



Board Agenda Item Overview

Meeting Date: September 15, 2026

Meeting Type: Regular

Item Category: Consent Item

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Item Name: CONSIDERATION APPROVAL OF AMENDMENT TO CONTRACT WITH DIRECT ENERGY TO ADD FOUR SCHOOLS/LOCATIONS AND TRAFFIC SIGNALS/OVERHEAD LIGHTS

Item Summary: Lamar CISD is currently under contract with Direct Energy for electricity. This contract when initially signed on February 21, 2020, did not include 1) Danziger Elementary School, 2) Cantu Elementary School, 3) Adams Elementary School, 4) Hawk Signal at Slawinsky Elementary School, and 5) traffic signals and overhead lights at Williams High School Complex #8.

Recommendation: Administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the amendment to the contract with Direct Energy to add additional schools/locations and authorize the Superintendent or designee to execute the agreement.

Policy Reference: CV (Legal)

Strategic Plan Priority: Safe Learning and Working Environment

District Value(s): ☒ Accountability ☐ Big-Thinking ☐ Compassion ☐ Excellence ☐ Integrity ☐ Joy

Currently Budgeted? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ No Budgetary Impact

Completion or Implementation Timeline: The addition of these schools to the contract would begin once the Board approves.

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We are a values-driven community where innovation thrives, excellence is the standard, and every student has access to an elite education.