## Killeen Independent School District Board Agenda Item Information Sheet

**Date:** April 15, 2025

Agenda Item Caption: Overview and Discussion of the District Partnership with Bell County Juvenile

Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP)

Purpose of Agenda Item: Information only

Administrative Recommendation: None

**Background Information:** Killeen ISD is committed to providing every student with the support and opportunities they need to succeed both behaviorally and academically. As part of this mission, we are exploring ways to build a stronger, more intentional partnership with our Bell County Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP) to better serve students who require alternative placement outside of the traditional school setting.

JJAEP serves youth who have been referred through the juvenile justice system and provides an alternative learning environment that emphasizes structure, support, and rehabilitation. This presentation is designed to initiate a deeper understanding of how JJAEP operates, the services it offers, and how we can work collaboratively to align our educational and behavioral support efforts. By fostering a strong and meaningful partnership with JJAEP, we have begun and will continue to improve communication and collaboration between KISD and the JJAEP staff.

We recognize the critical role that JJAEP can play in supporting our district's broader goals of student safety and student success. This conversation marks the beginning of a collaborative effort to design a system of support that works for all students, particularly those at risk of falling through the cracks.

Fiscal Analysis: None

**Regulatory Requirement:** None

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