



BOARD MEETING MEMORANDUM

Board Meeting Date: May 19, 2026

From: Carole Jennings, Director of Student Services

Re: Contract Approval | HopeAlight Consulting Agreement for 2026-27

Attachment: HopeAlight Consulting Agreement 2026-27

Agenda Location: Consideration to Approve: Action Items

Rationale:

To ensure we provide services to meet the social/emotional needs of our students and staff, we partner with HopeAlight. HopeAlight will continue to provide consultation and guided planning with the AUGS administration and post-training consultation to assist with the second year of Trust Based Relational Intervention implementation with staff. Trust Based Relational Interventions is an attachment-based, trauma-informed intervention designed to help children who have experienced trauma or adversity. It focuses on building trust, meeting physical and emotional needs, and guiding appropriate behavior. TBRI is based on the principles of connecting, correcting, and empowering, and is used in a variety of settings, including orphanages, foster homes, and schools.

Recommendation/Motion:

The administration recommends that the Board approve the HopeAlight Consultation Agreement for coaching and consultation support for a total cost of \$4,450.