PROPOSED AMENDMENT TO MOUNT VERNON ISD DISTRICT OF INNOVATION PLAN ORIGINALLY APPROVED BY BOARD, MAY 9, 2017 AMENDED JUNE 16, 2020

Mount Vernon ISD has determined a need to amend our District of Innovation Plan to provide additional flexibility at the local level under Texas Education Code. Information sought by this Amendment is indicated below:

Texas Education Code Chapter 21. Educators §21.401 Minimum Service Required. Teacher Contract Days

Current:

- (a) A contract between a school district and an educator must be for a minimum of 10 months' service.
- (b) Except as provided by Subsection (c-1), an educator employed under a 10-month contract must provide a minimum of 187 days of service.

Proposed:

Current education law in Chapter 21 defines a teacher contract as a 10-month equivalent to 187 days. Proposal would reduce teacher contract days from 187 days to a decreased length as determined appropriate by the school district in proportion to the number of days of instruction with no effect on teacher salaries.

AMENDMENT APPROVED:

DISTRICT OF INNOVATION COMMITTEE

DATE: February 24, 2021

Chandra White, Chair Assistant Superintendent

MOUNT VERNON ISD BOARD OF TRUSTEES

DATE: March 11, 2021

Aaron Sanders, President

Brook Bussell, Secretary