Ector County Literacy Support Proposal 2013-2014

Region 18 ESC and Ector County ISD, working collaboratively to improve student performance in the areas of reading, agree to the following arrangement.

ROLE OF THE ESC

- Provide a preliminary consultation with district stakeholders and ESC to finalize plans and details for instructional improvement efforts.
- ESC consultants will provide no less than 13 total consultant days in order to:
 - Partner with Ector County ISD in implementing an evidenced-based literacy program.
 - Train Ector County ISD new hires or those previously not trained in best practices and standards-based instructional strategies for reading, which are designed to provide the highest yield in student achievement.
 - Support Reading Specialists as they coach teachers in the implementation of research-based techniques and strategies.
 - Network with Reading Specialists four times a year to support the implementation of research-based techniques and strategies.
- ESC consultants and Reading Specialists will communicate with and debrief district staff regarding teachers' program implementation, student progress, and "next steps."

ROLE OF ECTOR COUNTY ISD

- Ector County ISD Reading Specialists, CCFs, and Dyslexia Teachers will attend and actively participate in all designated professional development sessions in order to provide assistance with best practices for reading.
- Orient appropriate Ector County staff to the improvement process, as well as the expectations and outcomes for this collaborative effort.
- Aid and assist the ESC team in the scheduling and logistical planning for the instructional improvement work.

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AUTHORIZATION

COSTS

Authorized representatives of Ector County ISD and Region 18 Education Service Center enter into the above-described agreement for a fee of \$9,750 plus the costs to fulfill the printing associated with the professional development sessions.

Authorized District Signature Ector County ISD County-District No. 068-901	Date	
District Purchase Order Number for Su	upport	
Business Manager Signature Ector County ISD County-District No. 068-901	Date	
District Purchase Order Number for Pr	rinting	
Authorized ESC Signature Region 18 Education Service Center County-District No. 165-950	Date	