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Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):

Approve out of state travel on Saturday, April 15, 2023 to King's Island in Cincinnati, OH for the members of the 2023 Floyd Central High School Youth Service Center Council via school bus provided by the Floyd County Transportation Department.

Applicable State or Regulations:

Board Policy 9:36: Out of state trips require Superintendent/Board approval

Fiscal/Budgetary Impact:

The cost of this trip will be paid using school activity funds generated through fundraisers.

History/Background:

These thirty-seven students have been involved with numerous school and community activities the past three years. They volunteered at the Martin Community Center, helping distribute supplies to families that had been affected by flooding; volunteered at the Prestonsburg Health Care Nursing Home delivering fruit baskets and spent time playing games with the residents; helped with the districtwide Fun Fair for New and Expectant parents; sponsored a Pet Food Drive; hosted a community Easter Egg Hunt. Additionally, the council members perform countless daily tasks including helping during school assemblies, helping out in the office, making sure our food pantry is stocked and keeping the hygiene and clothing closet organized. At the beginning of the year we discussed doing something at the end of the school year to show how much they are appreciated for all they do and their immediate response was for a trip. This diversified group of students represent our Youth Services Center in such a positive way in our school and our community. Our motto is "Jags Give Back" and now we want to give back to our council for all of their hard work both in schools and out in the community.

Recommended Action:

Approve the request for out of state travel on Saturday, April 15, 2023 to King's Island in Cincinnati, OH for the members of the 2023 Floyd Central High School Youth Service Center Council.

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Superintendent Shepherd

Date:

March 13, 2023