



Board Agenda Item Overview

Meeting Date: August 18, 2026

Meeting Type: Regular

Item Category: Future Action Item

Primary Contact: Dr. Roosevelt Nivens

Presenter(s)/Add'l Contact(s): Dr. Julia Andrews

Item Name: DISCUSSION OF ANNUAL CERTIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE - DEI AND INSTRUCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS (SB12)

Item Summary: Senate Bill 12 (89th Texas Legislature) requires school districts to annually certify compliance with statutory provisions governing diversity, equity, and inclusion duties and certain instructional requirements and prohibitions. The attached Annual Certificate of Compliance documents the District's adherence to these requirements, which are outlined in Texas Education Code §11.005 (Prohibition on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Duties), and Texas Education Code §28.0022 (Certain Instructional Requirements and Prohibitions). Administration recommends that the Board of Trustees approve the Annual Certification of Compliance, as it confirms the District's continued alignment with these statutory mandates.

Recommendation: This is a future consent agenda item; no action is required.

Policy Reference: BF-Local

Strategic Plan Priority: Organizational Effectiveness

District Value(s): ☐ Accountability ☐ Big-Thinking ☐ Compassion ☒ Excellence ☐ Integrity ☐ Joy

Currently Budgeted? ☐ Yes ☐ No ☒ No Budgetary Impact

Completion or Implementation Timeline: September 30, 2026

Our Vision:

We are a values-driven community where innovation thrives, excellence is the standard, and every student has access to an elite education.