

Action Sheet

Out of State Conference/Travel

Mr. Ted W. Paton (*Associate Superintendent of CTE*) is requesting to attend the following:

FullScale Symposium

Indianapolis, IN – October 8th – October 10th, 2026

As a Rural AI Strategy Lab School Team leader, Mr. Paton is obligated to present his team's findings at this national conference in order to highlight integrating AI into problem solving in educational settings. Due to his obligations for work at the Symposium beginning first thing on Thursday, October 8th, Mr. Paton will be staying three nights in Indianapolis for the event.

"The FullScale Symposium is gathering leading practitioners and educators shaping the future of education across the U.S. and around the world. Attendees include superintendents and district administrators, principals and school administrators, teachers, researchers, policymakers, technical assistance and professional development providers, higher education leaders, funders, school board members, students, and other advocates for transforming education systems."

Costs for lodging, travel, and registration are covered by the Rural AI Strategy Lab thus Mr. Paton's travel and attendance are cost neutral to ICISD.

Recommendation

Motion to approve Mr. Ted W. Paton's attendance at the FullScale Symposium in Indianapolis, IN from October 8 – October 10, 2026, as presented.