
AGENDA ITEM 8398

December 3, 2007

SUBJECT: Certification of Voter Petitions for the Balance of Round Rock Independent School District

RECOMMENDATION

That the Board of Trustees review and certify voter petitions for an annexation election in the balance of the service area of the Round Rock Independent School District.

RELATED BOARD POLICY OR PLANNING PRIORITY (Directive/Goal/Action Plan) This item is consistent with the Board Policy B-2, Duties and Responsibilities, Board of Trustees, G-7, Property Taxes, E-1, Master Planning, and Chapter 271 of the Texas Education Code.

RATIONALE This action is necessary to certify the petitions submitted to the Board by the ACCtion4Education Committee pursuing annexation of the balance of the Round Rock ISD into the ACC tax district. The required number of registered voter signatures is determined as a percentage (5 %) of the number of voters registered in the balance of territory of the Round Rock Independent School District as of November 2006. The total number of registered voters within the balance of District by that date, including precincts in Williamson and Travis counties, was 79,039. Five percent of this number is 3952 registered voters. The ACCtion4Education Committee submitted more than 8000 signatures, twice the number required for verification. The office of Governmental Relations has verified 4500 petition signatures, significantly above that required for compliance with the Education Code.

BUDGETARY CONSIDERATION

None

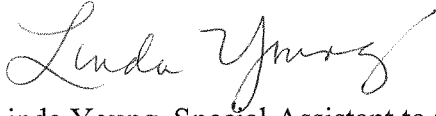
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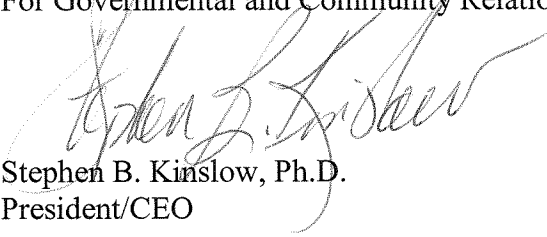
ATTACHMENTS:

None

Respectfully Submitted by:

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