

**Belton Independent School District**  
***Board of Trustee Meeting Agenda Item***

***May 12, 2025***

**Item:** Low Attendance Day Waivers for 2024-2025

**Contact Person:** Shad McGaha

**Presented for:** ☒ Action    ☐ Report Only

**Supporting Documents:**    ☐ None    ☒ Attached    ☐ Provided Later

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**District Goal or Objective Addressed:**

Goal 2: Ensure exceptional learning experiences for each and every student.

**Background Information:**

TEA allows districts to submit a waiver for low attendance days due to weather, health, safety, or other special circumstances. In order to qualify for a waiver, a district or campus must have an attendance rate that is 10% lower than the average attendance rate for the district. You are limited to 4,200 qualifying minutes using this waiver.

Belton ISD is requesting a low-attendance day waiver for Belton Middle School for September 11, 2025. The total attendance for the day was 84.39% compared to 94.508% the previous year. The reason for the waiver falls under the safety circumstances.

The District is also requesting a low-attendance-day waiver for Belton Early Childhood School for January 22, 2025. The reason for this waiver is the weather. The total attendance for the day was 79.54% compared to 90.942% in the previous year.

**Fiscal Implications:**

None.

**Administrative Recommendation(s):**

Approve the Low Attendance Day Waivers as presented.