Decatur Independent School District
Board of Trustees Agenda Item

To: Board of Trustees
From: Taylor Williams
Subject: Public Hearing Regarding the Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas (School FIRST Report)
Meeting Date: November 16, 2026
Type of Item: ☐ Information ☒ Presentation ☐ Consent Agenda ☐ Discussion ☐ Action

Supporting Documents: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Background Information and Rationale:

For the 2026 School FIRST report, Decatur ISD received a rating of "A" for Superior Achievement, earning 94 out of 100 points. Superior Achievement is the state's highest score, demonstrating the quality of Decatur ISD's financial management and reporting system. This rating shows that Decatur schools are accountable not only for our student learning, but also for achieving these results cost-effectively and efficiently.

NOTE: The report is over the 2024-2025 school year, but named the 2025-2026 report, and presented in the fall of 2026.

The Administration will present the report.

Support of Strategic Goals:
4.3 DISD will provide operational efficiency, effectiveness, and transparency to maximize taxpayer dollars.

Fiscal Implication:
Information Only

Administrative Recommendation:
Hearing Only

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Respectfully submitted,

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