

Board Agenda Item Overview

Meeting Date: December 16, 2025

Meeting Type: Regular

Item Category: Action Item

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Item Name: CONSIDER APPROVAL OF SB1882 CONTRACT WITH LAMAR LEGACY PARTNERS AND APPLICATION

Item Summary: The administration recommends SB 1882 partnership agreement with Lamar Legacy Partners (LLP) to support the launch and operation of Bright Futures Academy at Beasley Elementary, an innovative PK3–2nd grade campus opening in the 2026–2027 school year and expanding to serve students through 5th grade. The proposed partnership contract defines roles and responsibilities between Lamar CISD (authorizer) and LLP (operating partner), including academic performance standards, staffing and organizational structures, financial oversight, operational autonomy, and required compliance procedures.

The contract was developed using the TEA Model 1882 Contract, refined through collaboration with District leadership, the Board's assigned subcommittees, and legal counsel.

Recommendation: Administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the SB 1882 Partnership Contract between Lamar CISD and Lamar Legacy Partners (LLP) for the operation of Bright Futures Academy at Beasley Elementary, authorizing the Superintendent or designee to execute required documents and submit the partnership and benefits application to the Texas Education Agency.

Policy Reference: ELA (Legal and Local)

Strategic Plan Priority: Enhanced Student Learning Experiences

District Value(s): ☒ Accountability ☒ Big-Thinking ☐ Compassion ☒ Excellence ☒ Integrity ☐ Joy

Currently Budgeted? ☒ Yes ☐ No ☐ No Budgetary Impact

Completion or Implementation Timeline: 2026-2027 Fiscal Year

Our Vision:

We are a values-driven community where innovation thrives, excellence is the standard, and every student has access to an elite education.