

**WHEREAS**, the [legal name of adopting employer] (the “Employer”) is a political subdivision of the State of Illinois, or an agency or instrumentality of the State of Illinois or of a political subdivision of the State of Illinois and thus, an eligible employer pursuant to Section 457(e)(1)(A) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

**WHEREAS**, on behalf of certain of its employees, the Employer wishes to adopt the Teachers’ Retirement System of the State of Illinois Supplement Savings Plan (the “Supplemental Savings Plan”) by entering into an Employer Participation Agreement between the Teachers’ Retirement System of the State of Illinois (the “System”) and the Employer.

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED**, that, effective \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_ the Employer shall enter into the Employer Participation Agreement, in substantially the same form as presented to [the Board/other governing body] of the Employer, subject to the terms and conditions of the Supplemental Savings Plan.

**RESOLVED**, that the appropriate officers of the Employer (the “Authorized Officers”) be and hereby are authorized and directed to take any and all further action, including the execution and delivery of documents and instruments, as such Authorized Officers deem necessary or desirable in their sole discretion to effectuate fully and carry out the purposes of the foregoing resolutions and to insure that the Employer performs all of its duties and responsibilities, as set forth in the Employer Participation Agreement and the Supplemental Savings Plan.