

SUBJECT: Consideration and possible approval of closure, consolidation, program restructuring, attendance zoning, and/or other related actions concerning McMasters Elementary, and authorization for the superintendent or her designee to take all necessary action to effectuate the school closure, consolidations, attendance zoning changes, and/or other related actions.

BACKGROUND: Due to school funding constraints, facility assessment data, operational costs, enrollment decline, and program optimization, the administration recommends closure of McMasters Elementary. The proposal includes consolidation of the campus' staff and students with neighboring Parks Elementary to the maximum extent possible and practicable.

We have engaged both staff and community stakeholders to gather valuable feedback, which has helped inform and guide our next steps in advancing this proposal. Planned actions include, but are not limited to, those required by the Texas Education Agency.

FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS: Although immediate financial implications cannot be quantified at this time, the proposed restructuring and relocation are expected to yield significant future operational savings through reduced staffing, facility, and other operating costs.

RECOMMENDATION: We recommend approval of closure, consolidation, program restructuring, attendance zoning, and/or other related actions concerning McMasters Elementary, and authorization for the superintendent or her designee to take all necessary action to effectuate the school closure, consolidations, attendance zoning changes, and/or other related actions.

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