## 2012 Candidate Survey Response Summary

| Fine arts instruction helps improve student performance in other academic cources. |      |           |           |
|--|------|-----------|-----------|
| Yes  | No   | Undecided | More Info |
| 97.0%  | 2.0% | 1%        | 0%        |

| Fine arts study helps prepare students for college. |      |           |           |
|---|------|-----------|-----------|
| Yes   | No   | Undecided | More Info |
| 96.0%   | 1.0% | 3.0%      | 0%        |

| Fine arts participation reduces dropout rates. |    |           |           |
|--|----|-----------|-----------|
| Yes  | No | Undecided | More Info |
| 95.0%  | 1% | 2.0%      | 2.0%      |

| Creativity fostered through a fine arts education is valued by employers. |      |           |           |
|---|------|-----------|-----------|
| Yes   | No   | Undecided | More Info |
| 84.0%   | 5.0% | 4.0%      | 7.0%      |
|   |      |           |           |
|   |      |           |           |

| Fine arts courses should be in the core curriculum. |        |           |           |
|---|--------|-----------|-----------|
| Support   | Oppose | Undecided | More Info |
| 74%   | 4.0%   | 9.0%      | 13.0%     |

| Willing to join a fine arts caucus during the 83 <sup>rd</sup> sesson. |      |           |           |
|--|------|-----------|-----------|
| Yes  | No   | Undecided | More Info |
| 74%  | 3.1% | 9.4%      | 12.5%     |

To view each candidtate's response that supports this summary, choose the detail view below:

Benefits of Music Education Response Details Education Priorities Response Details Opportunity to Study Fine Arts Details

| Students should be removed from fine arts classes for STAAR preparation drills. |        |           |           |
|---|--------|-----------|-----------|
| Support   | Oppose | Undecided | More Info |
| 5.1%  | 80.6%  | 6.1%      | 8.2%      |