

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 WAIVER

DATE: April 19, 2016

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 weather, health or safety issues be excluded from ADA calculations for the current school year. One ECISD campus has been identified for dates meeting this criteria with the reason of health on February 15, 2016 (Burleson Elementary)

CAMPUS	DATES OF HIGHEST # OF ABSENCES	# ABS	# MBR	2015-16 ADA %	2014-15 ADA %	PLUS/MINUS
Burleson	2/15/2016	68	414	83.57%	94.40%	-10.83%

Attached is a letter from Mrs. Garcia, Burleson Principal detailing the health related reasons.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the request for the waiver to exclude these low attendance days from current year ADA calculations.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Crowe
Superintendent of Schools

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