

No. _____



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT AGENDA ACTION ITEM

TOPIC Approval of Request for Use of Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds for Perez Elementary for \$5,000, Centeno Elementary for \$5,000, Prada Elementary for \$5,000, Roosevelt Elementary for \$5,000, Ruiz Elementary \$5,000, Salinas Elementary for \$5,000 Lamar Bruni Vergara Middle for \$7,000, Los Obispos Middle for \$7,000, United South Middle for \$7,000, Lyndon B. Johnson High School for \$12,000 and United South High

SUBMITTED BY: Juan Antonio Molina, Jr. **OF:** Board Member

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD: _____

DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION: May 21, 2008

RECOMMENDATION:

RATIONALE:

BUDGETARY INFORMATION

BOARD POLICY REFERENCE AND COMPLIANCE:



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: Dr. S. Perez Elementary

Campus Principal: Maria de Lourdes Viloria

Board Member: Mr. Juan Molina

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: School improvements and
facility upgrade. Tin roof by the
bus drop-off area. (We will build part of it)

Total cost = \$24,960.00

Amount allocated = \$ 5,000.00

Estimated Cost of Request 24,960.00

Principal Signature: Maria de Lourdes Viloria Date 4/25/08

Board Member Approval: Yes _____ No _____

Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Approval: Yes _____ No _____ Date Approved: _____

Please return the completed form to the Superintendent's Office for final processing.



UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Roberto J. Santos
Superintendent

Memo

To: Mr. Juan Antonio Molina, UISD Board of Trustee
From: Mrs. Maria de Lourdes Vilorio, Principal
Re: Donation Letter
Date: April 21, 2008

Mr. Molina, first of all let me thank for visiting our school on April 11, 2008. I have requested a price quote for the canopy that will help us protect our bus students from being under the sun. Unfortunately, the quote is extremely high and we will not be able to afford building the whole canopy. If it is okay with you we would like to receive the \$5,000.00 discretionary fund donation and request that the contractor only build as much of the canopy as we can afford.

Otherwise, if this is not an option, we would like to use the donation to purchase 6 metal benches for the playground.

Please see the enclosed quote:

Thank you,

Mrs. Maria de Lourdes Vilorio



Dr. Perez Elementary School
Maria de Lourdes Vilorio, Principal
500 Sierra Vista Drive • Laredo, Texas 78046 • (956) 473-3600 fax (956) 473-3699

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Date: April 16, 2008

To: Mrs. Maria De Lourdes Veloria (Principal)
Dr. Sigifredo Perez Elementary
500 Sierra Vista Blvd.
Laredo Texas, 78046

Re: Dr. Sigifredo Perez Elementary

Re: Portable Steel Canopies

AMERICAN CONTRACTING CORPORATION OF TEXAS HEREBY SUBMITS SPECIFICATIONS AND ESTIMATE FOR THE FOLLOWING SCOPE OF WORK:

SCOPE

CANOPY AREA APPROXIMATELY: 2,400 SQ. FT.

1. FABRICATE AND INSTALL METAL STRUCTURE INCLUDES THE USE OF:
 - A. 3.5" 7 GAUGE ROUND PIPE
 - B. 6" x 2 1/2" PURLIN
 - C. 6" x 6" x 3/8" BASE PLATES (REQUIRED)
 - D. RED OXIDE METAL PRIMER
 - E. PAINT THINNER
 - F. CONCRETE WEDGE ANCHORS
 - G. (3") 90 DEGREE STEEL ELBOWS
2. PRIME AND PAINT ALL WELDED POLES WITH RED OXIDE PAINT.
3. DIG HOLES 8" WIDE x 3' DEEP FOR POLES (SIDEWALK NOT INCLUDED ON 90 % OF CANOPY).
4. INSTALL PRIMED POLES AND FILL WITH READY MIX CONCRETE.
5. WELD CONNECTING POINTS OF PURLIN TOGETHER WITH PLATES ON POLES.
6. INSTALL METAL R-PANEL ON METAL STRUCTURE FASTENED WITH SHEET METAL SCREWS.
7. APPLY METAL PAINT TO PURLIN AND POLES (COLOR TO MATCH EXISTING COLOR ON BUILDING).
8. INSTALL NEW GUTTERS IN PORTABLE ENTRANCE AS REQUIRED.

NOTE: GUTTERS AND FLASHINGS NOT APPLICABLE

TOTAL \$ 24,960.00
GUADALUPE ESCOBEDO, JR.
PRESIDENT



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: R. C. Centeno Elementary School

Campus Principal: Maria H. Arámbula-Ruiz

Board Member: Juan Antonio Molina

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: To purchase benches for playground and atrium areas.

Estimated Cost of Request \$4,754.42

Principal Signature: Maria H. Arámbula-Ruiz **Date** April 24, 2008

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

Please return the completed form to the Superintendent's Office for final processing.

UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

María H. Arámbula-Ruiz
Principal

April 14, 2008



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Member
District 6

Mr. Juan Antonio Molina
Secretary, Board of Trustees
United Independent School District
210 Lindenwood Road
Laredo, TX 78045

Dear Mr. Molina:

Attached is a price quote for some tables with benches and trash cans that we would like to purchase with the \$5,000.00 of the discretionary funds that you have allocated to our campus. Please advise me if there is any other information that you need to complete this project.

On behalf of the administration, staff and students, I thank you for your commitment to the education of all children and your support of our school.

In the best interest of all children,

Maria H. Arámbula-Ruiz
Principal

Roberto J. Santos
Superintendent

201 Lindenwood Drive
Laredo, Texas 78045
Phone: (956) 473-6219
Facsimile: (956) 728-8691

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2710 LaPita-Mangana Road. - Laredo, TX 78046 - (956) 473-8800 - Fax (956)473-8899



LEISURE CRAFT, INC.
 P.O. Box 1700
 Hendersonville, NC 28793
 Phone: 828-693-8241
 Fax: 828-693-8777

QUOTE

Date	Estimate #
4/14/2008	13119

Name / Address
UNITED ISD RODOLFO C. CENTENO ELEM SCHOOL 2710 LA PITA-MANGANA RD LAREDO, TX 78046 956.765.8800

Ship To
R.C. CENTENO ATTN: CELIA 2710 LAPITA-MANGANA RD. LAREDO, TX 78046 956.473.8800

Terms	Rep	FOB	Email	Phone/Fax	
SENDING CK	SC	Hendersonv'le			
Qty	Item	Description	Rate	Total	
5	T46ROSM-P...	46" ROUND PICNIC TABLE, PERFORATED METAL, SURFACE MOUNT, 305 LBS	590.00	2,950.00	
3	RF32-PERF	32 GAL PERFORATED RECEPTACLE, 95 LBS	275.00	825.00	
3	R32L	32 GAL LINER, 4 LBS	49.00	147.00	
3	32DL	32 GAL DOME LID (GREY ONLY), 10 LBS	100.00	300.00	
6	B100	6" SURFACE MOUNT FOR RECEPTACLES, 6 LBS	20.00	120.00	
	FREIGHT	FREIGHT & HANDLING * freight & handling quote good for 10 days.	412.42	412.42	
QUESTIONS CONCERNING THIS QUOTE CALL SHERRY AT 800-633-8241			Total	\$4,754.42	



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: PACIANO PRADA ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Campus Principal: MARIA DE LOS ANGELES AGUILAR

Board Member: RICARDO MOLINA

Board Member: JUAN ANTONIO MOLINA JR.

Description of Request: Minor instructional facility improvements

Replacement of picnic tables outside

Estimated Cost of Request \$5,000.00

Principal Signature: *[Signature]* **Date** 4-29-08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: Franklin D. Roosevelt Elementary

Campus Principal: Ms. Sylvia L. Reash

Board Member: Juan Antonio Molina Jr.

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: Outside Basketball Court

Estimated Cost of Request \$ 5,000.00

Principal Signature: *Sylvia L. Reash* **Date** 5-1-08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Roberto J. Santos
Superintendent

Mr. Juan Antonio Molina Jr.
Board of Trustee
United Independent School District
201 Lindenwood
Laredo, Texas

Dear Mr. Molina:

The SBDM Committee at Franklin D. Roosevelt had met and proposed the construction of an outdoor basketball court for our school. The project will cost between \$13,000.00 and \$15,000.00. We already have \$10,000.00 assigned to this project, and we are lacking additional funding. For this reason, Franklin D. Roosevelt Elementary respectfully request the amount of \$5,000.00 (five thousand dollars) from you in order to complete the cost of an outside basketball court.

We greatly appreciate your donation to our school. The project it will fund will be beneficial to all of our students.

Sincerely,

Sylvia J. Reash

Principal

Franklin D. Roosevelt Elementary



Roosevelt Elementary School
Sylvia J. Reash, Principal

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Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: A. RUIZ ELEMENTARY

Campus Principal: DAVID GARZA

Board Member: MR. JUAN MOLINA

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: DICTIONARIES AND THESAURUSES

(SEE ATTACHED PURCHASE ORDER)

We would like this for the new school year in August 08-09

Estimated Cost of Request 4,984.94

Principal Signature: DAVID GARZA  **Date** 4/29/08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

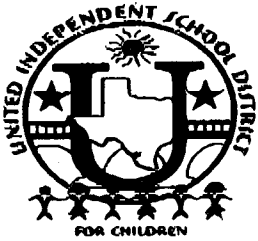
Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Purchase Requisition

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Vendor Name and Address

Perma Bound
617 E. Vandalia Road
Jacksonville, Illinois 62650
Phone No: (Fax) 800-551-1169
Campus: A. Ruiz Elem. Rm NO: Library
Date: 4/29/08

Table with columns: FUND/YR FUNC., ORG., PROGRAM LOCAL PROJECT CODE, OPTION NUMBER, OBJECT, OBJECT AMOUNT, SUB OBJECT AMOUNT. Includes handwritten value '115' in the ORG. column.

BUDGET CODE

ACCOUNT CODE

UNITED PRICE WITH DISCOUNT EXTENSION

Main table with columns: QTY, ITEM #, DESCRIPTION, UNITED PRICE WITH DISCOUNT, EXTENSION. Contains handwritten entries for items 140 and 141, and notes like 'No Processing on Books' and 'No Shipping Fee'.

DISPOSITION: [] Pick-up [] Mail [] Check [X] FAX # 800-551-1169 PAGE TOTAL 4,984.94

REMARK: GRAND TOTAL 4,984.94

Letisia B Blanco 4/29/08
ADMINISTRATOR SIGNATURE DATE

BUDGET COORDINATOR DATE
OTHER DATE



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: O. SALINAS ELEMENTARY

Campus Principal: ABRAHAM RODRIGUEZ

Board Member: JUAN A. MOITNA

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: _____

ELECTRICITY LINE WITH CORNER LIGHT POLES
FOR THE BACK PARKING LOT.
- SOUND PROOFING FOR MUSIC CLASSROOM.

Estimated Cost of Request 5,000

Principal Signature: *A. Rodriguez* Date 05-223-08

Board Member Approval: Yes _____ No _____

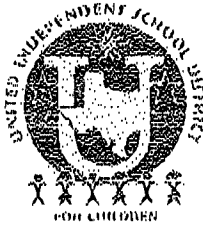
Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Approval: Yes _____ No _____ Date Approved: _____

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UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Mr. Abraham Rodriguez III
Principal

TO: Mr. Juan A. Molina
SUBJ: Discretionary Funds
DATE: April 22, 2008

As per our conversation on discretionary funds at Salinas, I am requesting the following additions in order to continue to better service our students and community.

- Electricity line with corner light poles for the back parking lot.
- Sound proofing for music classroom.

I would like to thank you Mr. Molina for taking the time to visit our campus and offer your assistance.

Abraham Rodriguez III



Salinas Elementary School

1000 Century Drive West • Laredo, Texas 78046 • (956) 473-3200 • Fax (956) 473-3299



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: Lamar Bruhi-Vergara Middle School

Campus Principal: Ms. Annabel Castillo-Gomez

Board Member: Juan Molina

Board Member: Ricardo Molina

Description of Request: LBVMS is requesting a 23" W x 32" L Canopy
to extend from the exit doors to the edge of sidewalk or curb.

Estimated Cost of Request \$7,000.00

Principal Signature: *A C Gomez* **Date** 4/28/08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: Las Obispos Middle School

Campus Principal: Armando Salazar

Board Member: Juan A. Malina

Board Member: _____

Description of Request: _____

Money to offset some of the cost
that the band program incurred with
the start of our school's mariachi group
- Uniforms and instruments

Estimated Cost of Request \$7,000.00

Principal Signature [Signature]

Date 4/28/08

Board Member Approval: Yes _____ No _____

Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Member Signature: _____ Date _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ Date _____

Board Approval: Yes _____ No _____ Date Approved: _____

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Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: United South Middle School

Campus Principal: Selma J. Santos

Board Member: Juan Antonio Molina, Jr.

Board Member: Francisco "Pancho" Gonzalez, Jr.

Description of Request: Currently our campus has a small area of cement slab. Two steel tables and a metal roof covering (canopy) would be used for students where they could wait during lunch and in the morning in this area.

Estimated Cost of Request \$ 7,000

Principal Signature: S.J. Santos **Date** 4-28-08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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UNITED SOUTH MIDDLE SCHOOL

Selma Santos, Principal

Dear Mr. Molina,

When presented with the opportunity to receive some funds, I immediately focused on using it towards our students. Through the years we have made great improvements to our campus that have positively impacted the faculty's, community's, and students' perceptions and attitudes.

As part of our beautification efforts, there is a slab of cement where we would like to have 2 round metal tables protected by a metal canopy. We would greatly appreciate this project being approved in order to foster a positive school climate.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "S. J. Santos".

Mrs. Selma J. Santos, Principal



Exhibit A

**United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008**

Requesting Campus: Lyndon B. Johnson High School

Campus Principal: Oscar Perez

Board Member: Ricardo Molina

Board Member: Juan Antonio Molina

Description of Request: _____

Sun Canopy for Patio area

Estimated Cost of Request \$20,000

Principal Signature: *Oscar Perez* **Date** 4-30-08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Member Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Superintendent Signature: _____ **Date** _____

Board Approval: Yes No **Date Approved:** _____

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Exhibit A

United Independent School District
Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds Request Form
Fiscal Year 2007-2008

Requesting Campus: United South High School

Campus Principal: Roylin B. Wilson

Board Member: Juan Molina

Board Member:

Description of Request: Student Incentives

Never been absent (NBA Club) purpose to promote improved attendance rate.

Incentives: An ice cream social to recognized those students who have perfect attendance at the nine week grading period. Door prizes may also be awarded.

Passing all my classes (PACman Club) purpose to promote improved academic commitment from students.

Incentives: A sundae social to recognize those students who are maintaining a 70+ or better average at the nine week grading period. Door prizes may also be awarded.

Estimated Cost of Request \$ 12,000.00

Principal Signature: [Signature] Date 4/29/08

Board Member Approval: Yes No

Board Member Signature: Date

Board Member Signature: Date

Superintendent Signature: Date

Board Approval: Yes No Date Approved:

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