



COMMISSIONERS COURT COMMUNICATION

REFERENCE NUMBER _____

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DATE: 09/19/2023

**SUBJECT: APPROVAL OF MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING
BETWEEN TARRANT COUNTY, D/B/A TARRANT COUNTY
JUVENILE SERVICES AND THE FORT WORTH INDEPENDENT
SCHOOL DISTRICT FOR THE PROVISION OF EDUCATIONAL
SERVICES FOR THE 2023-2024 SCHOOL YEAR AT THE LYNN W.
ROSS JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER**

***** CONSENT AGENDA *****

COMMISSIONERS COURT ACTION REQUESTED

It is requested that the Commissioners Court approve Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between Tarrant County, d/b/a Tarrant County Juvenile Services and the Fort Worth Independent School District (FWISD) for the provision of educational services for the 2023-2024 school year at the Lynn W. Ross Juvenile Detention Center.

BACKGROUND

On November 1, 2022, the Commissioners Court, through Court Order #139585, approved a MOU with the FWISD to provide teachers, educational programs, dropout prevention programs and special education instruction to youth housed in the Lynn W. Ross Juvenile Detention Center. The term of this MOU was from July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023.

If approved, this MOU sets forth the parameters and agreements for FWISD to continue providing teachers, education programs, dropout prevention programs and special education instruction services to youth housed in the Lynn W. Ross Juvenile Detention Center for the 2023-2024 school year. The effective date of the MOU is July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2024.

This MOU has been approved as to form by the Criminal District Attorney's Office and approved by the Tarrant County Juvenile Board at the April 19, 2023 Board meeting. In addition, the MOU was approved by the FWISD Board on June 29, 2023.

FISCAL IMPACT

There is no fiscal impact associated with this item.

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