

MEETING DATE: May 21, 2012

## **AGENDA ITEM:** Superintendent Reports

- A. Enrollment
- B. District Events
- C. Aledo High School US News & World Report Top High Schools

PRESENTER: Earl Husfeld

## ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S): ALL

#### **REPORT INFORMATION:**

- A. Enrollment as of 05-14-2012 is **4,655** By campus:
  - VES: 490
  - CES: 471
  - SES: 572
  - McES: 510
  - McIS: 360
  - AMS: 746
  - Daniel 9<sup>th</sup>: 426
  - AHS: 1,080
  - TLC: 29 (counted in the AHS enrollment number)
- B. District Events:
  - 1. Marva Collins Teaching Excellence Awards Ceremony Michelle Yates Teacher of the Year; \$27,500 awarded at the ceremony
  - 2. Employee Awards Banquet 5 Year 49, 10 Year 30, 15 Year 13, 20 Year 5, 25 2
  - 3. Agriculture Science Banquet May 22, 2012 at 7:00 PM, Daniel Ninth Grade Campus Cafeteria
  - 4. High School Band Banquet May 25, 2012 at 7:00 PM, Omni Fort Worth Hotel
  - 5. Baccalaureate June 3, 2012 at 3:00 PM, Aledo High School
  - 6. High School Graduation June 4, 2012 at 7:00 PM, TCU's Daniel-Meyer Coliseum
  - 7. Next Board Meeting June 18, 2012 at 7:00 PM
  - 8. Called Board Meeting/Budget Workshop June 25, 2012,
- C. Aledo High School US News & World Report Top High Schools
  - US News and World Report published their 2012 report on "Best High Schools" in the Nation

- Data was collected on nearly 22,000 public schools across 49 states and the District of Columbia
- National rankings were analyzed at the state level to determine how well students performed on state assessments, taking into account the test scores of disadvantaged students. High schools making the cut at the state level were eligible to be ranked nationally in terms of college readiness.
- US News ranked schools nationally based on which schools prepare student for college-level work by analyzing student success in Advanced Placement (AP) or International Baccalaureate (IB) programs, both of which include college level courses.
- State rankings compare schools in terms of student-teacher ratios, college readiness, and proficiency on state math and English assessments.
- Aledo High School is one of 4,850 schools across the nation that received a gold, silver, or bronze rating based on US News and World Report Analysis.
- Aledo high school received a silver rating and is ranked 990 in the nation compared with 22,000 schools across 49 states.
- Aledo high school is ranked 84 in the state of Texas compared to 1842 high schools across the state.
- Included in these rankings are public schools that offer Fine Arts Academy's, IB schools, Gifted and Talented Academy's, as well as schools designated as Math and Science Academy's.

# FISCAL NOTE: None

### ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION: Report Only