

**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING**

This Memorandum of Understanding, executed on \_\_\_\_\_, 2021 between the **Ector County Independent School District**, a political subdivision of the state of Texas ("ECISD") and the **Ector County ISD Education Foundation, Inc.** (dba Education Foundation of Odessa), a 501 (c) (3) Texas nonprofit corporation ("Education Foundation").

ECISD and the Education Foundation hereby understand that:

- 1. the mission of the Education Foundation is to create opportunities for education in Ector County ISD. The vision is that every student in ECISD will be school-ready, college-ready, work-ready....**WORLD-READY!**;
- 2. when available, ECISD will utilize the resources provided by the Education Foundation to enhance education in its schools, and will support the Education Foundation's mission;
- 3. ECISD and the Education Foundation will collaborate together and use best efforts to support the other party; and
- 4. ECISD will provide the necessary and proper administrative support and office space for the Education Foundation to ensure that the Education Foundation's administrative operations are continuously effective.
- 5. Term: The initial term of the Agreement shall commence on the date of execution by each party, and shall continue from year to year until terminated as herein provided.
- 6. Termination: This Agreement may be terminated by a party, with or without cause, at any time by providing thirty (30) days prior written notice to the other party.

This Memorandum of Understanding is agreed upon by the Ector County Independent School District and the Education Foundation of Odessa, and evidenced below by the signature of each party's agent.

**ECTOR COUNTY INDEPENDENT  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**

**EDUCATION FOUNDATION OF ODESSA, INC.**

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Dr. Scott Muri, Superintendent

By: \_\_\_\_\_  
Jay Arrick, Board President

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Tammy Hawkins, Board President