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Dear School Board Member:

The Texas Association of School Boards (TASB) invites your school board to submit new resolutions for or amend current resolutions in the 2018–20 Advocacy Agenda.

The TASB Advocacy Agenda consists of two parts:

- Advocacy Priorities—a set of legislative goals arising from TASB’s grassroots process
- Advocacy Resolutions—district-submitted stances guiding TASB’s response to other issues that might arise before the Legislature and other governmental entities

Resolution proposals will be accepted until 11:59 p.m. on June 17, 2019. Each resolution must be adopted by your board and **must be submitted using the enclosed form.**

Proposals submitted after the June 17 deadline will only be considered on an emergency basis. Emergencies are defined not by the seriousness of the subject, but by whether or not the issue was triggered by an event that occurred after the deadline or that prevented the district from submitting resolutions in a timely manner. Each proposed resolution submitted after the deadline must be accompanied by a statement describing the nature of the emergency.

Proposed resolutions are first reviewed by the TASB Resolutions Committee and then by the TASB Board. In September, the 2019 Delegate Assembly will adopt approved resolutions that will form part of the 2018–20 Advocacy Agenda, which will remain in effect until the end of the 2020 TASB Delegate Assembly.

Please note that resolutions duplicating current resolutions do not need to be submitted unless there is an amendment. All current resolutions will remain in effect for the remainder of the 2018–20 Agenda.

Also, we strongly encourage your district to send a trustee to the TASB Delegate Assembly, September 21, 2019, in Dallas to represent your district’s interests and support your advocacy positions. Learn more at tasb.org/about-tasb/governance/delegate-assembly.aspx.

An electronic version of the form, the current Advocacy Agenda, and more information may be found at gr.tasb.org. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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