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**MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
NORTH ISLAND COLLEGE AND SCHOOL DISTRICT 64
2018-2021**

Purpose

The purpose of this Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is to acknowledge that North Island College (NIC) and School District 64 (SD64) wish to enter into a partnership to engage and where viable coordinate initiatives for SD64 students to transition from secondary to post-secondary education and, as resources permit, to develop and deliver dual credit courses and programs.

Principles of Collaboration

NIC and SD64 agree to collaborate to encourage student transition to post-secondary education. In so doing, both institutions will observe the following principles:

- Communication between parties will be purposeful, open and regular;
- The needs of students are paramount;
- The autonomy of each institution will be respected, including recognition and respect for the educational values, policies, collective agreements, strategic plans and operational processes of each;
- The division of resources to support this activity will be equitable; and
- Course or program rigor and safety will not be compromised; therefore, SD 64 students will be expected to work under the same regulations, policies and performance expectations as any other post-secondary student.

Objectives of the Partnership

The Partnership will aim to:

- Enhance academic success and transition for secondary school students moving to a post-secondary environment;
- Formalize the intention of both institutions to work together in supporting dual credit students;
- Where viable, coordinate courses or programs that provide dual credit towards secondary school graduation and trades certification or other post-secondary credential;



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Terms of Agreement

It is understood that this MOU in no way binds either party to deliver on the objectives of this partnership to offer and run specific dual credit courses or programs at North Island College.

Commencement/Expiration Date

This Memorandum of Understanding is executed as of the date of last signature and is valid until June 2021, at which time it may be renewed with the agreement of both parties. Either party may terminate this agreement, without cause, by giving six months written notice to the other party. Termination shall be deemed to be effective upon completion of the courses underway at the time of notification.

Signed:

North Island College



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School District 64

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Position: Assoc. VP, Access & Regions

Signature: T. Bell

Date: February 16, 2018

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Position: SUPERINTENDENT

Signature: Roy Fortin / SECRETARY TREASURER
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Date: FEB 16, 2018