



ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE

MEETING DATE: September 17, 2012

AGENDA ITEM: Consider Approval of out of State FFA National Conference trip to Indianapolis

PRESENTER: Dan Manning

ALIGNS TO BOARD PRIORITY(S):

Learning- District will provide an aligned, rigorous curriculum, with instructional / technology programs preparing students to meet / exceed all educational standards

Background Information:

- Each year, nearly 55,000 FFA members gather to learn about careers in the agriculture industry, compete for scholarships, volunteer in the community and shape the future of the National FFA Organization.
- This year's conference will be held in Indianapolis, Oct. 24th-Oct. 27th at the Indiana Convention Center.
- Board Policy requires all out state overnight field trips to be approved by both the school principal, superintendent and the Board.

Administrative Considerations:

- The trip has been approved by Aledo HS principal Dan Peterson
- The trip has also been approved by the Superintendent
- The trip will be chaperoned by District employees and parents of attendees who have met all District requirements to sponsor a trip
- Mr. Peterson and trip sponsors will available at the meeting for any questions.

FISCAL NOTE: The costs of the trip will be paid for with Ag Backer Booster club funds as well as parents of students attending.

Administrative Recommendation: Administration recommends the approval of this trip in order for these students to attend the FFA National Conference in Indianapolis.