Killeen Independent School District Board Agenda Item Action Sheet

Date: May 13, 2025

Agenda Item Caption: Consideration of Low Attendance Days Waiver Requests to be Submitted to the

Texas Education Agency

Purpose of Agenda Item: Action needed

Administrative Recommendation: Move to approve the low attendance days waivers request to be submitted to the Texas Education Agency, as presented.

Background Information: Districts or campuses can request a waiver from the Texas Education Agency (TEA) to excuse any instructional days from average daily attendance and Foundation School Program funding calculations that have attendance at least ten percentage points below the last school year's overall average attendance, for the district or applicable campus, due to inclement weather, health or safety-related issues. In the waiver, the district must attach supporting documentation of low attendance for the day(s) (including the reason for the low attendance rate) and the prior year's attendance report (showing the average for the year) for the district or applicable campus. This item was reviewed at the May 6, 2025 board workshop.

Fiscal Analysis: If accepted by TEA, Average Daily Attendance funding for missed days would be recaptured at a rate of approximately \$36 per day per student (based on a basic allotment of \$6,160 for 170 instructional days).

Regulatory Requirement: Texas Education Agency 2024-2025 Student Attendance Accounting Handbook

Contact Person for Additional Questions/Information:

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Attachments: 1) Low Attendance List

2) Low Attendance Chart

Signature Requested: No