

21 March 2024

This is a decision paper.

TO: Members of the Hardin County School Board

FROM: Teresa Morgan, Superintendent

SUBJECT: Central Hardin JROTC Drill Team to travel via commercial carrier to the Army JROTC National Drill competition in Daytona, FL on 3 May 2024.

REQUEST ISSUE: To gain approval for the JROTC Battalion Drill Team (approx 18 students) to travel on 2 May to Daytona, FL. The team will compete Friday, 3 May, at the Army National Drill Competition, observe the All Services national competition on 4 May, and return on 5 May. This is the second year the Bruin Drill Team has been nominated to compete at the national level. Two teachers will go on the trip.

Transportation, lodging and dinner meals are supplied at no charge to the students. However, we will need to raise funds to cover the transportation cost. Students will need approximately \$100 for additional meals.

We are requesting to travel via commercial coach with Martin Motor Coach for cost and time efficiency. We have also requested support from the 7th ROTC Brigade at Fort Knox.

	<u>Total Cost:</u>	<u>Brigade</u>	<u>CHHS</u>
Transportation:	\$10,650	\$2,495	\$8,155
Lodging:	\$3,759	\$2,148	\$1,611
Dinner Meals:	\$720	\$720	\$0
Fees and Misc:	\$100	\$0	\$100
	<u>\$15,229</u>	<u>\$5,363</u>	<u>\$9,866</u>

RECOMMENDATION: I recommend that the board approve this request.

RECOMMENDED MOTION: I move the Hardin County Board of Education approve the request from the Central Hardin JROTC to travel to Daytona, FL, 2-5 May, 2024, via commercial carrier for cost and time efficiency.