

Manor Independent School District

Board of Trustee Meeting Agenda Item

Date: January 21, 2025

INFORMATION ITEM SHEET

RE: Failed TEA Intruder Audit - Manor High School

Supporting Documents:

1. Lesson Plan
2. PowerPoint Training Presentation
3. Sign-in sheet of attendees
4. Manor ISD Police Department Door Security Checks

District Goals*: {Select strategic goal from below, delete goals that are not applicable}

Goal 1: STUDENT SUCCESS – Be the district of choice in this Texas Region based on student success.

Goal 3: SERVICE – Serve internal and external customers in partnership to support the highest levels of student success.

Goal 5: RESOURCES – Allocate resources with a relentless focus on efficiency and effectiveness based on priorities of student success.

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Background Information:

The Texas Education Agency (TEA) mandates strict adherence to safety and security protocols, including ensuring that all exterior and interior doors on school campuses remain secured at all times. This requirement is critical for protecting the safety and security of students and staff and is a foundational component of effective campus safety measures. Unfortunately, a recent TEA-initiated intruder audit at Manor High School revealed a failure by staff members to follow these protocols, resulting in a failed audit. Such lapses compromise the campus's ability to prevent unauthorized access and expose students and staff to unnecessary risks in an educational environment that should prioritize their well-being. Secured doors serve as a frontline defense against potential threats, ensuring that only authorized individuals have access to campus facilities. This incident underscores the urgency of reinforcing training, accountability, and compliance measures to maintain the integrity of safety protocols and protect the educational setting as a safe space for learning and growth.

Fiscal Implications:

No Fiscal Implications

Administrative Recommendation:

Motion Language (fill in the blank): I move to present an informational update to the Manor Independent School District Board regarding the mandatory training implemented for staff to address and correct identified safety and security deficiencies at Manor High School. This training was necessitated by a failed intruder audit, as mandated by the Texas Education Agency (TEA). The purpose of this item is to ensure transparency and accountability by notifying the Board of the audit findings and the subsequent corrective measures taken to enhance campus security protocols. As this is an information-only item, no formal action from the Board is required at this time as submitted.

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Approved by Superintendent