Schools for its grade three students to take the English language arts and mathematics assessments in said paper format;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT, AND IT IS, HEREBY RESOLVED that the grade three assessments in English language arts and mathematics shall be administered in a paper format for the 2019-2020 school year; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that if any student whose individualized education program or plan developed under section 504 of the "Rehabilitation Act of 1973," 87 Stat. 355, 29 U.S.C. 794, as amended, specifies that taking the assessment in an online format is an appropriate accommodation for the student, then that student may take the assessment in an online format; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Superintendent of Schools is hereby authorized and directed to submit a copy of this resolution to the Ohio Department of Education in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 3301.0711.

This resolution was adopted by the Galion City Schools Board of Education in public session on the 16th day of April, 2019.

In witness thereof, we hereby affix our signatures.

President of the Board of Education

Treasurer of the Board of Education