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**Date: February 21, 2025**

**Consent Agenda Item (Action Item):** Betsy Layne High School's National Honor Society and Beta Club are requesting permission to travel to Pigeon Forge, Tennessee during our scheduled Spring Break from March 30<sup>th</sup> – April 2<sup>th</sup>, 2025.

**Applicable State or Regulations:** Board Policy 01.11 General Powers and Duties of the Board of Education.

**Budget/Financial Issues:** The event would not impact the board of education. The costs would be covered by BLHS's National Honor Society and Beta Club.

**Background and Rationale:** The students of the National Honor Society and Beta Club work all year to support our students and the people of the community. These students, aside from completing 20 hours of community service per year, must maintain a GPA of 3.5 as well as 94% attendance. These students have met their goals and would love the celebrate the end of a stressful yet successful academic year in Pigeon Forge.

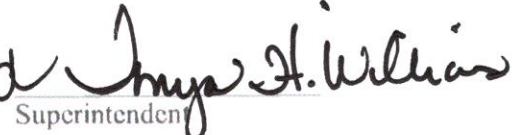
**Recommended Action:** The Floyd County Board of Education allows the Betsy Layne High School National Honor Society and Beta Club to travel to Pigeon Forge from March 30<sup>th</sup> April 2<sup>th</sup>, 2025. The students will be transported via one Floyd County Schools transportation buses.

**Contact Person(s):**

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