WOODLAND SCHOOL DISTRICT #404 RESOLUTION NO. 2530- PROCUREMENT CARDS

WHEREAS, under RCW 36.58, Section 2, the Legislature finds that:

- 1. The use of procurement cards (credit cards) is a customary and economical business practice to improve cash management, reduce costs and increase efficiency; and
- 2. Local governments, including school districts, should consider and use credit (procurement) cards when appropriate; and

WHEREAS, schools and departments have a need to conduct daily purchases for supplies and materials;

WHEREAS, the Board of Directors recognizes that the procurement card is not a substitute for public bidding, and that the procurement card program is not being implemented for the purpose of bid splitting and avoidance of the statutorily mandated public bidding process; and

WHEREAS, Woodland School District #404 has negotiated with U.S. Bank who currently holds the Washington State Contract for procurement card agreements, to administer on behalf of Woodland School District #404 a procurement card system issued to school departments and individual authorized employees with established limits and purposes; and

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED the Board of Directors of Woodland School District #404, Cowlitz County, Washington, has determined:

- 1. The president and secretary of the Board of Directors are authorized to enter into agreement with US Bank to secure procurement cards for authorized employees of Woodland School District #404 under such terms and conditions as approved by its legal counsel and this Board.
- 2. As a condition precedent to receiving the procurement card, each authorized employee shall sign a Procurement Card Use Agreement.
- 3. As a condition precedent to receiving the procurement card, the business manager shall establish monetary limit of authority for each employee's use of the procurement card.
- 4. The Board of Directors hereby expressly authorized the Business Manager to execute the Procurement Card Use Agreement on its behalf
- 5. Upon receipt and use of a procurement card, the cardholder shall submit receipt and such information as requested by the Business Manager.

APPROVED by the Board of Directors of Woodland School District #404, Cowlitz County, Washington on the 28th day of September, 2009.

ATTEST:		
Secretary to the Board	President	
	Director	