



AGENDA SECTION: Consent Agenda

SUBJECT: Byrd Middle School and Duncanville High School CTE Students– Travel to SKILLS Nationals Atlanta, Georgia

BOARD POLICY: FMG (LOCAL) - A

STRATEGIC GOAL(S): Priority 2.1 Students, Families and Community Connections

FISCAL NOTE: Local (CTE Funds)

PREPARED/PRESENTED BY: Dr. Samuel Nix, Chief Academic Officer

### Background Information

SkillsUSA Nationals stands as a prominent platform where the nation's most accomplished career and technical education (CTE) students converge to showcase their mastery in a wide array of hands-on challenges spanning several career focuses. This national competition serves as a powerful catalyst for recognizing student excellence, fostering workforce preparedness, and offering invaluable avenues for leadership growth, scholarship opportunities, and career progression. It will be held from June 1st–6th, 2026, at the Georgia World Congress Center in Atlanta, Georgia, this event encompasses national-level competitions, enriching leadership workshops, vital networking opportunities, and prestigious awards ceremonies, all designed to empower and celebrate the achievements of these talented individuals.

### Recommendation

We recommend 7 students from Byrd Middle School and 2 students from Duncanville High School to attend SKILLS Nationals in Atlanta, Georgia – Luis Martinez (DHS), Miguel Palomo (DHS), Brenton Jackson (BMS), Landon Risper (BMS), Kylynn Booker (BMS), Evelyn Jasso (BMS), Princess Turner (BMS), Zamora Anderson (BMS), Aubrey Jones (BMS). Also attending as follows:

- ❑ Campus advisor - Mrs. Kecia Hudson-Winston (BMS CTE Instructor)
- ❑ Campus advisor – Jason Tyer (Collision Instructor)
- ❑ Campus advisor - Jason Dial (Welding Instructor)

### Travel Cost

#### Student Participants

- ❑ Travel (Airfare/Transportation): \$455 (coordinated by Ms. Jingles)
- ❑ Hotel (5 nights): \$715



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*Writing success stories, one student at a time.*

- Meals (Daily Stipend – \$30/day): \$180
- Registration Fee: \$400

Estimated Total per Student: \$1,750

## Advisors / Chaperones

- Travel (Airfare/Transportation): \$455 (coordinated by Ms. Jingles)
- Hotel (5 nights): \$1,425
- Meals: Per diem –The first and last day is \$48 per day and the second, third and fourth day is \$65 = \$291
- Registration Fee: \$400
- Estimated Total per Adult: \$2,116

## Communication Deployment

- Board Meeting Minutes

## Suggested Motion

The board approves the SKILLS USA National Conference as presented.

Respectfully submitted,

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Superintendent