

**Ector County Independent School District
Odessa, Texas**

Memorandum

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Tom Crowe, Superintendent of Schools
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS OF 4-H ORGANIZATION RESOLUTION
DATE: August 18, 2015

The State Board of Education passed an amendment that allows public school students to be considered "in attendance" when participating in approved off-campus activities with an adjunct staff member of the school district.

This amendment provides local school boards the opportunity to recognize County Extension Agents as adjunct staff members and to count students participating in 4-H/Extension educational activities in attendance for Foundation School Program purposes.

The 4-H members of Ector County respectfully request that the 4-H organization by the attached resolution, be sanctioned as an extracurricular activity.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the Extracurricular Status of 4-H Organization Resolution as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Crowe
Superintendent of Schools