SUBJECT: Consideration and possible approval to name the South Houston High School Auditorium as the South Houston High School Sally Schott Auditorium at a cost not to exceed $3,000.00.

BACKGROUND: The Pasadena Independent School District names spaces within district facilities to honor individuals who have made a lasting impact on our schools and community.

Sally Schott dedicated 39 years to Pasadena ISD as a respected choral director and music educator. She taught at Jackson Intermediate School from 1965 to 1974, and then at South Houston High School until her retirement in 2004. Throughout her career, she inspired generations of students and helped build a strong tradition of musical excellence in the district.

Beyond Pasadena ISD, Mrs. Schott served as a state and national leader in music education. Her leadership roles included:

- President and State Vocal Chair of the Texas Music Educators Association (TMEA)
- Vice President of the Texas Choral Directors Association (TCDA)
- Southwestern Division President of the American Choral Directors Association (ACDA)
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She also supported the broader music community through her work with the Bay Area Chorus, the Houston Chamber Choir, the University of Houston, and Sam Houston State University. Additionally, she co-founded Quaid/Schott Media Productions and was a founding partner of Alliance Music Publications.

Her many honors include the Bay Area Chorus Distinctive Service Award, the 2008 TCDA Choral Excellence Award, the 2013 Houston Symphony School Bell Award, and induction into the South Houston High School Hall of Honor in 2013.

In recognition of her 39 years of service and lasting impact on students, educators, and the community, the administration recommends naming the South Houston

	High School Auditorium as the South Houston High School Sally Schott Auditorium
FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:	District funds will be used. Estimated cost of the project will not exceed $3,000.00.
RECOMMENDATION:	We recommend approval to name the South Houston High School Auditorium as the South Houston High School Sally Schott Auditorium at a cost not to exceed $3,000.00.
BOARD MEMBERS:	Joe Campos Kenny Fernandez Nelda Sullivan
BOARD MEETING DATE:	November 17, 2026