

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date:	19-Sep-18	Superintendent:	Dave Valenzuela
Administrator/Staff:	Chris Pendleton		
Type of Item: Informational x Action			
Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide? Hidden Valley High School Business Teacher is seeking approval to attend the 2019 WBEA Conference in Tucson, Arizona. The conference will be held Feb. 14-18.			

Provide history/background information on your proposal:

WBEA is committed to providing professional development opportunities to its members. Programs such as the Professional Development Leadership Training (PDLT) and President-elect workshop are offered each year in conjunction with the regional conference. The Educational Opportunity Scholarship program offers financial support for business educators who are pursuing an advanced degree.

In addition to the opportunities provided through WBEA, members are also encouraged to pursue opportunities offered through NBEA. More information can be found in the Professional Opportunities section on the NBEA website. Continued Professional Development opportunities are very evident in our conferences. Each S/T/P holds a yearly conference and WBEA and NBEA conference attendance opportunities are available.

List the advantages of your proposal:

Zero General Fund dollars are spent for this professional development opportunity. Working sessions to share issues, ideas, rationale, and strategies for:

Building exemplary CTE business and marketing education programs appropriate to the contemporary education environment through curricula, pedagogy, and proof of learning.

Aligning the work of the Consortium to meet the needs of both local and state Career-Tech business and marketing educators through review and analysis of the tools, services, and initiatives of the organization.

Planning in support of local/state leadership to generate advocacy and partnerships among various constituencies, including the business community, colleges, and administrators

Development of state action plans responsive to the outcomes and common agreements of the Forum.

List possible disadvantages of your proposal:

I will be out of the classroom two days.

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

There are no alternatives that involve attending.

Superintendent's recommendation(s): TRSD FORM BD-615

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