



To the Administrator Addressed

DATE:	June 8, 2023
SUBJECT:	Senate Bill 1882 Texas Partnerships Applications
CATEGORY:	SB 1882 Partnerships
NEXT STEPS:	Share with district and campus administrators

Pursuant to Senate Bill (SB) 1882, 85th Regular Legislative Session, school districts can access potential financial and/or accountability benefits by entering into a partnership with a non-profit, institution of higher education, or other governmental entity to manage a district campus or set of campuses.

This correspondence outlines required actions and application due dates for Texas Partnerships (SB 1882) benefits that begin in the 2024-2025 school year.

Deadline for submission for Texas Partnerships benefits that begin in 2024-2025

There are two priority deadlines and a final deadline for districts to submit their Texas Partnerships Benefits Application Package to the Texas Education Agency (TEA) for partnerships beginning operation in school year (SY) 2024-

Required Actions for Benefits Eligibility

To be eligible to receive Texas Partnership benefits, districts must:

- Submit a non-binding Letter of Intent;
- Attend mandatory webinars;
- Adopt and implement the TEA model charter authorizing policy or a similar policy approved by TEA;
- Adopt and implement the TEA model campus charter application or a similar application and scoring rubric approved by TEA; and
- Submit the application for benefits no later than March 29, 2024.

Each of these requirements are detailed in the sections below.

Mandatory Letter of Intent

Districts that are considering pursuing a Texas Partnership that begidg/TT2-5 (ar)9 (0 612 92 reWñnBT0 g/TT3 10 Tf94.55

Required attendees from the district are the superintendent or a cabinet member.

TEA will not accept a Texas Partnerships Benefits Application Package from a district unless its proposed or potential operating partner has attended the following webinars:

- Texas Partnerships Overview (90 minutes)
- Texas Partnerships Performance Contracts (60 minutes)

A required attendee from the proposed or potential operating partner is a board member or a full-time staff employee of the partner organization.

The webinar date and time options, all to take place via Zoom, and all registration links can be found on the [Texas Partnerships website](#).

Summary of Important Dates Related to Texas Partnerships for benefits that begin in 2024-2025

Required Activities	Date
District and Proposed Partners Attend Required Webinars	Late Summer-Early Fall 2023 (time and date options can be found here)
District submits Mandatory Letter of Intent	