

Board Contract Year 2026 Child Care Local Match

Discussion Paper

Background

The Texas Workforce Commission (TWC) allocates federal funding for child care services from the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) to local workforce development areas (LWDA). In accordance with federal regulations and Title 40, Texas Administrative Code (TAC), Part 20, Chapter 809 Child Care Services §809.17(a)(1)–(2), TWC encourages Local Workforce Development Boards (Boards) to secure and submit local matching funds to TWC in order to receive a portion of CCDF funding.

Issue

Boards submit annual local match pledges from private and public entities to secure federal child care funds pursuant to 40 TAC [§809.17](#) and to maximize resources for child care needs in their communities.

Supporting documentation includes 14 Board Contract Year 2026 (BCY 2026) match agreements from seven Boards (Greater Dallas, Lower Rio Grande Valley, North Texas, Northeast Texas, Panhandle, Tarrant County, and Texoma). Boards have secured 6.17 percent of the statewide child care local match target for BCY 2026.

Recommendation

Staff recommends that TWC’s three-member Commission (Commission) accept child care pledges for donations, transfers, and certifications of expenses for BCY 2026 in the amount of \$5,100,045.

Workforce Development Division/Child Care & Early Learning Division

Board Contract Year 2026 Child Care Local Match Agreements

Submitted for Commission Action on November 12, 2025

Total included in this Action for Commission Acceptance: **\$5,100,045**

Table 1: Donations from Private Entities

Pledging Entity	LWDA	Local Pledged Amount
TOTAL	-	-

Note: Any cell with a hyphen (-) denotes no data.

Table 2: Transfers and Certifications of Expense from Public Entities

Pledging Entity	LWDA	Local Pledged Amount
Dallas College	Greater Dallas	\$1,400,000
Irving Independent School District	Greater Dallas	\$150,000
City of McAllen	Lower Rio	\$400,000
Edinburg Consolidated Independent School District	Lower Rio	\$232,000
Archer City Independent School District	North Texas	\$89,267
City of Wichita Falls	North Texas	\$126,637
Olney Independent School District	North Texas	\$40,000
Vernon College	North Texas	\$30,000
Texarkana Independent School District Tiger Learning Center	Northeast Texas	\$374,947
Amarillo College	Panhandle	\$350,000
West Texas A&M University	Panhandle	\$325,000
Fort Worth Independent School District After-School Program	Tarrant County	\$1,400,000
Grayson College	Texoma	\$141,369
North Central Texas College	Texoma	\$40,825
TOTAL	-	\$5,100,045

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Board Contract Year 2026 Child Care Local Match: Secured and Remaining Amounts

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Table 3: Local Match Targets Matched and Remaining Amounts

LWDA No.	LWDA	Local targets	Federal targets	Local amount pledged (to date)	Federal amount pledged (to date)	Local remainder	Federal remainder	Percentage of local match secured
1	Panhandle	\$1,289,864	\$2,579,728	\$675,000	\$1,350,000	\$614,864	\$1,229,728	52.33%
2	South Plains	\$1,272,616	\$2,545,232	-	-	\$1,272,616	\$2,545,232	0.00%
3	North Texas	\$571,808	\$1,143,616	\$285,904	\$571,808	\$285,904	\$571,808	50.00%
4	North Central Texas	\$5,696,390	\$11,392,780	-	-	\$5,696,390	\$11,392,780	0.00%
5	Tarrant County	\$5,528,532	\$11,057,064	\$1,400,000	\$2,800,000	\$4,128,532	\$8,257,064	25.32%
6	Greater Dallas	\$8,137,890	\$16,275,780	\$1,550,000	\$3,100,000	\$6,587,890	\$13,175,780	19.05%
7	Northeast Texas	\$819,894	\$1,639,788	\$374,947	\$749,894	\$444,947	\$889,894	45.73%
8	East Texas	\$2,435,318	\$4,870,636	-	-	\$2,435,318	\$4,870,636	0.00%
9	West Central Texas	\$855,654	\$1,711,308	-	-	\$855,654	\$1,711,308	0.00%
10	Borderplex	\$3,193,704	\$6,387,408	-	-	\$3,193,704	\$6,387,408	0.00%
11	Permian Basin	\$1,455,014	\$2,910,028	-	-	\$1,455,014	\$2,910,028	0.00%
12	Concho Valley	\$369,658	\$739,316	-	-	\$369,658	\$739,316	0.00%
13	Heart of Texas	\$1,129,868	\$2,259,736	-	-	\$1,129,868	\$2,259,736	0.00%
14	Capital Area	\$2,580,732	\$5,161,464	-	-	\$2,580,732	\$5,161,464	0.00%

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15	Rural Capital Area	\$2,147,798	\$4,295,596	-	-	\$2,147,798	\$4,295,596	0.00%
16	Brazos Valley	\$903,326	\$1,806,652	-	-	\$903,326	\$1,806,652	0.00%
17	Deep East Texas	\$1,201,358	\$2,402,716	-	-	\$1,201,358	\$2,402,716	0.00%
18	Southeast Texas	\$1,182,102	\$2,364,204	-	-	\$1,182,102	\$2,364,204	0.00%
19	Golden Crescent	\$529,966	\$1,059,932	-	-	\$529,966	\$1,059,932	0.00%
20	Alamo	\$7,536,082	\$15,072,164	-	-	\$7,536,082	\$15,072,164	0.00%
21	South Texas	\$1,288,060	\$2,576,120	-	-	\$1,288,060	\$2,576,120	0.00%
22	Coastal Bend	\$1,858,292	\$3,716,584	-	-	\$1,858,292	\$3,716,584	0.00%
23	Lower Rio Grande Valley	\$5,144,458	\$10,288,916	\$632,000	\$1,264,000	\$4,512,458	\$9,024,916	12.29%
24	Cameron County	\$2,002,074	\$4,004,148	-	-	\$2,002,074	\$4,004,148	0.00%
25	Texoma	\$535,418	\$1,070,836	\$182,194	\$364,388	\$353,224	\$706,448	34.03%
26	Central Texas	\$1,684,414	\$3,368,828	-	-	\$1,684,414	\$3,368,828	0.00%
27	Middle Rio Grande	\$690,904	\$1,381,808	-	-	\$690,904	\$1,381,808	0.00%
28	Gulf Coast	\$20,664,858	\$41,329,716	-	-	\$20,664,858	\$41,329,716	0.00%
-	TOTALS	\$82,706,052	\$165,412,104	\$5,100,045	\$10,200,090	\$77,606,007	\$155,212,014	6.17%

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An amount with an asterisk (*) and in blue is in excess of a Board's local match target.