

MEETING DATE: March 18, 2013

AGENDA ITEM: Report Item - Instructional Materials TEKS Certification

PRESENTER: Kathy Allen

## ALIGNS TO BOARD PRIORITY:

 Learning – The District will provide an aligned, rigorous curriculum, with instructional and technology programs preparing students to meet or exceed all educational standards.

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:** TEA is in year two of implementing the certification process for the Instructional Materials Allotment (IMA) funds. Annually, the district superintendent along with the president and secretary of the local board of trustees must certify the following:

- Instructional materials selection transmitted via EMAT have been approved for use in our district. All instructional materials adopted by the state are appropriate for use in Texas schools and districts may choose any materials form the stateadopted lists. Our selections are final and we may not return copies of one title to secure copies of another title (TEC31.101).
- Purchased materials will assist the district in satisfying performance standards under TEC 39.0241, Satisfactory Performance Standards, on assessment instruments adopted under TEC 39.023(a) and (c), 82<sup>nd</sup> Texas Legislature.
- Supplemental instructional materials in combination with other instructional materials cover all the elements of the essential knowledge and skills of the required curriculum, other than physical education, identified under Section 28.002 by the State Board of Education for each subject and grade level.
- The district will provide the title and publication information for any instructional materials requisitioned or purchased by the district with the district's instructional materials allotment.

## **ADMINISTRATIVE CONSIDERATIONS:**

• This is a report item only. Administration will bring the information back to the Board as an action item.

FISCAL NOTE: There are no fiscal implications

**ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATIONS:** Report item only