

ALLEN INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

DATE OF MEETING: September 26, 2016

DOCUMENT TITLE: Approval of Notification of Commissioner of Board's Intention to Vote on Adopting Local Innovation Plan

ADMINISTRATOR RESPONSIBLE: Dr. Maroba Zoeller, Chief Governmental Relations Officer

STRATEGIC PLAN REFERENCE: Mission Statement: *Allen ISD cultivates innovation in education that empowers every learner to realize his or her full potential.*

LEGAL REVIEW: TASB

Authority for this Action:

BOARD POLICY:

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LOCAL INNOVATION PLAN

Summary / Background Information:

House Bill 1842 provides that after a Board votes to pursue designation of the district as a District of Innovation, a Board-appointed Local Innovation Committee will meet to develop a Local Innovation Plan in collaboration with district leaders. The Board voted to pursue the designation of District of Innovation with a Resolution approved at the May 16th Board Meeting. The Allen ISD Local Innovation Committee met on July 19th to begin development of the plan and finalized the plan in an August 10th meeting. At a joint meeting of the District Improvement & Planning Committee (DIPC) and the Local Innovation Committee on September 13th, the DIPC approved the plan by the required majority vote.

The next step in the process of becoming a District of Innovation is for the Board to vote to provide notice to the Commissioner of Education of the Board's intention to vote on adoption of the proposed Local Innovation Plan attached hereto. Also attached is the notification letter to the Commissioner. The Local Innovation Plan will then be posted for the required period of thirty (30) days on the district website.

The Board will then vote on adoption of the Local Innovation Plan at the November 28, 2016 board meeting.

Administration Recommendation: The Board should approve providing notice to the Commissioner of Education its intention to vote on adoption of proposed Local Innovation Plan.

MOTION: " I hereby move that the Allen ISD Board vote to approve providing notice to the Commissioner of Education of our intention to vote on adoption of the proposed Local Innovation Plan."