Joint Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for School Resource Officer Services Funded by Denton County Fresh Water Supply District #10 (June 11, 2019)

SUMMARY:

- This item requests approval of the Joint Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for School Resource Officer Services between the Denton County Fresh Water Supply District #10 and the Denton Independent School District (DISD) whereas Denton Fresh Water Supply District #10 shall provide and fund a certified police officer to serve Savannah Elementary.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

- The Denton ISD Board of Trustees has approved a joint interlocal agreement with the Denton County Fresh Water Supply Districts to fund SRO services at both Paloma Creek and Bell Elementary. The certified officers are provided by the Town of Little Elem.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- The Water District # 10 has funded and provided a certified police officer to serve as a SRO for the past two years.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

- The addition of campuses on the 380 corridor along with increased student growth in the Savannah attendance zone initiated Water District #10 to provide a SRO. The Water District is willing to fund the SRO services to provide training, safety and security for Savannah Elementary.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

-None

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

- Provided safety and security to one of our largest DISD elementary schools. In addition, these services are provided to Savannah Elementary with no fiscal impact to the district.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

- None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

- None

ALTERNATIVES:

- No alternative actions are proposed.

OTHER COMMENTS:

- It is important that our schools are safe and secured. The Denton County Fresh Water Supply District #10 is providing DISD an incalculable opportunity at no financial obligation to Savannah Elementary.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

- The superintendent recommends approval of the Joint Interlocal Cooperation Agreement between Denton County Fresh Water Supply District #10 and the Denton Independent School District whereas Water District #10 shall provide Savannah Elementary with a certified SRO that is totally funded by the Water District #10.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Dr. Jamie Wilson, Superintendent of Schools
- Dr. Richard Valenta, Deputy Superintendent

ATTACHMENT:

- The Joint Interlocal Cooperation Agreement for School Resource Officer Services funded by the Denton County Fresh Water Supply District #10.

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:	
Comments:	
Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:	

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Signature of Superintendent:	
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