# Approval of Easement for F.M. 2499 Extension – Mr. Oscar Blankmeyer

July 30, 2013

#### **SUMMARY:**

- The extension of 2499 from Teasley Lane to I-35 is in process. This is the pre-planning and moving district owned fiber optic cable out of the way of 2499 expansion and acquiring easement on private properties.

# **BOARD GOAL:**

VI b. Growth & Change ....Create and continuously modify strategies to mitigate increasing stresses on Children, our schools and our community. VI e. Growth & Change ....Demonstrate effective and efficient management of district resources.

# PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:

- None on this topic

# **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- Henkels McCoy who is the district fiber engineering/construction and maintenance contractor for the past several years has been working to get the district fiber into private easements for the impending expansion of 2499 from Teasley Lane to I-35. Daniel Belser is our contact and has prepared the attached document. This gives DISD approximately 8,000 square feet of easement along the State School property.

# **SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:**

- None

# FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:

- DISD will pay the estate of Mr. Oscar Blankmeyer \$6,539.52 as specified in attached permanent easement contract.

# **BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

- Passage of this contract will insure that DISD has a safe route for the district fiber optic cable with is the electronic backbone for communications.

# PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:

- None

#### **PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:**

- None

#### **ALTERNATIVES:**

- No alternative actions are proposed ...

# **OTHER COMMENTS:**

- Randy Stout has edited and prepared the document for the district.

**SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:** The Superintendent recommends the approval of this contract and expenditures of \$6,539.52 for this permanent easement.

#### STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:

- Ernie Stripling, Technology Information Officer

# **ATTACHMENT:**

- Blankmeyer signed easement document.PDF

#### **APPROVAL:**

Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:	
Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent:	
Signature of Superintendent:	