

BOARD WRAPUP

GOOSE CREEK CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES – February 3, 2025

OPENING EXERCISES

The pledges to the American flag and Texas flag were led by Highlands Junior students **Aaliyah Benavidez** and **Harlie Skinner**. **Aaliyah Benavidez, Jailyn Garza, Derion Godfrey, Jaylenne Martinez, Pricilla Rosas, and Harlie Skinner** sang “Beautiful December” and “Zum Gali Gali”. Students were under the direction of Choir Director **Erica Fiala** and Principal **Ms. Jennifer Fierro**. The prayer was led by board member **Richard Clem**.

RECOGNITIONS AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

- United Way 2024-2025 Recognitions
- National School Counseling Week 2025

CITIZENS PARTICIPATION

- One citizen from the GC2035 Committee addressed the board to share their key takeaways from the committee’s work.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

- December 3, 2024, Team of Eight Training Meeting
- December 16, 2024, Special Board Meeting
- January 13, 2025, Regular Board Meeting

DISCUSSION ITEMS

- Superintendent’s Reports
 - 2025-2026 Budget Overview
 - Rezoning Update
 - Transportation Update
 - Fall Sports Update

APPROVED BOARD ACTION ITEMS

- Rezoning Recommendation for Goose Creek CISD
- Proposed Low Attendance Waivers for Alamo, Ashbel Smith, Austin, Bañuelos, Bowie, Clark, De Zavala, Harlem, Highlands, Hopper, Lamar, Liles, San Jacinto, Travis, Walker, Baytown Junior, Gentry Junior, Lee HS, and POINT Alternative on January 23, 2025
- Adoption of the Resolution Authorizing Employee Pay During the Emergency Closure of the District
- Memorandum of Understanding with Chambers County, Texas and Conveyance of (i) a 350-Foot-Wide Drainage Easement and (ii) a 50-Foot-Wide Temporary Easement Pursuant to Section 272.001 of Texas Local Government Code



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- Proposed Changes to DEA (LOCAL); Compensation and Benefits, Emergency Closure
- RFP #24-013 for Fine Arts Equipment, Supplies and Related Services
- Final Option to Extend RFP 21-010 for Grease Trap Maintenance Services
- Tax Refunds

PERSONNEL ACTION ITEMS

- Approved administrative elections of **Jessica Amaya-Curiel** as Counselor at Highlands Jr. High and **Jennifer Garon** as Student Success and Academic Excellence District Liaison.
- Approved resignations of **Kimberly Barnard-Fox**, director of counseling and college and career readiness and **Mercedes Tompkins**, second grade teacher at George Washington Carver Elementary School.
- Approved retirements of **Ilija Milovanovic**, world history teacher at IMPACT Early College High School and **Adrienne Schoppe**, AVID teacher at IMPACT Early College High School.

FUTURE BOARD MEETINGS

- The next Regular Board meeting is scheduled for February 17, 2025, at the Goose Creek CISD Central Administration Building. All Regular Board meetings are set for 6:00 p.m.

