# **MEMORANDUM**

To: Tornillo ISD Board of Directors

From: Karina Schulte, District Instructional Specialist/SFI Project Manager

Subject: Approval of Blue Bonnet Spanish Pilot Materials for 2025-2026 school year

**Date:** April 30, 2025

#### **HISTORY:**

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) requires any Local Education Agency (LEA) implementing Blue Bonnet Spanish materials to participate in a pilot program for the 2025-26 school year.

### **RATIONALE:**

The Board of Directors has authorized the use of Blue Bonnet materials for Reading/Language Arts (RLA) and Math. At present, only the English version of Blue Bonnet materials has been designated as High-Quality Instructional Materials. Integrating these materials will enhance curriculum alignment and support students in better internalizing the content, ultimately benefiting both teachers and students.

## **BUDGET IMPACT:**

TEA will provide digital access, while printed materials will be funded through the Strong Foundations Implementation Grant.

### **ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:**

The Administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the Tornillo K-5 Blue Bonnet Spanish Pilot Materials for the 2025-2026 school year.