



BOARD OF SCHOOL TRUSTEES  
KELLER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

**10B. Preview**

**Date: February 12, 2007**

**SUBJECT: AGREEMENT -PROJECT LEAD THE WAY**

**BOARD GOAL: All students will achieve educational excellence.**

**FISCAL NOTE: Federal Funds – Carl Perkins**

**ANTICIPATED  
DATE FOR ACTION: February 26, 2007**

**Background Information:**

- Gateway To Technology (Project Lead The Way) is a year long elective course to be offered at Trinity Springs Middle School and Indian Springs Middle School 2007-2008 school year
- Uses a hands-on approach to show students how technology is used in engineering to solve everyday problems, and to expose students to a broad overview of the field of technology and its related processes
- Essential purpose of the Project Lead The Way School District Agreement is the district's promise to adhere to the Project Lead the Way program's standards for the continued success of the program
- Curriculum, and any updates, are provided to school districts without charge, in return for the district's promises under the school district agreement
- The school district agreement does not require any payments to Project Lead The Way

**Administrative Considerations:**

- The Keller ISD Career Technology Education Long Range Plan includes Project Lead The Way Courses to be implemented at KISD campuses.
- Project Lead The Way measures success of its programs by contracting with TrueOutcomes of Fairfax, VA to complete a multi-year study to see how well Project Lead The Way is meeting its mission and goals.
- Project Lead the Way course will be offered as a pilot at Trinity Springs Middle School and Indian Springs Middle School this year, with expectation to expand to all middle schools in 2008-2009.

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Respectfully submitted,

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