



# SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 18-Oct-10

Agenda #                     

Staff/Administrator: Julie Bickle

Superintendent: Dan Huber-Kantola

Type of Item:  Informational  Action

**Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?**

I am asking for approval to travel with Educational First Tours (EF) to Italy during Spring Break of 2011. We will leave out of Medford, March 18 - 26, 2011. We are planning to take students and a minimum of two adults. Students and adults will pay for the trip. I am requesting one Personal Day on March 18, 2011 with pay docked for sub cost.

**Provide history/background information on your proposal.**

HVHS under the advisor Julie Bickle has traveled four times before with EF: France and Italy, Switzerland, Greece and England, Ireland and Wales.

**List the advantages of your proposal.**

Hands on experiences; to see, feel and touch new cultures. To create a life changing, educational trip that could expand a teenagers horizons for the future. It helps to create an awareness of others; a grace and maturity to appreciate your own culture as well as others.

**List possible disadvantages of your proposal:**

None, we will be missing one day of school, we will be traveling with RRHS.

**List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?**

There are no alternatives. By joining with RRHS we secured the date 3-18-11.

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes  No