Action Sheet

MEETING DATE:

December 18, 2019

AGENDA ITEM:

Discuss and consider the approval for Galveston ISD to apply for a School Safety and Security Grant through the TEA for the amount of \$113,574.

Monies have been appropriated by the Texas Education Agency to provide funding to public schools, including the School for the Blind and Visually Impaired and the School for the Deaf for: (1) exterior doors with push bars; (2) metal detectors at school entrances; (3) erected vehicle barriers; (4) security systems that monitor and record school entrances, exits, and hallways; (5) campus-wide active shooter alarm systems that are separate from fire alarms; (6) two-way radio systems; (7) perimeter security fencing; (8) bullet-resistant glass or film for school entrances; and (9) door-locking systems.

GISD will use this funding to enhance door security on our campuses by purchasing and installing locking hardware.

RECOMMENDATION:

I move that the Board of Trustees approve for Galveston ISD to apply for a School Safety and Security Grant through the TEA for the amount of \$113,574.

Dr. Kelli Moulton Superintendent

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