

# Advocacy Resolution

Please note:

- Your district may propose a new Advocacy Resolution or an amendment of a resolution adopted by a previous Delegate Assembly for the current legislative biennium.
- Express each proposal as a **short, simple sentence of 25 words or less** stating TASB's desired position regarding a matter of interest to school districts throughout Texas. Use copies of this form if submitting more than one position or amendment.
- Express in paragraph form using **100 or fewer words** your district's rationale for the proposal in the Statement of Reasons blank below. If appropriate, estimate the financial impact this would have on your district's budget. Financial estimates will not be published but would help guide TASB's advocacy efforts.
- The language of the proposal and rationale will be edited for length, style, clarity, and factual accuracy. Substantive changes in the language of the proposed resolution or amendment shall be referred to the district for approval by a board officer. Similar submissions will be combined, with the consent of the submitting districts. Each district will then appear as a cosponsor of the combined proposal.

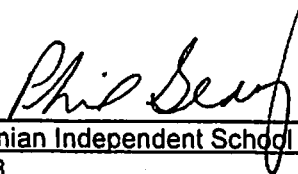
Proposed resolution: TASB shall support allowing school districts the opportunity to correct completer data records prior to the public release of preliminary District accountability ratings.

Statement of reasons: Currently TEA bases completer data on the prior year PEIMS Fall submission with no opportunity for school districts to correct the data until they make an appeal after the preliminary ratings are made to the public.

Financial impact estimate: The initial incorrect negative rating can have an impact on the home values of residents in the school district.

I hereby certify that the above proposed resolution was approved by our board on  
June 22, 2009  
(Date of meeting)

Board president's signature



Name of school district : Midlothian Independent School District

County-district number 070908

Please return your board's proposed resolution(s) by July 1, 2009, to the following address:

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