

SOUTH SAN ANTONIO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Agenda Item Summary

Meeting Date: June 16, 2025

Agenda Section: Discussion and Possible Action

Agenda Item Title: TEA Turnaround Plan

From/Presenters: Dr. Jennifer Gutierrez, Deputy Superintendent

Description: TEA Turnaround Plan (TAP)

Under state accountability, a campus must develop a TAP if it receives a second consecutive unacceptable rating. An unacceptable rating under state accountability is an overall F. The TAP must include a description of the strategy school improvement which may include restructuring or reforming the campus, a description of the academic program, written comments collected during stakeholder engagement and a description of the budget, staffing and financial resources required to implement the plan, including any supplemental resources to be provided by the district or other identified sources. In addition to naming the overall strategy for turning around the campus, the district will provide details on how the strategy will be implemented, naming key milestones for implementation, the curriculum/instructional materials to be used during implementation of the TAP, and a description of staffing and budget changes needed to successfully implement the plan. The district will also include information about how stakeholders were engaged.

The District will submit key components of the TAP to TEA for commissioner approval by June 30, 2025. By July 18, 2025 the district will receive a written approval or rejection notice of the TAP. If rejected, the district must submit a modified plan within 60 days.

Historical Data:

Shepard Middle School is required to develop a Turnaround Plan based on the results from 2021-2022, Not Rated (Overall 58) and 2022-2023 F Rating (Overall 59). The campus has been identified as unacceptable for two consecutive school years thus the Turnaround plan must take effect following the third consecutive school year, 2025-2026.

Recommendation: Approve the Shepard MS Turnaround Plan as presented.

Purchasing Director and Approval Date: N/A

Funding Budget Code and Amount: N/A

Goal 1: SSAISD will increase academic achievement for all students and thus close the gap between student populations in pursuit of advanced performance and post-secondary educational or career paths.