



NORTH EAST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Budget & Financial Analysis

Subject: Budget Amendment #1

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CONSENT ITEM

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

The 2026-2027 fiscal year budget was adopted on June 18, 2026. Estimated revenue and appropriations are subject to change on a regular basis.

In the General Fund, Budget Amendment #1 includes an increase to appropriations for encumbrances (obligations) of the District from the previous fiscal year which were not liquidated by year end as well as certain dedicated sums that were not expended by June 30, 2026. The District “rolls-forward” these obligations to the current fiscal year. This amendment includes an adjustment of \$2,484,054 to the budget for these encumbrances.

No changes are being made to the Debt Service Fund or the School Nutrition Services Fund.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION

By law, amendments to the budgets for the General, Debt Service, and School Nutrition Services Funds must be approved by the Board of Trustees before new appropriations may be expended.

BUDGETARY CONSIDERATION

For the General Fund, this budget amendment decreases budgeted fund balance by \$2,484,054. The resulting budgeted deficit and ending fund balance for June 30, 2027, are estimated to be \$53,024,292 and \$105,378,623 respectively.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve Budget Amendment #1.

BOARD ACTION REQUIRED

Approval/Disapproval