

SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER CONTRACT

THIS AGREEMENT, made and entered into this 2nd day of October, 2017, by and between the COUNTY OF WRIGHT and the WRIGHT COUNTY SHERIFF, hereinafter referred to as "County" and INDEPENDENT SCHOOL NO. 728, hereinafter referred to as "School District;"

WHEREAS, the School District is desirous of entering into a contract with the County for the provision of a School Resource Officer (SRO), with said SRO to be provided by the Wright County Sheriff's Office; and,

WHEREAS, the County is agreeable to rendering such services on the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth; and,

WHEREAS, said contracts are authorized and provided for pursuant to Minnesota Statutes 471.59, as well as statutory authority relating to schools and law enforcement;

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, it is agreed as follows:

1. That the County by way of the Wright County Sheriff's Office agrees to provide one School Resource Officer to the School District, with said SRO to provide services as set out in the job description attached hereto. The standard performance, discipline of the SRO, and other matters incident to the performance of such services and control over other personnel matters shall remain in and under the control of the Wright County Sheriff's Office.
2. That the County shall have the full cooperation of and assistance from the School District, its officers, agents and employees so as to facilitate the performance of this

Contract. In order to facilitate the presence of the SRO in the school, the School District shall provide the SRO with access to necessary equipment including, but not limited to, an office, land telephone line, internet access and a desktop computer.

3. That this Agreement shall be effective for the 2017-2018 school year.
4. That the School District agrees to pay the County the sum of \$38,118.00, said sum representing 9/12 of the annual wages paid by the County to a starting deputy hired at the minimum wage range (new employee), for each SRO provided, with said amount to be adjusted as labor agreements and wages are modified. Billing and payment of said fee shall be on an annual basis.
5. That this Contract shall be extended automatically for successive school years unless the School District gives notice prior to July 1 of any year that it wishes to discontinue the contract. In addition, either party may terminate this contract with 60 days' notice to the other party. All such notices shall be in writing.
6. That the School District shall not be liable for the direct payment of any salaries, wages, or other compensation to the SRO performing services under this Contract. Further, that the School District shall not be liable for any Worker's Compensation or any other claims relating to injuries or sickness to the SRO arising out of services provided pursuant to this Contract, and the County hereby agrees to hold the School District harmless from any such claim.
7. That the hours of service under this Contract shall be the regular school day, with special events such as dances or athletic contests not included. Provision of services by the SRO or other law enforcement personnel outside the regular school day must be arranged by separate agreement of the parties.
8. That the County shall save, hold harmless and defend the School District from any and all claims arising from the acts or omissions, including negligence, committed by County employees or agents while in the performance of duties pursuant to Contract.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, The School District, by authorization of its governing body, has caused this Contract to be signed by its authorized representatives; and the

County, by action of its County Board of Commissioners, has caused this contract to be signed by the Chairperson of said Board and the County Coordinator, and by the Wright County Sheriff.

Dated: 10-2-17 _____
ISD # 728 _____
By: [Signature] _____

Dated: _____
By: _____

WRIGHT COUNTY

Dated: _____
Chairperson, County Board

Dated: _____
County Coordinator

Dated: _____
Wright County Sheriff