



To: Coppel ISD Board of Trustees
From: Sid Grant
Date: March 19, 2019

cc: Brad Hunt, Diana Sircar, Kristen Streeter, Jennifer Villines, Rachael Freeman, Cynthia Arterbery, Ashley Minton

Re: Interlocal Agreement with City of Irving for School Resource Officer for Valley Ranch Elementary and Canyon Ranch Elementary

The City of Irving has agreed to share a School Resource Officer between eight elementary schools in Irving, including six Carrollton Farmers Branch ISD elementary schools and our two Irving elementary schools. The SRO will divide his or her time equally between the eight schools.

The Irving Police Department has a very strong SRO program with Irving ISD and CFB ISD. They work and train regularly with the Coppel PD regarding school safety and emergency response. Additionally, they use and promote the same Safety Response Protocol the Coppel PD and we utilize.

We have offered for the officer to be housed and office at Valley Ranch Elementary. The Irving PD has verbally agreed to this offer.

The City of Irving has agreed to pay a portion of the total cost of the SRO with the remainder of the cost split on a prorated basis between CFB ISD (six schools) and CISD (two schools). Our portion of the annual cost for the 2019-20 school year will be \$24,357.10.

CISD's attorney, Chad Timmons with Abernethy, Roeder, is in the process of negotiating and finalizing the legal language of the Interlocal Agreement with the City of Irving.

RECOMMENDATION: That the Coppel ISD Board of Trustees approve an "Interlocal Agreement for School Resource Officer" with the City of Irving for placement in Valley Ranch Elementary and Canyon Ranch Elementary at an annual cost of \$24,357.10 for the 2019-20 school year pending successful and final negotiation of the Interlocal Agreement by Coppel ISD legal counsel with the City of Irving.