

## ARTICULATION AGREEMENT

THIS Agreement is made between John Hancock Charter School ("JHCS") and Rockwell Charter High School ("RCHS"). It was approved by the RCHS Board of Directors on 8 day of March, 2022 and was approved by the JHCS Board of Directors on 17 day of March, 2022 and the State Charter School Board on \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 2022.

1. PURPOSE. RCHS and JHCS will be within 10 to 15 miles apart and serve many of the same population areas, have like-minded families, similarly trained teachers, heightened expectations, rigorous academics, similar curricular goals, and instructional methods. Accordingly, this Agreement creates a mechanism for JHCS 8<sup>th</sup> grade students to articulate into RCHS's 9<sup>th</sup> grade student body.
2. EFFECTIVE DATE AND TERM. This Agreement becomes effective immediately after it has been approved by both schools' Boards and the Utah State Charter School Board. This Agreement will apply to John Hancock's students applying to attend RCHS beginning in the 2024-2025 school year. This agreement shall continue in force until terminated by either party. Termination shall be accomplished by written notice provided at least 30 days before the open enrollment deadline established by the state of Utah for the upcoming academic year.
3. COMPLIANCE WITH LAW. The parties will comply with the requirements of state and federal law and regulations relating to this Agreement.
4. ARTICULATION. During the enrollment period, priority shall first be given to qualified individuals based on RCHS enrollment procedures for priority enrollment pursuant to Utah Code 53G-6-502 as adopted by RCHS in its approved policies. Priority shall then be given to JHCS students entering 9<sup>th</sup> grade before RCHS admits students from the lottery.
5. COOPERATION. The parties to this Agreement shall cooperate with one another in good faith to fulfill the terms of this Agreement.
6. ENTIRE AGREEMENT. This Agreement represents the entire understanding and agreement of the parties. No amendment or revision to this Agreement shall be valid unless both parties ratify the change in writing. Reasonable administrative timelines and procedures will be mutually decided by directors of both parties.
7. COUNTERPARTS. This Agreement may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which shall be deemed an original, and all of which together shall constitute one and the same instrument.

JOHN HANCOCK CHARTER SCHOOL

By: Kim Frank


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Title: 3/25/22

Date: Board Chair

ROCKWELL CHARTER HIGH SCHOOL

By: PAUL ERLING

Signature: 

Title: BOARD PRESIDENT

Date: 3/8/22

UTAH STATE CHARTER SCHOOL BOARD

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_