



Lamar CISD

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Item Name: PROPOSED OPTIONS FOR BUS TIERS & SCHOOL HOURS UPDATE

Item Summary: Due to growth, Lamar CISD is currently transporting 3,000 more students than at the same time last year causing more comeback routes.

Therefore, to resolve the issues regarding comeback routes, increased ridership and bus driver shortages, the District is considering changing school hours and moving from a two-tier to a four-tier system.

For a district of this geographical size, it is becoming increasingly difficult to transport students with continued growth in enrollment size. In fact, all the districts in the surrounding area operate on three-tier, four-tier or five-tier systems.

This item is to present data regarding the proposed options for bus tiers and school hours.

Recommendation: None

Policy Reference: CNA Legal

Leadership Definition Alignment: Plan for Success

Strategic Plan Alignment: Plan for Rapid Growth While Preserving District Culture

Currently Budgeted? Yes No No Budgetary Impact

Completion or Implementation Timeline: 2023-2024 school year.