# ARLINGTON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT CALLED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES Tuesday, February 8, 2022

5:00 p.m.

(Rescheduled and revised from February 3, 2022 due to weather)

NOTICE

of Called Meeting of the Board of Trustees at the Administration Building. Board Room, 690 East Lamar Boulevard, Arlington, Texas

Meetings may be viewed online at www.aisd.net.

While our school board meetings are open to the public, we want you to remain safe, and therefore recommend and encourage you to participate by watching the school board meeting online at www.aisd.net. One or more members of the Board of Trustees may participate in this meeting via videoconference call. A quorum of the Board of Trustees will be physically present at the Administration Building.

Members of the public who desire to address the board regarding an item on this agenda must comply with the following registration procedures: Members of the public seeking to provide comments concerning an agenda item or non-agenda item shall be required to register at https://www.aisd.net/boardmeetingspeakerrequest NO LATER THAN 3:00 p.m. the day of the board meeting indicating (1) person's name; (2) subject the member of the public wishes to discuss, and; (3) telephone number at which the member of the public may be reached.

CALL TO ORDER: 5:00 p.m., Board Chamber

**CLOSED MEETING: Board Conference Room** 

Adjournment to closed meeting pursuant to Sections 551.071 (consultation with attorney to seek and receive legal advice); 551.072 (discuss the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property); Section 551.073 – (negotiating contracts for prospective gifts or donations); Section 551.074 - (consider the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, non-renewal or dismissal of a public officer or employee, or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee); Section 551.076 (consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel and devices); Section 551.082 - (discussing or deliberating the discipline of a public school child or children, or a complaint or charge is brought against an employee of the school district by another employee); Section 551.0821 – (deliberating in a matter regarding a public school student if personally identifiable information about the student will necessarily be revealed by the deliberation); Section 551.083 (considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the Board will follow, or instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups in connection with consultation agreements).

- Administrative Appointments/Personnel Ratification 1.
- 2. Easement for Access for 19,166 square feet (0.44 acres) being a portion of Lot 1, Block A, of ARLINGTON ISD, FINE ARTS ADDITION, an addition to the City of Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, according to the Plat thereof recorded under Instrument No. D218171488, Official Public Records, Tarrant County, Texas

RECONVENE INTO OPEN SESSION: Board Room

(Upon Conclusion of Closed Meeting.)

#### **OPENING CEREMONY:**

#### **APPOINTMENTS:**

A. Consider Ratification of Administrative Appointments:
Associate Principal for Sam Houston High, Assistant Principal for Crow Leadership Academy, and Assistant Principal for Pope Elementary

**PUBLIC HEARING:** None

#### **OPEN FORUM FOR AGENDA ITEMS:**

Must Pre-Register. Registration as stated above must be completed in its entirety and submitted no later than **3:00 p.m.** This first Open Forum is limited to agenda items other than personnel. Any personnel concern should be brought directly to the Superintendent or Board President prior to the meeting, who will guide you to the proper procedure pursuant to Board Policy. Speakers will be limited to two (2) minutes. When more than one individual wishes to address the same agenda item, the President may ask the group to appoint one spokesperson.

#### **ACTION:**

- A. Consider the adoption of an order authorizing the issuance of the Arlington ISD Unlimited Tax School Building and Refunding Bonds, Series 2022 in one or more series; appointing the Board President, Superintendent or Chief Financial Officer to act as the pricing officer and representative of the Board to finally approve certain matters with respect to the sale of the bonds; and establishing parameters for the approval of such delegated matters, including, among other matters, the amount of such bonds that may be issued for school building purposes and for refunding purposes; approving the use of a paying agent/registrar agreement and a refunding deposit agreement; providing a source of payment for the Bonds; and approving all other matters pertaining thereto
- B. Consider TASB Policy Update 118, Policy CDA (LOCAL) and Policy EF (LOCAL)
- C. Consider Board Handbook
- D. Consider a Resolution and an Easement for Access for 19,166 square feet (0.44 acres) being a portion of Lot 1, Block A, of ARLINGTON ISD, FINE ARTS ADDITION, an addition to the City of Arlington, Tarrant County, Texas, according to the Plat thereof recorded under Instrument No. D218171488, Official Public Records, Tarrant County, Texas

## **DISCUSSION / ACTION:**

- A. Universal Prekindergarten
- B. COVID-19 School Operations Update

#### **CONSENT AGENDA:**

- A. Approval of Personnel Recommendations: New Hires, Retirements, Resignations, Leaves of Absence, Dismissals, Terminations, Non-Renewals, Non-Extensions
- B. Approval of Monthly Financial Report for Period Ending December 31, 2021
- C. Approval of Monthly Investment Report for Period Ending December 31, 2021
- D. Approval of Minutes of Previous Meetings, January 2022
- E. Approval of Change Order #1 Amending the Contract Amount and Substantial Completion Date for the 2019 Bond Construction Project for the Shackelford Junior High School and Jones Academy Renovation Projects, Phase I Bid Package 9 Projects 1 and 2
- F. Approval of Additional Texas Teacher Evaluation and Support System (T-TESS) Appraisers
- G. Approval of Amended Order of Election for Board of Trustees

#### **DISCUSSION:**

A. House Bill 3 and District Improvement Plan Progress Monitoring Update

#### **OPEN FORUM FOR NON-AGENDA ITEMS:**

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## **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT:**

This time is for the Superintendent to acknowledge varying kinds of activities occurring within the district. This includes such items as recognition of outstanding performance by district staff and/or students, the initiating of new programs and special activities.

The Superintendent will report on the following subjects:

- A. Recognition of outstanding performance by district staff and students
- B. Initiation of new programs and special activities

#### **SCHOOL BOARD'S REPORTS:**

This time on the Agenda allows each member to inform other Board Members, the administrative staff and the public of activities which are of interest.

The Board Members will report on the following subjects:

- A. Board member attendance at various school and community events.
- B. Board member announcement of various upcoming school and community events.
- C. Board member visits to various campuses
- D. Board member recognition of outstanding performance by district staff and students
- E. Board member recognition of new programs and special activities

### **CLOSED MEETING:**

At any time during the meeting the Board may adjourn into closed meeting for consultation with its attorney (Tex. Gov't Code § 551.071) or for a posted agenda item pursuant to Texas Government Code sections 551.072 – 551.084 (see below).

#### **ADJOURNMENT**

The agenda order may be adjusted by the Presiding Officer at any time during the meeting.

If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, chapter 551, subchapters D and E or Texas Government Code section 418.183(f).

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board should determine that a closed meeting of the Board should be held or is required in relation to any item included in this notice, then such closed meeting is authorized by Texas Government Code Section 551.001, et. seq., for any of the following reasons:

Section 551.071 - For the purpose of a private consultation with the Board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized by law.

Section 551.072 - For the purpose of discussing the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.

Section 551.073 - For the purpose of negotiating contracts for prospective gifts or donations.

Section 551.074 - For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee.

Section 551.076 - To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel and devices.

Section 551.082 - For the purpose of deliberating in a case involving discipline of a public school child or children, or in a case in which a complaint or charge is brought against an employee of the school district by another employee and the complaint or charge directly results in a need for a hearing.

Section 551.0821 - For the purpose of deliberating in a matter regarding a public school student if personally identifiable information about the student will necessarily be revealed by the deliberation.

Section 551.083 - For the purpose of considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the Board will follow, or instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups in connection with consultation agreements provided for by Section 13.901 of the Texas Education Code.

Section 551.084 - For the purpose of excluding a witness or witnesses from a hearing during examination of another witness.

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

- A. the open meeting covered by this notice upon the reconvening of this public meeting, or
- B. at a subsequent public meeting of the Board upon notice thereof, as the Board shall determine.

Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting.

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# CERTIFICATE AS TO POSTING OR GIVING OF NOTICE

On this 2<sup>nd</sup> day of February, 2022 at 5:00 p.m., this notice was posted on a bulletin board at a place convenient to the public at the central administrative office of the Arlington Independent School District, 690 East Lamar Boulevard, Arlington, Texas and readily accessible to the general public at all times beginning at least 72 hours preceding the scheduled time of the meeting.

Dr. Marcelo Cavazos, Superintendent