Board Agenda Item

11-16-2026	**Reports of the Superintendent** ☒	**Action Item** ☐	**Consent Agenda** ☐	**Reports, Routine Monthly** ☐	**Other** ☐
Subject:	**IV. REPORTS OF THE SUPERINTENDENT** A. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT 1. CHISD Optimization				
Presenter or Contact Person:	**Superintendent Dr. Maria Gamell, Executive Director of Teaching and Learning Dr. Cherron Montgomery, Executive Director of Special Education Heath Koenig, and Executive Director of Foundation and Engagement Eduardo Conde**				
Policy/Code:	Not applicable.				
Summary:	In September, CHISD convened an Optimization Committee charged by the Board of Trustees to: ● Use **facts** and **data** to guide decisions ● Focus on the **needs** of the Cedar Hill ISD **students, staff,** and **community** ● Base all recommendations on what is best for **Cedar Hill ISD as a whole** ● Utilize criteria that **improve** overall **efficiency** in campus operations and building utilization ● **Recommend** to the Board of Trustees **a District optimization plan** for Board approval and administrative implementation ● **Ensure** every Cedar Hill ISD student and teacher has a **safe, well-resourced environment** that is conducive to teaching and learning The Committee met three times to learn about public school finance, CHISD finances, enrollment, building capacities, attendance zones, and				

	demographic projections. Members of the committee will present their recommendation.
Attachments:	Optimization Committee Presentation
Recommendation:	**This report is for information only.**
Recommended Motion:	Not applicable.