

MEETING DATE: February 20, 2018

**CONSENT AGENDA ITEM:** Consider Approval of the "Statement of Impact" for the

Great Hearts Texas charter school.

**PRESENTER:** Dr. Derek Citty, Superintendent

ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S): All

## **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

• In accordance with TEA guidelines, proposed charter schools must submit a "Statement of Impact" to any public school district that may be affected by new, proposed campuses or changes to the school's existing charter.

- These statements must be considered by Trustees in an open board meeting and must be returned to TEA by a stated deadline.
- The Great Hearts Texas charter school whose physical address is 824
  Broadway Street, Suite 101, San Antonio, TX 78215 has made application of the Texas Education Agency to:
  - Increase the geographic boundaries by including a number of districts in or near Tarrant County not originally included in the school's charter application. One of the schools is Aledo ISD.

## ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATION:

 The options available on the Texas Education Agency supplied form list only the District's response as to whether or not the District believes the amendment of this school's charter will or will not have any major impact on Aledo ISD.

**FISCAL NOTE:** Consideration of this impact statement has no known impact to the 2017-18 budget.

**Administrative Recommendation:** Administration recommends Trustees oppose the Great Hearts Texas application for this charter expansion as the expansion of this charter school potentially harms Aledo ISD.