



CITY COUNCIL MEMORANDUM

FROM: The Office of the City Manager **DATE:** April 8, 2024
SUBJECT: Discuss requirement of House Bill 3, passed during the 88th Legislative Session, requiring school districts to provide armed security at each school district campus.
PRESENTER: Jeff Garner, Assistant Police Chief

SUMMARY:

Discuss requirements of House Bill 3, passed during the 88th Legislative Session, requiring school districts to provide armed security at each school district campus.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION:

Staff will present information on House Bill 3 and the requirements it placed upon school districts in Texas to provide armed security at each campus. City management and police command staff have had some discussions with Birdville ISD Superintendent and her leadership team related to options for the school district to explore in meeting the new requirements including possible city participation in staffing and funding.

The purpose of this item is to provide a high level overview of the potential options discussed thus far, and receive feedback from the City Council on how to proceed with some areas of the discussion.