ORDINANCE TO PROVIDE A REVENUE AND LEVY A TAX FOR THE MERIDIAN SEPARATE SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING SEPTEMBER 30, 2023

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI, TO-WIT:

SECTION 1. That the following taxes for the support and maintenance of the Public Schools of the Meridian Municipal Separate School District for the fiscal year ending September 30, 2023, be and the same are hereby levied on all of the real estate and personal property in said Meridian Municipal Separate School District not exempt from taxation by the laws of the State of Mississippi, to-wit:

That <u>7.10</u> mills on each dollar's valuation thereof for the principal and annual interest on the school bonds and obligations of the Meridian Municipal Separate School District.

Also <u>55.00</u> mills on each dollar's valuation of said property for the purpose of supplementing teacher's salaries, extending school terms, buying furniture, supplies and materials, and for all other lawful, operating and incidental expenses of the Meridian Municipal Separate School District.

Also 3.0 mills on each dollar's valuation of said property for the purpose of the Meridian Community College Maintenance Fund, and 3.0 mills for the Meridian Community College Enlargement and Improvement Fund, in accordance with Section 37-29-141, Mississippi Code 1972 and 1.0 mill for Meridian Community College adult education.

SECTION 2. That the aforesaid tax levy for all school purposes, amounting to the aggregate 69.10 mills on each dollar's valuation, all of the taxable property within said Meridian Municipal

Separate School District, shall be levied, assessed and collected at the same time and in the same manner and under the same penalties for non-payment thereof as the taxes of the City of Meridian for general purposes are levied, assessed and collected.

SECTION 3. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in full force from and after its passage, approval and publication as required by law, and that all ordinances of the City of Meridian in conflict with this ordinance be and the same are hereby repealed.

SO ORDAINED this the 15th day of September, 2022.

Motion by Councilman Norwood second by Councilman Thomas.

Yea: Thomas, Davis, Norwood.

Nay: None.

Absent: Walker, Lindsey.

DWAYNE DAVIS, PRESIDENT CITY COUNCIL, MERIDIAN, MS

ATTESTED AND SUBMITTED TO THE MAYOR BY THE CLERK OF COUNCIL, ON THE

OF SEPTEMBER, 2022.

CLERK OF COUNCIL

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