

## Consent Item

**Date:** June 10, 2025

**Division:** Accountability and Evaluations

**Subject:** Teacher Data Portal of the Texas Assessment Management System Waiver

**Background Information:**

- According to Texas Education Code (TEC), §32.258, as enacted by House Bill 3, 81st Legislature:
  - (a) The agency shall establish and maintain a student assessment data portal for use by school districts, teachers, parents, students, and public institutions of higher education. The agency shall establish a secure, interoperable system to be implemented through the portal under which:
    - (1) a student or the student's parent or other person standing in parental relationship can easily access the student's individual assessment data;
    - (2) an authorized employee of a school district, including a district teacher, can readily access individual assessment data of district students for use in developing strategies for improving student performance; and
    - (3) an authorized employee of a public institution of higher education can readily access individual assessment data of students applying for admission for use in developing strategies for improving student performance.

**Administrative Consideration:**

- Districts may request a waiver from participating in the portal provided by the Texas Education Agency, if they have a similar system already in use.
- LISD has utilized Eduphoria in place of the Teacher Data Portal of TX Assessment Management System since 2011.
- Eduphoria and Edugence provide a more robust data portal for the teachers in LISD as it houses data sets in addition to state mandated assessments. Additional data sets include Istation, district assessments, Universal Screening, etc.

**Recommendations:**

- Approve the use of Eduphoria and or Edugence in lieu of the Texas Teacher Data Portal for the 2025-26, 2026-27, and 2027-28 school years.