

Terrell Independent School District

Executive Summary Report

Date	District Guiding Pillar	
August 17, 2026	Goal 4: Organizational Efficiency: Develop a resource allocation plan and long-term facilities plan that supports and maintains the financial stability of the district, is aligned with identified priorities, addresses future growth and facility improvement needs, and represents being good stewards of taxpayer funds.	

Agenda Item: Consider Approval by the Board of Trustees to Delegate Contractual Authority to Obligate the School District under Texas Education Code (TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) to the Superintendent.

Summary:

The district received notice of the determination by TEA that TISD will be subject to recapture provisions in 2026-2027 based on estimated enrollments and property values.

There are two levels of recapture and TISD will be subject to level 2 recapture due to the yield on the copper pennies exceeding the maximum allowed.

The district must enter into a contract with TEA authorizing the method of recapture the district has selected. The Board of Trustees must delegate authority to the Superintendent for this specific purpose to obligate the district for recapture payments in order for the Superintendent to execute the contract. The specific language below also must be included in the minutes and sent to TEA for authorization.

Required motion language for minutes:

For the 2026-2027 school year, we delegated contractual authority to obligate the school district under Texas Education Code (TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) to the superintendent, solely for the purpose of obligating the district under TEC, §48.257 and TEC, Chapter 49, Subchapters A and D, and the rules adopted by the commissioner of education as authorized under TEC, 49.006. This included approval of the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit, the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit (Netting Chapter 48 Funding) or the Agreement for Purchase of Attendance Credit and Netting Chapter 48 Funding.

Attachments:

N/A

Administrative Recommendation:

It is the recommendation of the Superintendent that the Board of Trustees approves for the 2026-2027 school year, to delegate contractual authority to obligate the school district under Texas Education Code (TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) to the Superintendent, solely for the purpose of obligating the district under TEC, §48.257 and TEC, Chapter 49, Subchapters A and D, and the rules adopted by the commissioner of education as authorized under TEC, 49.006. This includes approval of the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit, the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit (Netting Chapter 48 Funding) or the Agreement for Purchase of Attendance Credit and Netting Chapter 48 Funding.

Budget/Funding

General Fund