

**Graham Independent School District
Board Agenda Item Synopsis**

Subject: Consider Approval of a Class Size Waiver for Graham Elementary

Background Information: Each school district in Texas is required to review its class size enrollment to determine whether its class sizes for grades prekindergarten (PK) through four meet the requirements of TEC §25.112. If the review indicates that any class for grades PK-4 exceeds the allowable class size limit of 22 students per class (22:1), the district must submit a request for exception under TEC §25.112(d).

Administrative Consideration:

We have three 4th grade classes in need of the waiver. The district is also required to inform the parents in each of the classes.

Alignment to District Goals:

- ☐ 1. **Academics:** All students will be prepared for success at the next level.
- ☐ 2. **Our People:** Recruit and retain highly qualified employees at all levels.
- ☐ 3. **Finance and Facilities:**
Optimize revenues and impact student achievement by increasing attendance rates at all campuses.
Commit to excellence in facilities that promote innovative, health, and welcoming learning environments.
- ☐ 4. **Culture:** All stakeholders will take ownership in creating a welcoming, compassionate, unified school community striving for aspirational achievements.
- ☐ 5. **Safety:** Provide a safe, healthy and secure environment for all stakeholders.
- ☒ 6. **Communications:** Support student success through clear, consistent, and inclusive communication and marketing that builds trust, reflects our diverse community, and empowers all stakeholders.

Budgetary Impact:

None.

Recommendation:

Approve Class Size Waiver for Graham Elementary.

Meeting Date:

September 9, 2026