Approval for Travel to a Non-State-Sanctioned Activity Strickland Middle School Orchestra February 14, 2017

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval for the Strickland Middle School Orchestra to participate in the Director's Choice Alamo Showcase of Music in San Antonio scheduled to depart on May 19, 2017 and return May 21, 2017.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

-No previous action has been taken or requested

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- -Travel approval is requested for 75 students and 15 sponsors/chaperones
- -Students will travel by Charter Bus
- -Students will have the opportunity to perform for a panel of judges, receive written as well as recorded critiques, have a guest clinician work with them, visit Texas landmarks and buildings.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

-Students will miss one day of classes.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

-None

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

-None

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

-None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

-None

ALTERNATIVES:

-No alternative actions are proposed.

OTHER COMMENTS:

-Board policy requires board approval for such travel in advance.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

-Recommended approval for Strickland Middle School Orchestra to participate in the Director's Choice Alamo Showcase of Music in San Antonio scheduled to depart on May 19, 2017 and return May 21, 2017.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Michael Burris

ATTACHMENT:

-Proposed Itinerary

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:	Joundaly Y. Arken
Comments:	
Signature of Divisional Leader:	
Comments:	
Signature of Superintendent:	
Comments:	