



Board of Trustees Agenda Item Information Form

Date Submitted: September 16, 2026

Meeting Type

- ☒ Regular Meeting
☐ Special Meeting/Workshop

Meeting Date: September 28, 2026

Agenda Placement

- ☐ Public Hearing
☐ Executive Session
☐ Recognition
☐ Program Spotlight
☐ Community Input

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Agenda Placement

- ☐ Administrative Report
☒ Consent Agenda
☐ Action Item
☐ Information/Discussion

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District Strategies (Check all that apply):

- ☐ Students and staff will thrive in a secure environment, build connections and community, and become resilient leaders.
☐ Each student will engage in world-class learning experiences that foster curiosity, develop talents, guide exploration, and fuel achievement.
☒ We will cultivate innovation through strategic collaboration and responsive organizational stewardship.

Subject:

Consider Approval of Legal Services Agreements.

Background:

Texas Government Code Section 2254.003 and Texas Education Code Section 44.031(f) require school districts to contract with attorneys on the basis of demonstrated competence and qualifications to perform professional services for a fair and reasonable price. The district has utilized the legal services of both Rogers, Morris & Grover, L.L.P. and Thompson & Horton LLP since 2018. The district anticipates continuing to need to use these law firms for the provision of general legal services on an as needed or case-by-case basis in all areas of school law, including personnel, student discipline, procurement, contracts, construction, real estate, open meetings/open records, and special education.

Fiscal Impact Statement

Cost: \$0.00

- ☐ Recurring
☐ One-Time

Funding Source:

- ☐ General Fund
☐ Grant Fund
☐ Other Funds (specify)

Fiscal Year: N/A

Amendment Required: N/A

☐ Bond Funds (program year): N/A

Superintendent's Recommendation:

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board authorize the Superintendent to execute legal services agreements with Rogers, Morris & Grover, L.L.P. and Thompson & Horton LLP for general legal services.

Department Submitting Form: Policy and Legal Affairs

Cabinet Member's Approval: Leila Sarmecanic