

## Resolution of Commitment in Support of a Resource Conservation Management Program

WHEREAS, the School Board of Suwannee County, Florida (Board) recognizes the responsibility of the Schools/Departments to reduce the waste of energy and other resources to as low a level as possible without compromising the basic mission of the Schools/Departments; and

WHEREAS, the Board desires to help students, staff and members of the community understand the need for the wise use of resources and desires to promote an understanding of the relationship between resource conservation program efforts and the quality of our environment; and

WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that a portion of the funds saved as a result of a resource conservation program should be reallocated to further support such efforts and the remainder to be used in support of other District needs; and

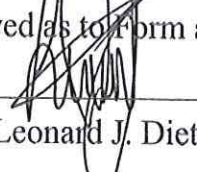
WHEREAS, the Board recognizes that resource conservation programs are best accomplished when resource conservation management is coordinated with education and training.

NOW, therefore, be it resolved that the Board allocate sufficient resources to implement a program of effective resource conservation management and education. The Superintendent is directed to formulate and maintain a District Resource Conservation Management Plan that includes strategies and procedures to increase resource conservation awareness among staff, teachers and students. A system to monitor resource consumption shall be initiated and maintained, and progress in carrying out this plan shall be reported to the Board at least on an annual basis.

ADOPTED and APPROVED this 23<sup>rd</sup> day of July, 2013 by the School Board of Suwannee County, Florida, meeting in regular session.

By  \_\_\_\_\_  
Jerry Taylor, Board Chair

ATTEST:

"Approved as to Form and Sufficiency  
BY  \_\_\_\_\_  
Leonard J. Dietzen, III  
Rumberger, Kirk & Caldwell, P.A.  
Suwannee School Board Attorney"

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Jerry A. Scarborough, Superintendent

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