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The Transylvania County Board of Education recognizes the need to:

- Reduce electric power waste to as low a level as is practical without compromising the basic educational program;
- Reduce the impact of rising electric power costs on the operating budget; and
- Demonstrate leadership in the community in electrical load management efforts to reduce the use of critical electric power, the consumption of accompanying generation resources and the need to for expensive, new generation facilities.

A program of electrical load management must be vigorously pursued in order to maintain an effective educational environment. Recognizing this need, the Transylvania County Board of Education charges the administration and the electrical load management project coordinator to formulate and maintain activities conducive to effective load management in all educational facilities.

Further, the Board recognizes the need to support this effort by authorizing the project coordinator to form a core committee composed of key program and building decision makers. The project coordinator and the core committee are empowered to develop and implement a program of improved electrical load management and to obtain professional advice on analyses and capital-intensive building and system modifications.

Further, the Board emphasizes the importance of this effort by granting release time from normal duties to enable staff members of the electrical load management core committee, and other personnel at their direction, to participate in this program. The project coordinator shall make periodic progress reports to the Board and to the community.

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