APPROVAL OF REQUEST for TEA ATTENDANCE WAIVER May 12, 2015

SUMMARY:

This item seeks Board approval to request a State Waiver for a missed school day due to inclement weather on March 5, 2015.

BOARD GOAL:

VI.6 – In pursuit of excellence, the district will provide leadership and or oversight to ensure the District meets all fiscal, legal, and regulatory requirements

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

The Board approved a similar request for missed instructional days in the 2013-2014 school year also because of inclement weather.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

None

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

None

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

A waiver allows the district to retain state funding for the missed school day.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

During the 2014-2015 school year, our district used both of the inclement weather make up days that were built into our school calendar. Approval of this waiver request will allow the district to maintain funding for the third instructional day missed due to inclement weather.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

- None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

- None

ALTERNATIVES:

The Board may choose not to request a waiver; In this case we would need to reschedule the missed instructional day or forfeit the funding.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

The Superintendent recommends that the Missed School Day Waiver be approved by the Board of Trustees.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- David Hicks, Executive Director Secondary Programs

ATTACHMENT:

None

APPROVAL:

Signature of Divisional Executive Director:

Signature of Superintendent: