

HAYS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Date: June 24, 2025

Agenda Item: L.4

Board Goal: Board/Staff/Community Relations

Subject: Consideration and possible adoption of the General Fund, Debt Service Fund, and Food Service Fund budgets and approval of the budget for additional accelerated instruction pursuant to HB 5 requirements for the 2025-2026 School Year

Administrator Responsible/Position: Chief Financial Officer

A. Purpose of Agenda Item:

☒ Action needed

☐ Information only

☐ Receive input

B. Authority for This Action:

☐ Local Policy

☒ Law or Rule

☐ N/A

C. Summary:

☐ Previous board action relating to this item -

☐ Background information – The Texas Education Code (TEC) and the Texas Education Agency (TEA) require that the Official district budget be adopted at the fund and function level and must include the General Fund, Debt Service Fund, and Food Service Fund. The attached budget meets the requirements of the Texas Education Code.

The 83rd Legislative Session, under HB 5, amended Section 29.081 (b-1) of the Texas Education Code (TEC). The amendment requires school districts to separately budget sufficient state compensatory education funds and any other funding necessary to sufficiently support the cost of additional accelerated instruction for students who fail to perform satisfactorily on an EOC assessment instrument required for graduation. State compensatory education funds cannot be budgeted “for any pothor purpose until the district adopts a budget to support additional accelerated instruction”.

D. Comments Received:

☒ Cabinet

☐ DLT

☐ FBOC

☐ Teacher Org. Reps.

☒ Other: Budget Workshop

E. Administrative Recommendation:

Administration recommends approval of the 2025-2026 General Fund (*inclusive of accelerated instruction allocation pursuant to Texas Education Code Section 29.081, b-1*), Debt Service Fund, and Food service Fund budgets.

F. Fiscal Impact and Cost: Amount: Attached

☒ Budget

☐ Bond

☐ Grant/Special Funds

☐ Other

G. Suggested Motion:

I move that the Hays CISD Board of Trustees adopt the General Fund, Debt Service Fund, and Food Service Fund budgets and approval of the budget for additional accelerated instruction pursuant to HB 5 requirements for the 2025-2026 School Year, as presented.