

Gadsden Independent School District P.O. Drawer 70 Anthony, New Mexico 88021

Date: October 4, 2021

## **School Board Agenda Items**

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Title of Agenda Item: <u>NMSBA Resolution:</u> <u>Unfunded Mandate</u>

Board Meeting Date: October 7, 2021

Submitted By: Originator – <u>Travis Dempsey</u> Department – <u>Office of the Superintendent</u> Date – <u>October 4, 2021</u>

To Be Presented By: <u>Travis Dempsey</u>

Approved By: <u>President Flores</u> Date – <u>October 4, 2021</u>

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:

Approval

Assigned to Board Agenda for Meeting of (Date): October 7, 2021