

**Denton Independent School District**  
**Board of Trustees**  
**MUTUAL AID AGREEMENT FOR MASS EVACUATIONS**  
between the  
**DENTON ISD & CITY OF DENTON**  
**March 13, 2007**

**SUMMARY:**

- The City of Denton desires to enter into an agreement with Denton ISD to facilitate emergency evacuations and logistical support during disasters and emergencies.

**PREVIOUS ACTION**

- N/A

**BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

- The proposed mutual aid agreement establishes a plan of action for DISD to provide temporary use of its buses, equipment and personnel to assist in providing public transportation during emergency evacuations in times of disasters and emergencies which cannot be met with the usual resources and facilities in accordance with the City of Denton's mass evacuation plan.

**SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:**

- DISD and the City of Denton have the option, that the assistance requested or furnished may be refused, limited or recalled at the discretion of either of the parties at any time.
- Agreement requires signature approval.

**FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:**

- The district will be reimbursed for expenses as a result of its participation in providing support in response to manmade or natural disaster/emergency events.

**BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

- This mutual aid agreement will provide for emergency response support and evacuations for both parties in times of disaster and emergencies.

**PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:**

- The agreement defines responsibilities, provides for protocols in requesting and terminating mutual aid.

**PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:**

- N/A

**ALTERNATIVES:**

- N/A

**OTHER COMMENTS:**

- N/A

**SUPERINTENDENT’S RECOMMENDATION:**

- Approve proposed Mutual Aid Agreement for Mass Evacuations between the Denton ISD & City Of Denton

**STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:**

- Mr. Norm Sisk, Executive Director of Operations
- Gene Holloway, Director of Planning

**ATTACHMENT:**

- Mutual Aid Agreement For Mass Evacuations between the Denton ISD & City of Denton

**APPROVAL:**

**Signature of Staff Member Proposing Recommendation:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Division Leader:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Superintendent:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_