



BOARD OF TRUSTEES' CHARGE TO 2013 CITIZENS' ADVISORY COMMITTEE

In preparation for calling future bond elections, the Citizens' Advisory Committee is charged by the DISD Board of Trustees to:

- receive input from community members and DISD staff regarding needs based on the growth trends and population data
- develop, prioritize, and make recommendations to the DISD Board of projects including new construction, renovations/additions, technology, and other areas of concern arising from community input
- provide report to Board of recommendations
- develop strategies for promoting, selling, and informing public of bond needs

ITEMS FOR REVIEW

During committee deliberations, the Board requests that the committee review and consider the following items:

- The Committee should look at and recommend facility and growth needs for a five year period, but should also advise the Board of pending needs for an additional two years. Land acquisition needs should be recommended for a ten year period.
- While tax rate issues need to be studied and analyzed, the committee should not use these factors to limit recommendations of need based on growth trends. Ultimately, the Board of Trustees has the obligation and responsibility to make decisions regarding tax issues.
- The Committee is asked to develop a list of items prioritized and recommended for the Bond as well as a prioritized list of items requested but not recommended for the 2013 Bond.
- The Committee is asked to study "Energy Efficient" and/or "Green Schools" and Sustainable Features and to make recommendations on these concepts.