## CONTRACT FOR SCHOOLS HEARING & VISION SCREENING SERVICES BETWEEN THE BOARD OF EDUCATION OF GALION CITY SCHOOLS DISTRICT AND THE GALION CITY HEALTH DEPARTMENT- BOARD OF HEALTH 2023-2024 School Year

This agreement is made this \_\_\_21st\_\_\_\_ day of August 2023, by and between the Galion City Health Department Board of Health and the Board of Education of the Galion City School District. The Galion City Health Department Board of Health hereinafter referred to as "GCHD", and The Board of Education of the Galion City School District, hereinafter referred to as "SCHOOL" or "SCHOOLS". In addition, July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024, will define the 2023-2024 SCHOOL year.

WHEREAS, The SCHOOLS desires to engage the services of the GCHD to perform the services hereinafter described;

WHEREAS, the GCHD is capable and desirous of providing Hearing/Vision Screening Services requested by the SCHOOLS.

NOW, THEREFORE, be it resolved that the SCHOOLS and the GCHD are able and willing to enter into this agreement for Hearing/Vision Screening Services

Be it further resolved, the GCHD and the SCHOOLS do mutually agree as follows:

## I. HEARING/VISION SCREENING SERVICES:

## 1. Hearing Screening

- a) Initial audiometer screening for students in grades preschool, K, 1, 3, 5, 9, and 11.
  - i. Initial Kindergarten and 1st-grade hearing screenings will be completed by November 1.
- b) Children who fail an initial screening will be re-screened within 6 weeks of the initial screening.
- c) Children absent on the initial day of the screening will be screened with children who fail the initial screening.
- d) Schools will have audiometers calibrated annually.
- e) These screenings follow the requirements and recommendations of the Ohio Department of Health. The screening nurse(s) will abide by any changes or updates as per ODH.

## 2. Vision Screening

- a) Initial distance vision acuity screening for students in grades preschool, K, 1, 3, 5, 7 9, and 11. Muscle balance for grade 1 and stereopsis for grades K and 1. Color blindness screening for males in grades K and 1.
  - i) Initial Kindergarten and 1st-grade vision screenings will be completed by November 1.
- b) Children who fail an initial screening will be re-screened within 6 weeks of the initial screening.
- c) Children absent on the initial day of the screening will be screened with children who fail the initial screening.
- d) All hearing-impaired children must have their vision screened annually, per ODH.
- e) These screenings follow the requirements and recommendations of the Ohio Department of Health. The screening nurse(s) will abide by any changes or updates as per ODH.

The SCHOOL hereby agrees, in return for the school health services described above to be provided by the GCHD for the school year 2023-2024, to compensate the GCHD at a rate of \$750 per day, providing two or three staff to assist. The SCHOOL will make payments to the GCHD after invoicing monthly documentation of the days worked; based on timesheets provided by GCHD showing hours of service provided.

In confirmation of this contract and in accordance with the provisions of 3313.72 of the Revised Code of Ohio, the signatures of the President and Clerk/Treasurer of the Board of Education of the Galion City School District, and the President/President Pro Tempore and Health Commissioner of the Galion City Health Department Board of Health, are hereby affixed.

BOARD OF HEALTH
GALION CITY
HEALTH DEPARTMENT
By President Pro Tempore
And
Health Commissioner
Date