

State Board of Education - 88th Legislative Priorities

Charter Approval Process

- A. Grant State Board of Education veto authority over charter expansions

Charter Regulation

- B. Charter schools in the State of Texas would follow the same rules as ISDs

Instructional Materials

- C. Textbooks – All local education agencies would use State Board of Education textbooks approved by State Board of Education or seek a Texas Education Agency waiver
- D. Combine State Board of Education approval process with Texas Resource Review with State Board of Education approval of rubric
- E. Align instructional materials to cover 100% of TEKS/standards

SBOE Member Benefits/Staff Support

- F. Provide State Board of Education member benefits and staff support

Funding & PSF Appropriations

- G. The Texas State Board of Education calls on the Texas Legislature to reject all attempts to divert public dollars away from public schools in the form of vouchers, an education savings account, taxpayer savings grants, tuition-tax credits, a business franchise tax credit or an insurance premium tax credit, or any other mechanisms that have the effect of reducing funding to public schools

Funding & PSF Appropriations

- H. Raise the floor of the minimum salary schedule by a minimum of 50% and fully fund it