## VILLAGE OF SALADO

## **RESOLUTION No. R-2015-113**

## INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN OF THE VILLAGE OF SALADO, TEXAS APPROVING AN INTERLOCAL COOPERATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE VILLAGE OF SALADO AND DALLAS COUNTY SCHOOLS D/B/A TEXSERVE TO ENFORCE AND ADMINISTER THE AUTOMATED SCHOOL BUS STOP ARM ENFORCEMENT PROGRAM; AND DECLARING AN EFFECTIVE DATE.

WHEREAS. Texserve and the Village are each political subdivisions of the State of Texas; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Aldermen has determined that motor vehicles unlawfully pass stopped school buses that are operating visual signs while loading and unloading students in the Village; and

WHEREAS, the Village adopted Ordinance No.2015.06 ("Ordinance"), that provides for a civil penalty for a vehicle that passes a stopped school bus with its stop arm extended and lights flashing in violation of Texas Transportation Code Section 545.066.

WHEREAS, it is a mutual objective of the school district ("District") and the Village to reduce the incidence of possible injuries caused specifically to children by the violation of motor vehicles unlawfully passing a school bus stopped with its stop arm extended and lights flashing for the purpose of loading and unloading students; and

WHEREAS, the District owns and operates school buses in the Village and will enter into a separate Interlocal Agreement with Texserve to be the exclusive vendor of equipment, installation, and maintenance of video recording equipment on school buses (the "Equipment Interlocal") and to provide certain processes and professional services to monitor and identify Student Safety/School Bus Stop-Arm Violations and enforce the Ordinance in accordance with applicable law (the "Operating Interlocal"); and

WHEREAS, Texserve and the Village desire to enter into an Agreement in order to enforce and administer the Ordinance.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Aldermen of Salado, Texas:

- **PART 1.** The attached Interlocal Cooperation Agreement, *Exhibit "A"*, between the Village of Salado and Dallas County Schools d/b/a Texserve to enforce and administer the automated school bus stop arm enforcement program is hereby approved.
- **PART 2.** The Mayor is authorized to execute the agreement on behalf of the Village.
- <u>PART 3.</u> This resolution shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage.
- <u>PART 4</u>. The meeting at which this Resolution was passed was open to the public, and that public notice of the time, place and purpose of said meeting was given as required by the Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551.

PASSED & APPROVED this, the 23rd day of April, 2015, by a vote of 5 (ayes) to 4 (nays) to 4 (abstentions) of the Board of Aldermen of Salado, Texas.

**VILLAGE OF SALADO:** 

ATTEST:

Lyndsey Barrett, Acting Village Secretary

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