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To: Coppell ISD Board of Trustees

From: Donna Carpenter Date December 8, 2011

CC: Dr. Jeff Turner, Dr. Marilyn Denison

Re: Innovative Course Approval for Geospatial Technology Program Dual Credit Agreement

To complete a dual credit agreement with Brookhaven College for the Geospatial Technology Program, TEA requires approval from the Board of Trustees to offer the following innovative courses:

N1302805*	Geographic Information Systems	1 credit
N1302806*	Raster-Based GIS	1 credit
N1302807*	Spatial Technology and Remote Sensing	1 credit

All of the above courses have been approved by TEA and with board approval can be offered for state elective credit with no further action.

I have attached the proposed plan with Brookhaven to deliver this innovation high demand high wage career opportunity to our juniors and seniors and the three approved course descriptions from TEA.

Recommendation:

That the Coppell ISD Board of Trustees considers approving the use of the stated innovative courses to provide the Geospatial Technology Program to Coppell ISD students.