

Graham Independent School District Board Agenda Item Synopsis

Subject: Community Resources Transition Expo

Background Information:

Graham ISD held The Community Resources Expo & Career Fair in the GHS Gym on Wednesday, March 26th, from 11:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. This event was coordinated by Dr. Kristina Matin Graham ISD Transition and Employment Designee. The event was also open to the public and surrounding districts. This year's event saw record-breaking attendance, with 522 GHS students and 20 community members participating, the highest numbers in the last five years. Many students shared positive feedback, highlighting the valuable knowledge they gained. Additionally, several agencies praised the students from GHS for their involvement.

Administrative Consideration:

Transition services are a coordinated set of activities designed to help the child move from school to post-school activities. In Texas, transition activities for special education students, starting at age 14, should focus on post-secondary goals in education/training, employment, and independent living, and may include career exploration, community experiences, and support services.

Budgetary Impact:

None

Recommendation:

Information Only.

Meeting Date:

April 9, 2025