RESOLUTION NO.5899-17

A RESOLUTION APPOINTING MEMBERS TO THE GULF SHORES CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

WHEREAS, on October 9, 2017 the Mayor and the City Council of the City of Gulf Shores, Alabama adopted Resolution No. 5876-17, "A Resolution Establishing a City School System for the City of Gulf Shores, Alabama; Establishing a Gulf Shores City Board of Education; and Providing for the Appointment of the Members of the Board of Education"; and

WHEREAS, said Resolution was forwarded to the Alabama Secretary of State and the Alabama State Superintendent of Education; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have carefully considered the economic feasibility for the City of Gulf Shores to have an independent city school system; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council are convinced that a successful independent city school system would be a major asset to the City of Gulf Shores and a galvanizing factor in its future growth and development; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have sought, received and considered the advice of experts on school administration and finances as part of their efforts to determine if an independent school system for the City of Gulf Shores would enhance community support and educational programs; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council have sought and received opinions of the citizens of the City of Gulf Shores; and

WHEREAS, the Mayor and City Council, having examined and evaluated the information received from all sources, have determined the best interests of the City of Gulf Shores and its citizens will be served by the establishment of an independent city school system; and

WHEREAS, pursuant to Section 16-11-2, CODE OF ALABAMA (1975), the Gulf Shores City Board of Education shall be composed of five members, chosen because of their character and fitness, who shall be residents of the City of Gulf Shores and who shall not be members of the City Council;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Mayor and City Council of the City of Gulf Shores, in a regular meeting duly assembled on November 27, 2017, as follows:

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<u>Section 1</u>. That the Mayor and City Council hereby elect and thereby appoint the following named persons to serve as members of the Gulf Shores City Board of Education for the terms as designated herein:

- (a) Dale K. Jernigan for a term to expire on December 4, 2018;
- (b) Ralph R. Gold, Jr. for a term to expire on December 4, 2019;
- (c) Kelly L. Walker for a term to expire on December 4, 2020;
- (d) Nichole P. Gotschall for a term to expire on December 4, 2021;
- (e) Kevin S. Corcoran for a term to expire on December 4, 2022.

 $\underline{\textbf{Section 2}}.$ That after the initial terms as designated herein, each member of the Gulf Shores City Board of Education elected therefore shall serve for a term of five (5) years.

Section 3. That the members of the Gulf Shores City Board of Education will begin their term on December 4, 2017.

ADOPTED and APPROVED, this the 27th day of November, 2017.

ATTEST:

Wanda Parris, MMC

City Clerk

CERTIFICATE

I, Wanda Parris, MMC, City Clerk of the City of Gulf Shores, Alabama, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of Resolution No.5899-17 (prepared by City Clerk), which Resolution was duly and legally adopted at a regular meeting of the City Council on November 27, 2017.

City Clerk