AGENDA

ITEM

Approval of the Submission of Waivers for TOPS

GOAL:

SUBJECT:

Consider approving the submission of all waivers for TOPS continued operation. As part of the TXVSN requirements, TOPS must be given permission by the board to submit waivers throughout the year. That is what I am requesting tonight.

Waivers are needed to maintain TOPS status as a full time fully funded virtual school. Course waivers are needed throughout the school year to ensure that courses meet TEA standards for online learning.

With your approval, I will be submitting these waivers in the coming months.

RATIONALE:

By granting approval for TOPS to submit waivers, HISD will be able to continue operating our full-time online campuses for the 2025-2026 school year. Without the continuation of these waivers, restrictions will keep HISD from operating the virtual

schools.

RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends the Board approve the submission of the needed waivers to continue operating our full time, online campuses for the 2024-2025 school year.

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