



# College Station Independent School District

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## MEMORANDUM

To: Dr. Clark Ealy, Superintendent

From: Jon Hall, Executive Director of Facilities *Jon E. Hall*

Date: November 13, 2019

Subject: Consideration and possible action on the approval of an amendment to the Interlocal Agreement with Brazos County, Texas concerning the School Resource Deputy program.

Agenda Item: L-1.

### BACKGROUND

In February of 2017, the Board of Trustees of College Station Independent School District approved an Interlocal Agreement (ILA) with Brazos County, Texas creating the School Resource Deputy program.

Since that time, the Brazos County Sheriff's Office (BCSO) has provided CSISD with School Resource Deputies at all of the high school and middle school campuses to fill a critical safety and security role for the school district.

In an effort to improve our response to active shooter events, CSISD decided to allow BCSO to access our live camera feeds in all of our campuses in the event of an actual emergency situation. This created a legal responsibility on the part of CSISD to define the acceptable terms for this process in accordance with the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA) and to include that in an amendment to update our current ILA document.

This ILA amendment also defines the duties of the SRD Sergeant, whose duties are distributed across the district (in lieu of a single campus assignment) in support of the entire SRD program on the high school and middle school campuses.

### RECOMMENDATION

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees of College Station Independent School District approve the amendment to the existing School Resource Deputy Interlocal Agreement between Brazos County and the College Station Independent School District, which defines camera access and SRD Sergeant duties.

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