

RESOLUTION NO. 4-08

**A RESOLUTION OF AGREEMENT WITH THE WEST LAFAYETTE
COMMUNITY SCHOOL BOARD TO STUDY JOINT
REORGANIZATION UNDER THE GOVERNMENT MODERNIZATION
ACT (IC 36-1.5 et seq)**

WHEREAS, the West Lafayette Community School Board reports significant financial challenges exist for the West Lafayette Community School Corporation now and in the future; and

WHEREAS, the West Lafayette Community School Board has requested the City of West Lafayette consider the possibility of joint reorganization as a method to overcome the financial challenges facing the West Lafayette Community School Corporation; and

WHEREAS, the Governmental Modernization Act (IC 36-1.5 et seq) provides a statutory method to investigate such a reorganization; and

WHEREAS, this Resolution shall only take effect upon the passage of a substantially similar resolution by the West Lafayette Community School Board,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Common Council of the City of West Lafayette, Indiana, that the Common Council of the City of West Lafayette and the City of West Lafayette administration shall take those actions reasonably necessary to investigate a reorganization between the City of West Lafayette and the West Lafayette Community School Corporation under IC 36-1.5 et seq, including participating in the formation of a Community Committee to study such a reorganization and report on its findings.