

HAYS CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Date: August 24, 2026

Agenda Item: I.2

Board Goal: N/A

**Subject: Consideration and possible approval of the Hays CISD School Health Advisory Council (SHAC)
Membership Appointments for the 2026-2027 School Year**

**Administrator Responsible/Position: Jeri Skrocki, Chief Safety & Security Officer
Megan Benthall, Director of Student Health Services**

A. Purpose of Agenda Item:

☒ Action needed

☐ Information only

☐ Receive input

B. Authority for This Action:

☒ Board Policy:

BDF – Board Internal Organization: Advisory Committees

☒ Law or Rule

TEC 28.004

C. Goal or Need Addressed: Approval of appointments to the Hays CISD SHAC for the 2026-2027 school year

D. Summary:

☒ **Previous board action relating to this item:** Approval of 2025-2026 appointments in August 2025

☒ **Future action anticipated:** Approval of appointments to the Hays CISD SHAC for the 2026-2027 school year

☒ **Background information:** Each school district in Texas is required in Chapter 28.004 of the Texas Education Code to establish and maintain a district-level School Health Advisory Council. Policy BDF [LEGAL] and the Hays CISD SHAC Bylaws require that the Board of Trustees appoint at least 5 voting members to the local membership. The Hays SHAC executive committee submits the following parent non-employees, community members, and district employees for appointment by the board based on consideration of applications received. The membership for the 26/27 SY Hays CISD SHAC consists of 12 non-employee parents, representing 12 campuses; 8 non-voting district employees, representing 8 departments; 2 community members, representing medical, faith, and development organizations; and 1 medical advisor.

E. Comments Received:

☒ Cabinet

☐ DLT

☐ FBOC

☒ **Other:** Campuses, C&I, and SHAC

F. Administrative Recommendation: The administration recommends the Board approves the 2026-2027 Hays CISD School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) appointments for membership, as presented.

Advantages and benefits of this proposal: SHAC supports healthier students, stronger schools, and better academic success.

Expected results in terms of student benefit/achievement: SHAC recommendations support a healthier school environment where students are better prepared to succeed academically.

Effect of this action on other parts of the system: SHAC collaborates with district departments by supporting initiatives that improve student health, safety, wellness, attendance, and academic success.

Consequences of not approving this recommendation: Without a SHAC, the district risks statutory non-compliance, decreased stakeholder engagement, and fewer health initiatives that support student success.

G. Fiscal Impact and Cost: N/A

H. Monitoring and Reporting Time Line:

Person responsible for evaluating this decision or action: Jeri Skrocki, Megan Benthall

Next report to the Board: Fall 2027

I. Suggested Motion:

I move that the Hays CISD Board of Trustees approve the Hays CISD School health Advisory Council (SHAC) membership appointments for the 2026-2027 school year, as presented.