



TEA Superintendent Call Debrief

August 19, 2022

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Superintendents,

Below is a summary debrief of the TEA Superintendent Call that took place on August 18, 2022:

Posted recently on tea.texas.gov:

- **School Safety**
 - **NEW:** [Request ALERRT Training Course](#) – School systems can request ALERRT trainings courses on location
 - **NEW:** [ALERRT Training Reimbursements](#) – Allows for training reimbursement for ALERRT trainings for independent school districts that employ peace officers, to include: Peace Officer Overtime, Travel Expenditures, Training Stipends
 - **NEW:** [Bullet-resistant Shield Grant](#) – Grant opportunity for bullet-resistant shields for independent school districts that employ peace officers.
 - **NEW:** [iWatchTexas School Safety](#) (TAA) – Information on the iWatchTexas School Safety program and how schools can gain access to this invaluable resource.
- **Teacher Vacancy Task Force**
 - **NEW:** [Forney Academy to Certify Teachers](#) – Dr. Justin Terry from Forney ISD shares their model for growing and retaining teachers.
- **Career and Technical Education**
 - **NEW:** [Industry-Based Certifications List for Public School Accountability](#) (TAA)
 - **NEW:** [2022-24 IBC List](#)
 - **NEW:** [IBC Frequently Asked Questions](#)
 - **NEW:** [PowerPoint slides](#) outlining the IBC review process and key updates to the list
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- **Next Call:**
 - September 15, 2022 at 3:00 PM