

BRACKETT INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Date: 10/10/2011

Topic: PUBLIC HEARING: F.I.R.S.T. FINANCIAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING

Presenter: SONDRA MEIL

This agenda *item is:

 X **INFORMATION** Only

 ACTION Item

 Receive Input

Background Information:

Senate Bill (SB) 218, authorized the implementation of a financial accountability rating system, or School F.I.R.S.T. (Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas). The district's School FIRST rating is based upon an analysis of staff and student data reported for the 2009-2010 school year as well as budgetary and actual financial data for the 2010 fiscal year.

BISD School F.I.R.S.T. rating: Superior Achievement

Recommendation(s):

*If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of **any item** on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the Board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E or Texas Government Code section 418.183(f). Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting. [See BEC (LEGAL)]