

Agenda of Regular Meeting

The Board of Trustees United ISD

A Regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of United ISD will be held Thursday, March 22, 2012, beginning at 6:00 PM in the United ISD - Student Activity Complex, Fine Arts Building, 5208 Santa Claudia Lane, Laredo TX 78043.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are as listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the order shown on this meeting notice.

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

I. Pledge of Allegiance

A. Honor the Texas Flag; I pledge allegiance to thee, Texas, one state under God, one and indivisible.

II. Announcement by the Board President calling this meeting of the United Independent School District to order. Let the record show that a quorum of Board Members is present, that this meeting has been duly called, and that notice of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

III. Public Comments: Comments are limited to three minutes per speaker. The Board Parliamentarian will be the timekeeper and will inform the speaker when they have one (1) remaining minute. No more than three (3) persons will be allowed to speak on any side of an issue. Should there be more than three (3) people who wish to speak on a particular issue they need to select not more than three (3) representatives to speak for them. Comments must address items listed on the agenda. The presiding officer or designee shall determine whether a person who wishes to address the Board has attempted to solve a matter administratively. If not, the person shall be directed to the appropriate policy, as noted in BED (LOCAL), to seek resolution before bringing the matter to the Board at a subsequent meeting. Pursuant to 551.042 of the Texas Government Code, no Board Member or Administrator may respond to a member of the public, unless such response is a recitation of District policy or a statement of specific factual information. When a speaker comes to the podium, please indicate what agenda item you will be addressing. Furthermore, please refrain from mentioning any employee's name and any complaint about any employee's

duties or responsibilities should be channeled through the appropriate grievance policy.

IV. Recognitions

- A. A.A. LICENCIADO EDUARDO A. GARZA ROBLES
- B. ELWYNN SHERMAN - BORDER PATROL'S R.E.A.L. MISSION PROGRAM
- C. UNITED I.S.D. INSTRUCTIONAL TELEVISION DEPARTMENT – TSPRA CONFERENCE
- D. UNITED I.S.D. PUBLIC RELATIONS DEPARTMENT – TSPRA CONFERENCE
- E. UNITED SOUTH HIGH SCHOOL ROTC
- F. J.B. ALEXANDER HIGH SCHOOL–SWIMMING–REGIONAL CHAMPION/200 INDIVIDUAL MEDLEY – QUALIFIED FOR STATE MEET
- G. J.B. ALEXANDER HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM
- H. J.B. ALEXANDER HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM
- I. LYNDON B. JOHNSON HIGH SCHOOL ROBOTICS – TAMIU FTC QUALIFIER – FIRST TECH CHALLENGE
- J. LYNDON B. JOHNSON HIGH SCHOOL - GRAPHICS AND DESIGN TEAM
- K. LYNDON B. JOHNSON HIGH SCHOOL - GIRLS BASKETBALL TEAM
- L. UNITED HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADERS – NATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIP AND WORLD SCHOOL CHEERLEADING CHAMPIONSHIP
- M. UNITED HIGH SCHOOL ROBOTICS

N. UNITED HIGH SCHOOL BOYS BASKETBALL TEAM

V. Consent Agenda Items

- A. Approval of Monthly Disbursements
- B. Renewal of District Paid Life Insurance Program
- C. Approval of Employment Contracts, Addendums, Letters of Assurance for 2012-2013 School/Work Year
- D. Approval of District Calendar for the 2012-2013 School Year
- E. Approval of Board Travel for the Month of March 2012
- F. Approval of the Instructional Materials Allotment and TEKS Certification for 2012-2013 School Year
- G. Approval of GMP (Guaranteed Maximum Price) for RFQ 070-2011 Design/Build Services for Construction of Athletic Field Facilities at Various High Schools
- H. Approval of Requests from Board Members in re: Use of Board of Trustees Discretionary Funds for Various Projects/Campuses
- I. Second Reading of Policy FDB (LOCAL) - Admissions: Intradistrict Transfers and Classroom Assignments
- J. Second Reading of LOCAL Policies in TASB Update 92

VI. Items for Individual Consideration

- A. Board Minutes for the Month of February 2012
- B. Donations
- C. Approve the Official Ballot to Cast Votes for Region One ESC Board of Directors

for 2012

D. Approval of Resolution Concerning High Stakes, Standardized Testing of Texas Public School Students

VII. Closed Session: Board will adjourn into closed session pursuant to the following sections of the Texas Open Meetings Act

A. 551.071 Consultation with Board's Attorney

551.072 Discussion on the Purchase, Exchange, Lease or Value of Real Property
Discussion of Proposals for Sale and/or Acquisition of Real Property

1. Report on the status of negotiations of the Acquisition and Development Agreement with EG Ranch, Ltd. pertaining to several tracts totaling approximately 51 acres located off Hwy. 359, south of City of Laredo Landfill. In addition, presentation will be given by representative of E. G. Ranch

B. 551.071 Consultation with Board's Attorney

551.074 Discussion of Personnel or to Hear Complaints against Personnel

1. Level III Grievance of H. Garza
2. Discussion, including consultation with legal counsel, to propose the non-renewal/termination of continuing contract and term contract classroom teachers

C. 551.074 Discussion of Personnel or to Hear Complaints against Personnel

551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices

1. Status of on-going Audits

VIII. Reconvened from Closed Session, the Board will take appropriate action on items, if necessary, as discussed in Closed Session.

A. Action in re: Level III Grievance of H. Garza

B. Action to propose the non-renewal of term contract classroom teacher(s)and

authorize Superintendent to send notice of same

C. Action to propose the continuing contract of classroom teacher(s) and authorize Superintendent to send notice of same

D. Discussion and possible action with respect to negotiations with E.G. Ranch, Ltd. and entering into an Acquisition and Development Agreement with EG Ranch, Ltd. pertaining to several tracts totaling approximately 51 acres located off Hwy. 359, south of City of Laredo Landfill

IX. Adjournment

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Trustees should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Board of Trustees is required, then such closed meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the School Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet, in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section:

- 551.071 Private consultation with the board's attorney*
- 551.072 Discussing purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property*
- 551.073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations*
- 551.074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel*
- 551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices*
- 551.082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against school student*
- 551.0821 Discussing matter that reveals personally identifiable information about public school student*
- 551.083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the board will follow, or will instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups*
- 551.084 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.*

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the School Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final action, final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or*
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice thereof; as the School Board shall determine.*

The notice for this meeting was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meeting Act on _____, at _____.

United Independent School District

Roberto J. Santos, Superintendent