

July 14, 2023

To the Administrator Addressed:

Subject: Notification of Local Revenue Level in Excess of Entitlement for School Year 2023–2024

**Background**

### **Options to Reduce Local Revenue in Excess of Entitlement**

A district with local revenue in excess of entitlement has the following five options available to reduce the district's revenue level under TEC, Chapter 49:

- 1) Consolidation with another district as provided by Subchapter B;
- 2) Detachment of territory as provided by Subchapter C;
- 3) Purchase of average daily attendance credit as provided by Subchapter D ("Option 3");
- 4) Education of nonresident students as provided by Subchapter E ("Option 4"); and/or
- 5) Tax base consolidation with another district as provided by Subchapter F.

Districts have historically selected Option 3. Successful elections conducted under TEC, former Chapter 41, carry over into TEC, Chapter 49.

Provisions in TEC, §48.257(c), allow districts to offset the reduction of excess local revenue against TEC, Chapter 48 funds. All districts will have the option to use state aid calculated under TEC, Chapter 48, that is not described by TEC, §48.266(a)(3) as an offset to their attendance credit for purposes of reducing their local revenue level. Districts using this option are required to submit the district intent/choice selection form and complete an Option 3 netting contract, which can be found in the

and on the [Excess Local Revenue webpage](#).

To avoid any delays in the approval of the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit (r)En ie42023tCI75u3 i (ent)4.3

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