

**Ector County Independent School District
Odessa, TX**

Memorandum

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Hector Mendez, Superintendent of Schools

**SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF PERMIAN HIGH SCHOOL PANTHER
PAWS DANCE TEAM OUT-OF-STATE TRAVEL**

DATE: September 20, 2011

The Permian High School Panther Paws Dance Team is requesting permission to travel to New York City, New York. The trip is scheduled for March 14-18, 2012. While in New York, the students will compete and perform at the Champion Dance Nationals. The students will also spend a day at the Broadway Dance Center and attend Broadway shows to learn about choreography.

The cost of the trip will be approximately \$1750 per person. Numerous fund-raisers will be provided for students to raise the money. There will be approximately 21 students and adults traveling with the organization.

It is recommended that the Permian High School Panther Paws Dance Team trip to New York City, New York be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

Hector Mendez
Superintendent of Schools

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