



Gadsden Independent School District
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Date: Sept. 20, 2021

School Board Agenda Items

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Title of Agenda Item: NMSBA Resolution:
Unfunded Mandate

Board Meeting Date: September 23, 2021

Submitted By: Originator – Travis Dempsey
Department – Office of the Superintendent
Date – September 20, 2021

To Be Presented By: Travis Dempsey

Approved By: President Flores Date – September 18, 2021

Background and Summary:

Current requirements from the New Mexico Public Education Department requiring students participating in school sponsored activities during trips that require overnight travel do not allow vaccinated students and unvaccinated students to share rooms. This creates multiple issues for students and their families. The rules require that unvaccinated students have their own room accommodations and due to liability associated with students in a hotel room alone we are requiring a parent/ guardian stay in the room with the student. Unvaccinated students and their parents would be responsible for the cost of hotel accommodations.

Recommendation:

Assigned to Board Agenda for Meeting of (Date): September 23, 2021