



SCHOOL BOARD MEETING REPORT

Board Meeting Date: 18-Apr-11

Agenda #

Staff/Administrator: Rob Money - NVHS

Superintendent: Dan Huber-Kantola

Type of Item: ☐ Informational ☒ Action

Please state your proposal briefly and clearly. What do you want the board to know, discuss, or decide?

Request permission for out-of-state travel to attend the National Forensic League National Tournament in Dallas, Texas June 12-19, 2011 and Board funding of \$300 per student for student travel.

Provide history/background information on your proposal.

This is the 9th straight year our team has qualified someone to the National Tournament, sending 3 competitors this year. We have had a very successful year this year, with over 33 people competing at two or more tournaments, placing first in team sweepstakes at over half the meets we competed in. This makes it one of the largest competitive activities at North Valley. This year, they have fundraised over \$3,000 with a goal of raising another \$2,000 before the end of the year to help pay for OSAA State and NFL Nationals. In the past, the district has funded students attending national tournaments at \$300 per head.

List the advantages of your proposal:

A Board stamp of approval on the success of these gifted and hard working students helps keep them feeling like they are valued members of our school community. North Valley has represented Three Rivers well at the National Tournament (last year Sam Patch was in the top 60 in Supplemental Debate - out of a field of over 600!!).

List possible disadvantages of your proposal:

Cost

List possible alternatives that could also offer a solution to your proposal. Why were they not recommended?

Superintendent's recommendation(s):

Approve: Yes ☐ No ☐