Approval for Travel to a Non-State-Sanctioned Activity Strickland Middle School Orchestra March 21, 2017

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval for the Strickland Middle School Orchestra students to travel to San Antonio for the Alamo Showcase of Music departing on May 19, 2017 and returning on May 21, 2017.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

-No previous action has been taken or requested

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- -Travel approval is requested for 75 students and 15 sponsors/chaperones
- -Students will travel via Charter Bus
- -Students will have the opportunity to perform for a panel of judges, receive written and recorded critiques, have a guest clinician work with them, visit Texas landmarks and buildings.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

-Students will miss one day of classes.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

-None

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

-None

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

-None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

-None

ALTERNATIVES:

-No alternative actions are proposed.

OTHER COMMENTS:

-Board policy requires board approval for such travel in advance.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

-Recommended approval for the Strickland Middle School Orchestra students to travel to San Antonio for the Alamo Showcase of Music departing on May 19, 2017 and returning on May 21, 2017.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Michael Burris

ATTACHMENT:

-Proposed Itinerary

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:	Gwendolys Y. Arkin
Comments:	
Signature of Divisional Leader:	
Comments:	
Signature of Superintendent:	
Comments:	