



Resolution R-26-079

Introduced By: Town Council

Date: October 15, 2026

Resolution Supporting Proposed Brunswick County School Projects

WHEREAS, Brunswick County Schools have identified current and projected school capacity and capital facility needs associated with continued growth in Brunswick County, including the need for new school facilities and improvements to existing facilities; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Leland recognizes the importance of adequate public-school facilities as part of the necessary infrastructure to serve a growing community and county; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Leland recognizes that access to safe and adequate public-school facilities is important to the education of students and the support of families in Leland and northern Brunswick County, that school facilities also serve as a hub in the community providing gathering places for community involvement and engagement, and that a successful school system with appropriate facilities delivering well-educated individuals into society is important to the economic vitality of the existing regional businesses and the attraction of new businesses; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Leland recognizes the need for school improvements and supports the proposed school projects servicing northern Brunswick County and the areas within the Town's jurisdiction, namely, a proposed new 750-student elementary school in the Jackeys Creek area, a second proposed new elementary school in the northern region of the county and the property acquisition to accomplish this project, a proposed future middle school in the Jackeys Creek area, a proposed new high school to service or reduce the existing burden on facilities in northern Brunswick County and Town jurisdiction, and a proposed roadway connection improvement at the Town Creek Middle School and Town Creek Elementary School site to address safety and emergency access; and

WHEREAS, the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners has the primary responsibility for funding school improvement projects and maintaining public schools regardless of the source of revenue or financing mechanism; and

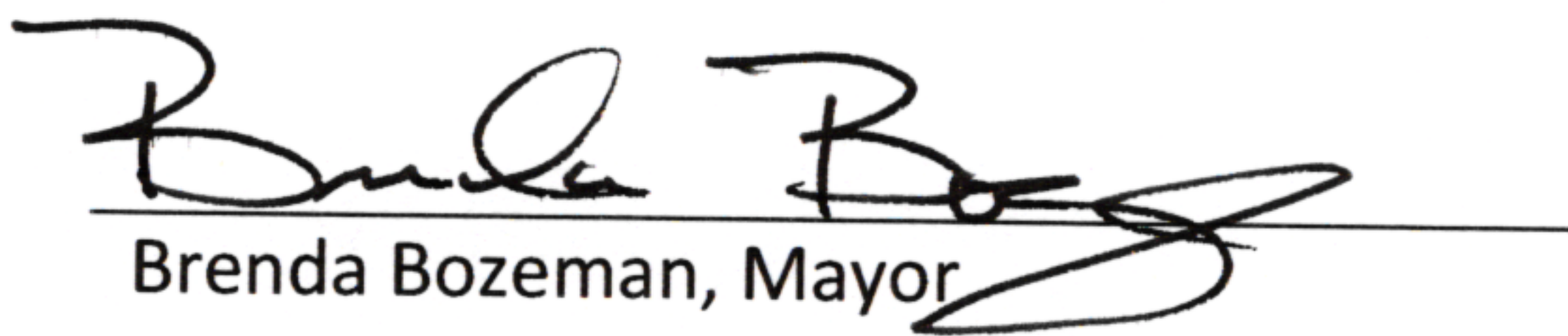
WHEREAS, the Town of Leland encourages the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners to seek funding for the acquisition, construction, renovation, improvement, and equipping of public-school facilities in Brunswick County by the most affordable means available to lessen the overall burden on the citizens and taxpayers of the Town and County; and

WHEREAS, the Town of Leland recognizes that school facility planning benefits from the coordination of all stakeholders including the Brunswick County Board of Education, the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners, and the Town of Leland.

Now Therefore, Be It Resolved: The Leland Town Council hereby expresses its support for the Brunswick County School planned projects and encourages the citizens of the Town and County to investigate and educate themselves on the growing needs in the school system and the planned school projects; and

Be It Further Resolved: The Leland Town Council encourages the Brunswick County Board of Education and the Brunswick County Board of Commissioners to continue assessing school facility needs in Leland and northern Brunswick County and sharing their plans with the public.

Adopted by Town Council on this 15 day of October, 2026.


Brenda Bozeman, Mayor


Sabrena A. Reinhardt, Town Clerk

