

Hitchcock Independent School District

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Meeting Date: August 24, 2026

Presented by: Dr. Darryl J. Henson, Superintendent of Schools

Subject: Donation: Port of Houston

Consent Agenda

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

Hitchcock ISD has received a contribution from The Port of Houston in support of our Hitchcock High School Maritime program. This \$2500.00 donation will be applied to various needs of the Maritime program which could include supplies and field trips. The Port Houston Maritime Education Sponsorship Program (the "Sponsorship Program") is a Port Houston initiative focused on introducing youth to maritime career opportunities in port-related industries, encouraging higher education in the maritime field, and developing partnerships between port employers and education institutions so that relevant education programs continue to be accessible to develop tomorrow's maritime workforce.

BOARD ACTION REQUIRED:

I move that the Hitchcock ISD Board of Trustees approve the donation from The Port of Houston as presented.

POLICY AUTHORIZATION:

CDC (LOCAL)

CONTACT PERSON:

Dr. Keri Launius, Executive Director of Student Services

FUNDING SOURCE:

NA

ENCLOSURES:

Hitchcock ISD 26-27 Maritime Education Program Service Agreement (Attachment)