

**Denton Independent School District**  
Donation of Equipment  
Guyer High School Band Trailer  
April 14, 2009

**SUMMARY:**

This item requests approval for the donation of a 58 ft. semi-trailer to augment and support the Guyer High School Band/Fine Arts Program (see Attachment #1).

**BOARD GOAL:**

- III. Climate...** In pursuit of excellence, the district will promote and nourish a learning and working environment which is supportive, cooperative and ensures open communication.
- IV. Parent & Community Involvement...** In pursuit of excellence, the district will foster a positive and welcoming environment that encourages parent and community partnerships to achieve success for all our students.

**PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:**

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**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Mr. Cletus Edwards, of San Antonio, grandfather to a GHS band student, wishes to donate a 58 ft. semi-trailer to support the GHS Band & Fine Arts Program. Mr. Edwards totally refurbished the unit at his own expense.
- DISD's Fleet Maintenance Staff completed a full inspection of the unit and certifies that all systems and structure pass Federal and Texas Department of Transportation requirements.
  - VIN: 1JJV582W0VL432950
  - Vehicle Class: Dry Freight Trailer-type S
  - Yr/Make: 1997/Wabash
  - Empty Wt: 12900
  - Previous owner: SNL Distribution Services Corp, Birmingham, AL
- Board Policy CDC (LEGAL)-P Dated 01/29/08 Update 82, Governs Donations to the District.

**SIGNIFICATE ISSUES:**

- DISD Transportation will rent/lease tractor unit as needed to transport trailer.
- Unit will be staged/parked at Guyer High School

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:**

- The Transportation Department will operate and maintain the GHS Band Trailer.
- Operational costs will be billed to the GHS Band or Athletic Program.

**BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

Referenced equipment will provide logistical support to the GHS Band/Fine Arts Program.

**PROCEDURAL & REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:**

Licensing, permits, operational and maintenance requirements will comply with US Department of Transportation and Texas Department of Transportation Regulations.

**PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:**

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**ALTERNATIVES:**

na

**OTHER COMMENTS:**

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**SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:**

Approve donation of GHS Band Trailer

**STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:**

Gene Holloway, Transportation Director

Barbara Fisher, GHS Principal

Chris Cansler, GHS Director of Bands

**ATTACHMENT:**

Photographs - GHS Band Trailer

**APPROVAL:**

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:

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Signature of Division Executive Director/Asst. Superintendent:

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Signature of Superintendent:

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