

Ector County Independent School District Odessa, Texas

Memorandum

TO: Board of Trustees
FROM: Tom Crowe, Superintendent of Schools
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF LOW ATTENDANCE WAIVERS
DATE: May 20, 2014

Low Attendance Waiver

The T.E.A. allows districts/campuses to submit a Low Attendance waiver application that any instructional days with attendance at least ten (10) percentage points below the last school year's average attendance due to inclement weather, health or safety issues be excluded from ADA calculations for the current school year.

On February 6, 2014, extremely cold temperatures (14 degrees) resulted in an average daily attendance of 77.80%, 16.50% less than the ADA for the 2012-13 school year.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the request to submit a waiver to exclude February 6, 2014, from current year ADA calculations.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Crowe
Superintendent of Schools