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Topic: Resolution on Hazardous Areas for the 2025-2026 School Year

Submitted by: Joel Falcon, Chief of Operations

Approved for Transmittal: 

Board Meeting Date: 4/15/2025

Recommendation:

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the resolution declaring 37 areas to be hazardous for students walking to and from school and request approval for bus transportation from the commissioner of the Texas Education Agency for the 2025-2026 school year.

Rationale:

The Texas Education Code allows a school district to apply for additional transportation funding from the Texas Education Agency for transporting students to school who live within two (2) miles of their home campus and would have to walk through areas that are deemed hazardous. Prior to applying for this additional transportation funding, the Board must approve a resolution describing the hazardous areas for which funding may be requested.

Budget Information:

After approval, transportation funding will be requested from the Texas Education Agency as allowed by the state statute.

Board Policy Reference and Compliance:

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