Approval for Travel to Non-State-Sanctioned Activity, Out- Of –State Denton High School AFJROTC

March 8, 2016

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval for out of state travel for approximately 55 Denton High School AFJROTC cadets. A motor coach carrying instructors, chaperones and students will visit Altus AFB, Altus OK on Mar 30 for a ground tour and orientation flight on board a KC-135 air refueling aircraft

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

No previous board action.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

This Curriculum-In-Action trip is part of a yearly requirement from HQ AF. Our trip does not have to be out of state; however, Altus AFB is the closest opportunity for our cadets to see an "active duty" base with a largest variety of career fields including aviation, medical, law enforcement and other careers

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

None

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

None

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

Trip will allow cadets to see first-hand the inner workings of a military installation as well as the many professions involved in operating a military installation and launching military aircraft.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

None

ALTERNATIVES:

Alternative action would be to visit a viable Texas military installation.

OTHER COMMENTS:

AFJROTC cadets visited Altus AFB OK in 2010 and 2011.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

Requesting out of state travel approval for 55 DISD JROTC students to visit Altus AFB, OK. Students will leave Denton High School at 5AM and return at 830PM on Wed, Mar 30, 2016.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Senior Aerospace Science Instructor, Lt Col (Ret) Robert West and Aerospace Science Instructor, MSgt (Ret) David Ashcraft.

ATTACHMENT:

None

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