

AGENDA ITEMS

Subject: Review and consider 2017-2018 Appraisal Calendar and HISD Appraisers

Rationale: Policies DNA and DNB (LOCAL) address evaluations. PDAS is no longer an approved teacher appraisal system in Texas. School districts are allowed to utilize the state appraisal system, T-TESS or develop their own that meet state and federal criteria. HISD administrators have opted to utilize T-TESS and went through extensive training from Region 12 the summer of 2016 to evaluate teachers on this system. For other professional personnel, we will utilize locally developed evaluation instruments that meet state guidelines.

Attached under Consent Agenda, item F is a copy of the HISD Teacher Appraisal Calendar which meets the criteria set in policy.

Attached for item G, is a list of administrators who have successfully T-TESS recertified and are eligible to evaluate teaching staff.

Recommendation: Approve the HISD Teacher Appraisal Calendar and the recertified Appraisers for the 2017-2018 school year.