

**SUBJECT:** Consideration and approval of the Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps (JROTC) Raiders female team at Sam Rayburn High School to compete at Fort Knox, Kentucky, October 22-27, 2025.

**BACKGROUND:** Sam Rayburn's JROTC is seeking permission for their JROTC Raiders Female Team to travel to the National Raider Challenge in Ft. Knox, Kentucky, to be held October 23-26, 2025. Students will depart Wednesday, October 22, and return on Monday, October 27, 2025.

Rayburn's team qualified at the regional level competition in March 2025 for a Department of the Army all-expense paid trip to compete at the national level. Over 300 teams from across the country will compete in high-intensity physical and team-based events to earn the title of Raider National Champion.

We anticipate 14 students, one JROTC Instructor, and one administrator to attend the event. These numbers will comply with the district's 10 to 1 ratio of students to adult chaperones. All rules of conduct established by the school district will be strictly enforced. A contingency plan for travel and health advisories will be followed if needed.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:** None

**RECOMMENDATION:** We recommend approval for the Junior Reserve Officers' Training Corps Raiders female team to go and compete at the National Raider Challenge at Fort Knox, Kentucky, October 22-27, 2025.

**CABINET MEMBER(s):** Lindsey Lesniewski

**CONTACT PERSON(s):** Lindsey Lesniewski  
Katherine Rearick  
Neng Vang

**BOARD MEETING DATE:** September 23, 2025