



## Decatur Independent School District

Board of Trustees Agenda Item

**To:** Board of Trustees  
**From:** Taylor Williams  
**Subject:** Consider and Take Possible Action Engaging Snow Garrett Williams, CPA's for the Year Ended August 31, 2026 (2025-2026 Annual Financial Report)  
**Meeting Date:** APR-20-2026  
**Type of Item:**  Information  Presentation  Consent Agenda  Discussion  Action  
**Supporting Documents:**  Yes  No

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### Background Information and Rationale:

Snow, Garrett, Williams, CPAs have conducted the district audit in the past. The firm has a high technical proficiency in Texas school finance and accounting standards and is very knowledgeable about TEA auditing standards. In the past, they have presented at the annual Texas Society of CPA's annual school auditing conference. Besides the actual audit, there is a tremendous amount of transmitting of financial audited data through data feeds to TEA which they support the District in completing. They also audit Wise County and the Wise County Appraisal District.

Although costs are always important, auditing from year to year may vary in costs. Auditing fees, like legal fees, are based on actual hours worked. Depending upon issuance of any new accounting standards that may require additional work, the fees can change from year to year. The current annual amount spent was \$49,980. That amount includes part of the prior audit, but it gives a reasonable amount of the annual amount. The auditors start the audit with pre-audit selections on-site in July.

### Support of Strategic Goals:

4.1 DISD will ensure strong financial stewardship and fiscal responsibility.

4.3 DISD will provide operational efficiency, effectiveness, and transparency to maximize taxpayer dollars.

### Fiscal Implication:

Approximately \$50,000

### Administrative Recommendation:

The Administration recommends the Board of Trustees engage Snow, Garrett, Williams, CPA's for the year ended August 31, 2026 Annual Financial Report (audit).

### Contact Person(s)

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Respectfully submitted,

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