

MEETING DATE: April 16, 2012

AGENDA ITEM: Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day

PRESENTER: Earl Husfeld

ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S): All

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

• The Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day program provides an opportunity for school districts to extend plans for career investigation activities.

- Nationally, the Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day is the fourth Thursday
 in April each year (April 26, 2012). However, many Superintendents have
 expressed an interest in participating in the Take Our Daughters and Sons to
 Work Day at a different time than the national event due to state and locally
 established activities.
- The Texas Education Agency has given school districts the flexibility to designate any date between April 26 and June 8 as their day to participate in the Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day.
- The Texas Education Agency also encourages districts to coordinate with other districts both in and outside the region so employers in the surrounding area will not have multiple days in which children are brought to the workplace.

ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATIONS:

 During the March 8, 2012 TASA/Superintendent Study Group Meeting, Region XI Superintendents selected Friday, June 8, 2012 as the Region XI Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day.

FISCAL NOTE:

None

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

The Administration recommends approval of Friday, June 8, 2012 as Take Our Daughters and Sons to Work Day in the Aledo ISD.