



## JUDSON INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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**Meeting Date:** October 16, 2025

**Submitted By:** Monica Ryan  
**Title:** Board President

**Agenda Item:** Discussion and possible action to approve process to review and select school board legal counsel

### DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEM

**RECOMMENDATION:**

Recommending the formation of an ad hoc committee to create scoring criteria rubric, interview questions, and schedule full-board interviews with 2-4 firms to select board legal services.

**IMPACT/RATIONALE:**

The school board has not reevaluated its legal counsel since RFQ 16-13 in 2015/2016 (prior to 6 of 7 board members being elected to the board).

**BOARD ACTION REQUESTED: Approval/Disapproval**

# Board Agenda Item Form

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**Specific Items on Agenda:** Discussion and possible action to approve process to review and select school board legal counsel.

**Discussion:** The school board has not reevaluated its legal counsel since RFQ 16-13 in 2015/2016 (prior to 6 of 7 board members being elected to the board). Recommend the new board undergo the process to interview and select a board legal counsel. Recommend formation of ad hoc committee to create scoring criteria rubric, interview questions, and schedule full-board interviews with 2-4 firms to select board legal services.

**Requested by Board Member**

Monica Ryan