# **BOARD AGENDA ITEM COVER SHEET**

ARGYLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT



BOARD MEETING DATE:	Monday, June 16, 2025
AGENDA ITEM:	Low Attendance Waiver
AGENDA LOCATION:	Consent -
PRESENTER TITLE & NAME:	Dr. Dawn Jordan
DEPARTMENT:	Learner Services

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION**

Districts can request a waiver to excuse any instructional days from ADA and FSP funding calculations that have attendance at least 10 percentage points below the last school year's overall average attendance, for the district due to inclement weather, health, or safety-related issues. See *Student Attendance Accounting Handbook* 3.8.1.4. In the waiver, the District must attach supporting documentation of low attendance for the day (including the reason for the low attendance rate) and the prior year's attendance report (showing the average for the year) for your district or applicable campus.

Argyle South Elementary qualifies for a waiver on Friday, January 31, 2025. Low attendance rates on this date were due to student illnesses.

2023 - 2024: ADA = 95.84% January 31, 2025: ADA = 84.7%

#### **BUDGETARY IMPACT & FUNDING SOURCE**

We will be held harmless for the below-average attendance rate for that date. The attendance rate from 2023 - 2024, 95.84%, will be used when calculating the ADA for January 31, 2025.

#### ADMINISTRATION RECOMMENDATION

(Only complete if it is a consent or action item)

The administration recommends approval of the Low Attendance Waiver.

## **MOTION**

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I move to approve the Low Attendance Waiver as presented.

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