

COMMENDATION FORM FOR SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS

Person(s) to be Commended:

Dr. LeighAnn Tamplen, Michelle Woodall and the Ben Barber Innovation Academy administrators and staff.

Justification for the Commendation:

Mansfield ISD is proud to announce its selection as a CTE District of Distinction by the Career and Technical Association of Texas (CTAT). This esteemed recognition celebrates districts across Texas that demonstrate exemplary leadership, innovation, and commitment to student success through high-quality Career and Technical Education (CTE) programs.

The CTE District of Distinction program, launched by CTAT, highlights districts that excel in workforce readiness, foster innovation in CTE, and inspire others through their dedication to student achievement and community impact. Honored districts serve as models of excellence, showcasing best practices and driving progress in CTE statewide.

Requested Month of Board Meeting for Commendation: December 2025

Principal, Director, or Supervisor's Approval: Fernando Benavides

Date: 12/10/25

Associate Superintendent of Communications & Marketing Approval: Laura Jobe

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