



## BOARD ACTION ITEM APPROVAL FORM

**DATE:** July 25, 2025

**SUBJECT:** Regional Day School Program for the Deaf (RDSPD) Shared Services Arrangement (SSA)

**BACKGROUND:** Per Texas Administrative Code §89.1040 Qualified professionals must provide services to students receiving special education services who are deaf / hard of hearing based on the needs of their disability. Last year TCA entered into a Shared Services Arrangement (SSA) with Dallas Independent School District (DISD) for services to our students who are Deaf / Hard of Hearing (DHH). This SSA provides itinerant and evaluation services for our students who are Deaf or Hard of Hearing at all locations in the DFW area.

**ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:** Texans Can Academies wishes to partner with the Dallas ISD Regional Day School Program for the Deaf under a Shared Services Arrangement.

**BUDGET IMPLICATIONS:** Not to exceed \$30,000

**RECOMMENDATION:** That the Texans Can Academies Board of Trustees approve entering into a Shared Services Agreement with Dallas Independent School District's Regional Day School Programs for the Deaf (RDSPD) for SSA member services.

**SUBMITTED BY:**

Cynthia Miles, M.Ed, Chief of Staff

**APPROVED BY:**

James Ponce, Ed.D, Superintendent

**ATTACHMENTS:** Shared Services Arrangement Agreement