



SCHOOL BOARD AGENDA ITEM SUMMARY

September 08, 2026

SUBJECT: **CONSIDER AND TAKE POSSIBLE ACTION ON INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT WITH HARRIS COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION (HCDE) AND ADDENDUM FOR EDUCATIONAL AND ADULT EDUCATION SERVICES**

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Approve Interlocal Agreement with Harris County Department of Education (HCDE) and Addendum for Educational and Adult Education Services pursuant to the Texas Interlocal Cooperation Act, Chapter 91, Texas Government Code and authorize the Superintendent to execute the agreement and related documents.

RATIONALE: This Interlocal Agreement establishes a framework for the district to access programs and services offered by Harris County Department of Education (HCDE) based on the district's identified needs. The district will participate in selected HCDE programs and services, comply with applicable contract terms, and designate representatives to coordinate participation. Approval of the agreement provides the district with flexibility to collaborate with HCDE and access available resources and expertise in support of District operations and student needs.

The Addendum to the Master Contract specifically provides for adult education services that support adult learners in pursuing educational goals, including GED attainment, workforce preparation, and continued educational opportunities. These services help make education more accessible to community members seeking to strengthen their skills and pursue employment or further education. Approval of the Master Contract and Addendum will provide the district with a flexible partnership and expanded educational resources to support both District needs and adult learners in the community. Participation is made available to other local governmental entities in accordance with Chapter 791 of the Texas Government Code.

BUDGET PROVISIONS/ACTION REQUIRED: Not Applicable

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