

# **2024-2025 Service Agreement with Specialized Education of Texas, Inc.**

## **July 30, 2024**

### **SUMMARY:**

- The purpose of this item is to present a service agreement for consideration and approval by our Board of Trustees.

### **PREVIOUS BOARD ACTION:**

- None

### **BACKGROUND INFORMATION:**

Specialized Education Services, Inc. (SESI) was founded in behavioral science using a multi-tiered, positive behavioral interventions and supports (PBIS)\* framework to increase socially appropriate behaviors for all students in our standalone schools and in-district classrooms, regardless of their behavioral needs.

### **SIGNIFICANT ISSUES:**

-None

### **FISCAL IMPLICATIONS:**

The cost of Specialized Education Services, Inc. (SESI) will be offset in part by Denton ISD selling seats to surrounding districts.

### **BENEFIT OF ACTION:**

A multi-tiered positive behavioral intervention and supports framework is to increase socially appropriate behaviors for students who qualify for special education services.

### **PROCEDURAL AND REPORTING IMPLICATIONS:**

- No additional reporting implications.

### **PUBLIC COMMENT RECEIVED:**

- None

### **ALTERNATIVES:**

- None

### **OTHER COMMENTS:**

SESI employs highly trained staff and provide students with evidence-based support and interventions to meet all their social, emotional, and behavioral needs.

### **SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION:**

-Recommended approval of this service agreement.

### **STAFF PERSONS RESPONSIBLE:**

- Dr. Lacey Rainey, Assistant Superintendent, Mrs. Robin Brownell, Area Superintendent, Mrs. Lindsay Lujan, Director of Special Programs

### **ATTACHMENT:**

- None

### **APPROVAL:**

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

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

Signature of Divisional Assistant Superintendent: \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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