

Regular Meeting of November 14, 2023

PREPARED BY: JACKIE KIM, CHIEF BUSINESS OFFICIAL

TYPE OF ITEM: CONSENT

BACKGROUND INFORMATION/DETAILS: Albany Unified School District will utilize Dannis Woliver Kelly, Attorneys at Law on an as-requested basis to perform legal services with respect to parcel tax ballot language and requirements.

1. Hourly Professional Rates*

Shareholders and of Counsel:	\$265.00 - \$375.00/hour
Special Counsel:	\$245.00 - \$305.00/hour
Associate:	\$195.00 - \$265.00/hour
Paralegal/Law Clerks:	\$130.00 - \$195.00/hour

**Rates for individual attorneys within each category above vary based upon years of experience and qualifications, and the nature of the legal services provided. Specific rates for each attorney are available upon request.*

2. Other expenses: See Agreement

STRATEGIC OBJECTIVES ADDRESSED:



 **Objective #1:** *Assess and Increase Academic Success.* **Goal:** *We will provide a comprehensive educational experience with expanded opportunities for engagement, assessment, and academic growth so that all students will achieve their fullest potential.*



Objective #2: *Support the Whole Child. Goal: We will foster the social and emotional growth of all students, implement an array of strategies to increase student engagement, identify individual socio-emotional and behavioral needs, and apply collaborative appropriate interventions.*



Objective #3: *Communicate and Lead Together. Goal: All stakeholders will collaborate and communicate about decisions that guide the sites and district.*

RECOMMENDATION: The Board of Trustees to approve the Agreement for Professional Services Between Albany Unified School District and Dannis Woliver Kelly, Attorneys at Law, for Parcel Tax Ballot Language and Requirements