

# Advocacy Resolution

**Please note:**

- Your district may propose a new Advocacy Resolution or an amendment of a resolution adopted by a previous Delegate Assembly for the current legislative biennium.
- Express each proposal as a short, simple sentence of 25 words or less stating TASB's desired position regarding a matter of interest to school districts throughout Texas. Use copies of this form if submitting more than one position or amendment.
- Express in paragraph form your district's rationale for the proposal in the Statement of Reasons blank below.
- The language of the proposal and rationale will be edited for length, style, clarity, and factual accuracy. Substantive changes in the language of the proposed resolution or amendment shall be referred to the district for approval by a board officer.

Similar submissions will be combined, with the consent of the submitting districts. Each district will then appear as a cosponsor of the combined proposal.

**Proposed resolution:** TASB shall (support, oppose) support increasing the transportation allotment to the same level factored for inflation as 1984.

**Statement of reasons:** The transportation allotment has not changed since 1984. The cost of operations (fuel, buses, and labor) have increased significantly since that time.

I hereby certify that the above proposed resolution was approved by our board on June 23, 2008.

Board President's Signature: WILE BURGIS

Name of school district: Midlothian Independent School District

County District Number: 070908

Please return your board's proposed resolution(s) by July 1, 2008, to the following address:

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