

Denton Independent School District

Donation of Equipment Denton High School Band Trailer August 25, 2009

SUMMARY:

This item requests approval for the donation of a 53 ft. semi-trailer to augment and support the Denton High School Band/Fine Arts Program (see Attachment #1).

BOARD GOAL:

- III. Climate...** In pursuit of excellence, the district will promote and nourish a learning and working environment which is supportive, cooperative and ensures open communication.
- IV. Parent & Community Involvement...** In pursuit of excellence, the district will foster a positive and welcoming environment that encourages parent and community partnerships to achieve success for all our students.

PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

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BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

- Denton High School Band Booster Club purchased and wishes to donate a 53 ft. semi-trailer to support the DHS Band & Fine Arts Program. The band boosters will paint the unit at their expense.
- DISD's Fleet Maintenance Staff completed a full inspection of the unit and certifies that all systems and structure pass Federal and Texas Department of Transportation requirements.
 - VIN: 1DTV11521NA200722
 - Vehicle Class: Dry Freight Trailer-type S
 - Yr/Make: 1992 Dorsey Van Trailer
 - Empty Wt: 14,800
 - Previous owner: Alan Ritchey Inc. – Valley View, Texas 76272
- Board Policy CDC (LEGAL)-P Dated 01/29/08 Update 82, Governs Donations to the District.

SIGNIFICATE ISSUES:

- DISD Transportation will rent/lease tractor unit as needed to transport trailer.
- Unit will be staged/parked at a DISD site.

FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

- The Transportation Department will operate and maintain the DHS Band Trailer.
- Operational costs will be billed to the DHS Band or Athletic Program.

BENEFIT OF ACTION:

Referenced equipment will provide logistical support to the DHS Band/Fine Arts Program.

PROCEDURAL & REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

Licensing, permits, operational and maintenance requirements will comply with US Department of Transportation and Texas Department of Transportation Regulations.

PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:

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ALTERNATIVES:

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OTHER COMMENTS:

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SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:

Approve donation of DHS Band Trailer from the DHS Band Booster Club.

STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

Gene Holloway, Transportation Director

Darrell Muncy, DHS Principal

Brian Thurman, DHS Band Booster Club

ATTACHMENT:

Photograph - DHS Band Trailer

APPROVAL:

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:



Signature of Division Executive Director/Asst. Superintendent:

Signature of Superintendent:

Denton High School Band Trailer

