Executive Summary Prepared for Board of Trustees Meeting February 26, 2013

Accreditation Announcement Update

Board Goal:

Teaching and Learning

• Advocate and practice true accountability based on measurement of individual student progress over time, regardless of external mandates

Growth, Change and Fiscal Responsibility

- Demonstrate effective and efficient management of district resources
- Provide leadership and/or oversight to ensure District meets all fiscal, legal and regulatory requirements

Purpose of Report

The workshop's intent is to share the February 4, 2013 announcement from the TEA Commissioner that Accreditation status for school districts would be suspended for the 2012-13 school year.

Objectives

- share the components of accreditation
- share the reasoning of the Commissioner's announcement

Operational Impact

NA

<u>Results</u>

All school districts' current accreditation status will remain the same for one more year.

Other Options

NA