**MT. VERNON COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION**

**RESOLUTION NO. 2020-43**

**RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION ON INTEREST IN PURCHASING A PARTICULAR PROPERTY**

WHEREAS, Ind. Code § 20-26-5-4 authorizes the Board of Education (“Board”), among other powers, to acquire real property considered by the Board to be necessary for school purposes;

WHEREAS, Ind. Code § 36-1-10.5 requires the Board to pass a resolution declaring its interest in specified land or structures before making such a purchase;

WHEREAS, the Board is interested in purchasing approximately 18.753 +/- acres of real property at the location commonly known as 1700 West State Road 234, Fortville, Indiana 46040 (Hancock County Parcel No. 30-02-22-300-027.000-016) in Vernon Township, Hancock County, Indiana, (the “Property”) for school purposes;

**NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED** that the Board hereby authorizes the Superintendent or designee to pursue a purchase agreement for the acquisition of the Property, and to execute all documents necessary for closing on the Property, consistent with Ind. Code § 36-1-10.5.

Approved by the Board of Education on this 29th day of October, 2020.

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Beth Smith, Secretary