

Approval For Travel to a Non-State-Sanctioned Activity, Out of State
RHS FORENSIC TEAM
April 20, 2010

SUMMARY:

- This item requests approval of a request by Ryan High School Forensics Team for travel to the *National Individual Event Tournament of Champions*, Fullerton, California, May 13-17, 2010.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

- No previous action has been taken or requested.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Travel approval is requested for 2 students and 2 sponsors.
- Students and sponsors will travel by air and rent a car upon arrival.
- Students have earned this opportunity through competition.

SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:

- Students will miss 3 days of school.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

- Expenses are to be paid by the students, the campus organization and district funds.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

- Competition is an integral part of student success in forensics.
- Participation by RHS will enhance the district's reputation at the local state and national level as academically competitive.

PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

- None

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

- None

ALTERNATIVES:

- No alternative actions are proposed.

OTHER COMMENTS:

- Board policy requires board approval of such travel.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

- Recommend approval of the Ryan High School Forensic Team's request for permission to travel out-of-state to the *National Individual Event Tournament of Champions*, Fullerton, California, May 13-17, 2010.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Vernon Reeves, Principal, Ryan High School
- Jamie Wilson, Deputy Superintendent

ATTACHMENT:

- Request for Travel, Non-State Sanctioned Activity, Out-of-State
- Itinerary

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation: _____

Comments: _____

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent: _____

Comments: _____

Signature of Superintendent: _____

Comments: _____