



# GOOSE CREEK

## CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

### ExxonMobil makes \$66,000 donation to GCCISD programs

At the April 8 Board of Trustees regular meeting, the Board approved \$66,000 in donations from ExxonMobil. The donation will be used to help support and fund the MathCounts, science, AVID and Robotics programs.

- \$5,000 will fund the MathCounts program, train MathCounts coaches, purchase program materials and cover other expenses for developing the program.
- \$38,000 will go towards a variety of science programs and support for teacher stipends, training and student transportation to the Eddie V. Gray Wetlands Center.
- \$20,000 will go towards the AVID program, which will help pay for scholarships for approximately 23 AVID seniors and help support the AVID end-of-year banquets at the three high schools.
- \$3,000 will be used by the Robotics programs to help fund equipment and tournament supplies.

"The education of Goose Creek CISD students is truly a community partnership," said Dr. Melissa Martinez, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction. "We would like to thank ExxonMobil for their continuous support towards strengthening our District resources, teacher development, and student success."



Connie Tilton(second from right), public and government affairs representative from ExxonMobil, presents a check for \$5,000 to Howard Sampson, president of the Goose Creek CISD Board of Trustees, for the MathCounts program. Pictured are (l to r) Candy Ochoa, science/health coordinator; Christi Leath, director of advanced academics/professional development; Mary Gill, math specialist; Stormy Thibodeaux, math coordinator; Sampson; Tilton and Superintendent of Schools Dr. Salvador Cavazos.

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