

BOARD WRAPUP

GOOSE CREEK CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES – May 17, 2021

BOARD WORKSHOP: BUDGET WORKSHOP #2

PUBLIC HEARING- Public Input Regarding Every Student Succeeds Act (ESSA) Federal Title Program Funds

OPENING EXERCISES

The pledge to the American flag was led by Richard Clem. The prayer was led by Tiffany Guy.

RECOGNITIONS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- Resolution for Mental Health Awareness Month 2021

CITIZEN PARTICIPATION

- Two citizens addressed the board regarding wearing masks in school.
- One citizen addressed the board regarding naming of elementary #17.
- One citizen addressed the board regarding bullying.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- April 26, 2021, Regular Board Meeting as presented

OATH OF OFFICE

- Administer oath of office to new board members Helen Berott-Tims and Mercedes Renteria III.

REORGANIZATION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES

- Richard Clem selected as Board President
- Shae Cottar selected as Vice President
- Howard Sampson selected as Secretary
- Tiffany Guy selected as Assistant Secretary

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Safe Return to School Plan Update
- Anti-Bullying Procedures and Reporting Processes



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- Social Emotional Learning and Student Wellness

ACTION ITEMS

- Order Declaring Results of May 1, 2021, Board of Trustees Election
- Donations from ExxonMobil: \$15,000 for Partners in Education Program and \$30,000 to GCCISD Science Programs
- Engagement Letter from the Independent Audit Firm of Mays & Associates, PLLC (Formerly Start, Garcia & Stanley, LLC) for the District's Annual Financial Audit for the Fiscal Year 2020-2021
- Board Policy CDA (LOCAL); Other Revenues; Investments
- Resolution for the School District's Approved Sources of Instruction Relating to Investment Responsibilities
- List of Qualified Broker/Dealers and Financial Institutions for 2020-2021
- District of Innovation (DOI) Amendment to Allow an Alternative Medical Plan Through Our Benefits Program Outside TRS Activecare
- National Math and Science Initiative (NMSI) Agreement
- Interlocal Agreement Between Goose Creek CISD and Harris County for Community Youth Services (CYS)
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) with Harris County Department of Education for Highpoint School East
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) for Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP) for 2021-2022
- Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) Between Harris County Department of Education for Fortis Academy (Recovery High School)
- Third Option to Extend the Request for Proposal (RFP) for Student Athletic Insurance
- Purchase of 50 School Buses for GCCISD Transportation Department
- Petition to Annex
- COVID-19 Transition Protocols
- Tax Refunds
- Future Board Agenda Items, Board Training, Board Meetings

PERSONNEL ACTION ITEMS

- Approved the elections of **Amanda Agha**, teacher at Crockett Elementary; **Joshua Anderson**, teacher at E.F. Green; **Dwayne Archangel**, teacher at Goose Creek Memorial; **Ashlyn Brown**, teacher at Austin Elementary; **Melissa Cardona**, teacher at Lee High School; **Kristin Cooper**, teacher at Highlands Elementary; **Reynaldo De Leon**, teacher at Sterling High School; **Daisy Duarte**, teacher at Lamar Elementary; **Tabitha English**, teacher at Highlands Junior School; **Ricardo Galvan**, teacher at E.F. Green Junior School; **Brandi Giffin**, teacher at E.F. Green Junior School; **Marley Gilmore**, teacher at the Early Learning Academy; **Mary Gomez**, teacher at Crockett Elementary; **Emilee Herring**, teacher at Highlands Elementary School; **Averion Hurts**, teacher at Lee High School; **Alexis Jaso**, teacher at the Early Learning Academy; **Patrick Jernigan**, teacher at Highlands Junior School; **Brynn Lloyd**, teacher at



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Banuelos Elementary School; **Mireha Michel**, teacher at Austin Elementary School; **Brooke Miller**, teacher at Gentry Junior School; **Leticia Miranda**, teacher at Carver Elementary School; **Larisa Nelson**, teacher at San Jacinto Elementary School; **Kristen Olivares**, teacher at Baytown Junior School; **Danielle Parton**, teacher at E.F. Green Junior School; **Amanda Poulin**, teacher at Lee High School; **Kelsey Roark**, teacher at the Early Learning Academy; **Angelica Sifuentes**, teacher at the Early Learning Academy; **Cathryn Simmons**, teacher at Baytown Junior School; **Wayne Skelton**, teacher at Clark Elementary School; **Christina Sowell**, teacher at Baytown Junior School; **Cheyenne Taylor**, teacher at the Early Learning Academy; **Leslie Torres**, teacher at Austin Elementary School; **Misty Van Dyke**, teacher at Robert E. Lee High School.

- Approved resignations of **Enely Alanis**, fifth grade bilingual teacher at Banuelos Elementary; **Monica Armendariz**, educational diagnostician; **Olivia Belt**, fourth grade teacher at Clark Elementary; **Lindsey Bogan**, SPED teacher at Highlands Elementary; **Ouindetta Chenier**, campus at-risk intervention teacher at Sterling High School; **Charlsei Condron**, theater arts teacher at Horace Mann Junior School; **Luz Contreras**, fourth grade bilingual teacher at Banuelos Elementary; **Maria Damron**, second grade bilingual teacher at Bowie Elementary; **Valencia Davis**, SPED teacher at Sterling High School; **Allison Dawson**, SPED teacher at Highlands Junior School; **Stavroula Dreaden**, first grade teacher at Austin Elementary; **Hyrum Estupinan**, math teacher at Cedar Bayou Junior School; **Monica Findlay**, fifth grade bilingual teacher at Austin Elementary; **Brandy Graham**, science teacher at Horace Mann Junior School; **Alicia Green**, theatre arts director at Goose Creek Memorial High School; **Elizabeth Guzman**, biology teacher at Sterling High School; **Jasmin Haymon**, fourth grade teacher at Austin Elementary; **Michael Henry**, physical education teacher at Sterling High School; **KaLeah Hicks**, librarian at Cedar Bayou Junior School; **Madison Holle**, ELA teacher at Baytown Junior; **Kassi Hopper**, math teacher at Lee High School; **Rebekah Jarvis**, science teacher at Sterling High School; **Rebecca Kerl**, fourth grade teacher at Bowie Elementary; **Taylor Kollmeier**, assistant band director at Goose Creek Memorial High School; **Alicia Kominek**, kindergarten bilingual teacher at David Crockett Elementary; **Latoya Landry**, ELA teacher at Gentry Junior School; **John Launius**, credit recovery intervention teacher at Sterling High School; **Carolyn Lee**, SPED teacher at Lee High School; **Imani Lee**, ELA teacher at Stuart Career Tech High School; **Rodney Lemons**, social studies teacher and coach at Sterling High School; **Erica Lott**, fifth grade teacher at Clark Elementary; **Amy Maddie**, social studies teacher at Sterling High School; **Victoria McGinty**, SPED teacher at Austin Elementary; **Akilia Merritt**, SPED teacher at Bowie Elementary; **Clyde Messiah**, health science teacher and coach at Sterling High School; **Robert Miller**, physical education teacher at Sterling High School; **ShaTeira Montgomery**, math teacher at Gentry Junior School; **Erika Munoz**, pre-k bilingual teacher at De Zavala Elementary; **Jerrica Newman**, algebra teacher at Lee High School; **Catherine Phelps**, physical education teacher at Lee High School; **Brandy Pheris**, social studies teacher at Cedar Bayou Junior School; **Alma Polydore**, campus instructional specialist at Highlands Elementary School; **Renee Powell**, nurse at Lamar Elementary; **Dennis Serrano**, construction technology teacher at Sterling High School; **Allen Singleton**, business education teacher at Sterling High School; **Khaliyah Stewart**, SPED teacher at Lee High School; **Levah Tarry**, SPED teacher at Lee High School; **Victoria Vargas**, fourth grade bilingual teacher at Bowie; **Frederick Veen**, business education teacher at Goose Creek Memorial High School; **Erika Wade**, ELA teacher at Horace Mann Junior School; **Lauren Walker**, second grade teacher at Clark Elementary School; **Suzanne Waterstreet**, ELA teacher at IMPACT; **Shanda Webb**, SPED teacher at Gentry Junior School; **Jasmine Wheatfall**, ELA teacher at Horace Mann Junior School; **Harry Wilson**, ELA teacher at Baytown Junior School; **Michelle Write**, campus instructional specialist at Carver Elementary.
- Approved the retirement of **Robin Edwards**, campus at-risk intervention teacher at Highlands Elementary; **Deedra Moon**, kindergarten teacher at Victoria Walker Elementary; **Susan Passmore**, director of communications; and **Ray White**, biology teacher at Lee High School.



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- Approved the administrative elections of **Michelle Jackson**, student support administrator at E.F. Green Junior; **Eva Gonzalez Cruz**, licensed specialist in school psychology; **Sheri Thomas**, elementary district dyslexia specialist; **Heather Alarcon**, assistant principal at Travis Elementary; **Lacee Gordon**, assistant principal at Clark Elementary; **Diana Stayton**, assistant principal at Hopper Primary; **Alicia Babin**, assistance principal at Baytown Junior; **Kevin Credeur**, assistant principal at Horace Mann Junior; **Amanda James**, assistant principal at Goose Creek Memorial High School; **Sherry Smith**, assistant principal at Lee High School.
- Renewal or Termination of Employment of Instructional Personnel Contracts
- Termination of Continuing Contract for Junior School Orchestra Teacher for Good Cause
- Denied the Appeal and Upheld the Decision at Level II for Parent Grievance Appeal
- Name of Elementary #17 to Jessie Lee Pumphrey Elementary
- Renaming of Green Center to Hugh Echels, Jr. Center

FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

The next Regular Board meeting is scheduled for June 7, 2021 at the Goose Creek CISD Central Administration Building. All Regular Board meetings are set for **6:30 p.m.**

