

United Independent School District AGENDA ACTION ITEM

TOPIC: Low Attendance Day Waiver for United South High School; Lyndon B. Johnson High School; Salvador Garcia Middle School; Nye Elementary; Ruiz Elementary; Juarez-Lincoln Elementary; Roosevelt Elementary- January 22, 2025.

SUBMITTED BY: Thelma J. Martinez OF: Office of Attendance

APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD:

DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION: May 21, 2025

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the Low Attendance Waiver for the District for the date of January 22, 2025.

Districts or campuses may request a low-attendance waiver for a day when school was held, but attendance was at least 10 percentage points below the overall average attendance rate for your district or the applicable campus for the prior year because of inclement weather or related health or safety issues.

RATIONALE:

United ISD was open for instruction on Monday, January 22, 2025 (**2-hour delay start**); however, due to inclement weather, the list of campuses experienced the following (SEE PAGE 2). Since each of the campuses had a greater than 10% difference in attendance from the 23-24 school year, UISD is able to apply for a low-attendance waiver. All our campuses have enough minutes to satisfy the 75,600 minutes required by TEA for the academic year to request this waiver.

The Attendance & Admissions Department has supporting documentation to provide to TEA to request this waiver, if approved to submit.

BUDGETARY INFORMATION:

N/A

BOARD POLICY REFERENCE AND COMPLIANCE:

Board Policy: FEB Local Attendance Accounting and BF Board Policies

Attendance Low Attendance Waivers - 4th Six Weeks Reporting Period					
School	Date	Attendance Rate on Date	2023-2024 ADA	% Difference	Reason
United South High (002)	01/22/2025	79.38%	92.20%	12.82%	Weather
L.B. Johnson High (009)	01/22/2025	77.56%	90.63%	13.07%	Weather
Salvador Garcia Middle (044)	01/22/2025	80.89%	93.50%	12.61%	Weather
Nye Elementary (103)	01/22/2025	84.09%	94.38%	10.29%	Weather
Ruiz Elementary (115)	01/22/2025	80.81%	93.99%	13.18%	Weather
Juarez Lincoln Elementary (118)	01/22/2025	78.73%	93.62%	14.89%	Weather
Roosevelt Elementary (123)	01/22/2025	83.30%	94.26%	10.96%	Weather
2 Hours Delay Start					
District Average for 01-22-2025	86.64%				