



Splendoria ISD Board of Trustees Agenda Item Information Form

BOARD MEETING DATE: 5/19/25

AGENDA ITEM NAME: Approval of Mentor Program- \$1,500 per mentee

THIS ITEM RELATES TO STRATEGIC PLAN PILLAR(S): Priority 1 & 2

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: Splendoria ISD was awarded an \$80,000 grant to support the development and retention of new teachers. As part of this initiative, the district has contracted with the National Institute for Excellence in Teaching (NIET) to provide training and ongoing support for mentor teachers. Additionally, the grant funds will be used to provide a stipend of \$1,500 per mentee to each assigned mentor teacher in recognition of their guidance and support.

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION: Administration recommends that the Board of Trustees of Splendoria Independent School District approve the stipend for the mentoring program.

ATTACHMENTS:

 **Mentor Program Allotment (MPA) Cycle 4 2025-2026 - INFORMATION Document**

RESOURCE PERSONNEL: Carrie Reed-Chief Learning Officer, Calesta House-Director of Federal Programs, Dawn Jackson-Director of Curriculum

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move to approve the mentor stipend grant of \$1,500 per mentee.