



## **ALEDO ISD BOARD MEETING TEMPLATE**

**MEETING DATE:** April 18, 2016

**AGENDA ITEM:** Resolution of the Board Regarding Substantial Care by a Resident Grandparent

**PRESENTER:** Kathy Allen

**ALIGNS TO BOARD PRIORITIES(S):**

- Learning – The District shall provide an aligned, rigorous curriculum, preparing students to meet or exceed educational standards.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- TASB recommended the Board adopt a resolution that establishes substantial care requirements.
- Out of district children receiving substantial care provided by in-district “resident grandparent(s)” can be enrolled as students of Aledo ISD if the following criteria is met:
  - The grandparent provides at least 3 hours of after school care each day for 5 days week during a regular school week.
  - The grandparent provides proof of residency in Aledo ISD.
- Student status in Aledo ISD is maintained as long as the substantial care by a resident grandparent continues to meet the district requirements.
- TASB outlines the guidelines that a Superintendent could consider if the student does not meet the Board adopted substantial care definition.

**ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATIONS:** Consider adoption of the “Resolution of the Board Regarding Substantial Care by a Resident”

**FISCAL NOTE:** None

**ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS:** Administration recommends the approval of the “Resolution of the Board Regarding Substantial Care by a Resident” as presented.

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD REGARDING  
SUBSTANTIAL CARE BY A RESIDENT GRANDPARENT

WHEREAS, Texas Education Code 25.001(b)(9) requires the District to admit a nonresident student into the District if the grandparent resides in the District and provides a substantial amount of after school care for the student as determined by the Board.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that for the purposes of admitting a student under this provision, the Board of Aledo Independent School District defines a substantial amount of after school care as at least three hours per school day for five days during the regular school week;

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Board authorizes the Superintendent to waive the Board-adopted substantial care requirement on the basis of a student's extenuating circumstances and has established the following substantial care criteria for the Superintendent to apply.

For a student who does not meet the Board-adopted substantial care definition above, the Superintendent will consider the following criteria, including but not limited to:

1. The number of hours in a typical school day the grandparent provides after school care;
2. The number of days in a typical school week the grandparent provides after school care;
3. The scheduling and commuting needs of the student's parent;
4. Any unique medical and/or developmental needs of the student; and
5. Any other relevant issues.

Adopted this \_\_\_\_\_ (date) day of \_\_\_\_\_ (month), \_\_\_\_\_ (year), by the Board.

Board President: \_\_\_\_\_

Secretary: \_\_\_\_\_