AVATAR CENTER for COMMUNICATION, ENGAGEMENT & STUDENT SUCCESS Career Connected Students @ Smart Schools

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Attn: ECISD Board of Trustees

Cc: Tom Crowe

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<u>Align:</u> Align Medical Center Health System, Odessa Regional Medical Center and Texas Tech Health Sciences Center – Family & Community Medicine to make an impact on education, career and health experience of Ector County ISD.

<u>Focus:</u> Access Institutions are determined to make our community stronger in education, career and health domains. Aligned with ECISD's mission, Access Institutions work with campus specific initiatives to strengthen student's engagement & learning abilities that connect to the district, teachers, counselors and parent priorities.

ACCESS INSTITUTIONS:

- Medical Center Health System: Approved by Mr. Rick Napper, CEO
- Odessa Regional Medical Center: Approved by Ms. Stacey Brown, CEO
- Texas Tech Health Sciences Family & Community Medicine: Approved by Dr. Timothy Benton, MD

<u>ACCESS Collaboration</u>: MCHS, ORMC and TTHSC-FP/CM in Ector County are committed to work with **ACCESS** in a strategic alignment to support and strengthen ECISD on its mission to prepare every student to succeed in **education**, **career and health** domains in a 21st Century environment. Aligned with ECISD's mission, Access Institutions work with Middle Schools with specific initiatives to strengthen student's engagement & learning abilities.

ACCESS Implementation Plan – Campus Assignment:

- o MCHS: Bonham & Bowie.
- TTHSC: Wilson & Young, Ector.
- ORMC: Nimitz & Crocket

<u>ACCESS Impact:</u> Middle school students at ECISD will be enabled and skilled with "Access Essential Skills" that incudes (a) Hands-on-Learning (b) Communication (c) Collaboration (d) Soft Skills (e) Critical Thinking and (f) Collaboration skills.

ACCESS Applications: Includes four cutting edge applications:

- AVATAR ICE (Intrinsic Career Engagement): Provides real-world career experience students.
- AVATAR COLLABORATION: Provides Communication, Relationship and Collaboration Skills for students.
- AVATAR GATEWAY: Provides a 21st Century, digital gateway for the Middle Schools
- AVATAR HEALTH: Provides a digital platform for student and family health information management.

<u>ACCESS Deliverable:</u> Implementation of ACCESS program at ECISD starts with the Medical Community, followed by Engineering, Manufacturing and Service Industries. End result is to transform ECISD to a "Smart District" ready for 21st Century learning experience.