



# **MONTGOMERY**

## **INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

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Dear Mayor Countryman and Montgomery City Council Members,

My name is Brad Mansfield, and I am the Chief Facilities and Operations Officer for Montgomery ISD. I hope this letter finds you well. I am writing to formally request financial relief regarding the installation costs of a water meter at the Montgomery ISD Career and Technology Building and Agriculture Barn located at 1520 Lone Star Parkway in Montgomery.

As a public entity committed to the educational development of our community's children, we are also mindful of the financial constraints that govern our operations.

Both the City of Montgomery and the Montgomery Independent School District serve the public through the collection of taxes and the prudent use of resources. Given that both entities are tax-supported and share the mission of benefiting the residents of this community, I respectfully request that the city consider providing financial relief for the costs associated with the installation of the water meter. This could come in the form of a reduction or elimination of the charge indicated in the city ordinance under Chapter 90 (Utilities) Sec. 90-68 (a). This charge adds two hundred percent to the cost of the water tap and installation adding an additional 84,485.27 dollars to the school district's cost.

Our school district is facing budget constraints as we strive to maintain quality education and essential services for our students. Any assistance the city can provide would directly support our efforts to allocate limited resources toward educational programs, student services, and facility maintenance.

We appreciate the city's ongoing partnership with our school district and trust that our shared commitment to public service will be taken into account when considering this request. Please let us know what options might be available or if further information is required to support this appeal.

Thank you for your time and consideration. I look forward to your response and hope to continue working together to serve our community's needs.

Sincerely,

*Brad Mansfield*

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