

MEETING DATE: December 14, 2015

**AGENDA ITEM:** Superintendent Report

- A. District Events
- B. Drug and Alcohol Survey Follow Up
- C. Election Timeline for the Board of Trustees, Spring 2016

**PRESENTER:** Derek Citty, Superintendent

ALIGNS TO BOARD GOAL(S): ALL

### **Report Information:**

#### A. District Events

Dec 17 – AISD Elementary UIL Academic Competition – Stuard – 3:00 PM Dec 18 – 5A State Semifinal FB vs. Mansfield Lake Ridge – Birdville – 7:30 PM Jan 11 – School Board Meeting – Administration - 7:00 PM

# B. Texas Drug and Alcohol Survey Follow Up

Since the November 16<sup>th</sup> meeting, there are two significant things of which the Board should to be informed:

- 1. Secondary Principals have met with their respective campuses and shared/discussed the results of the survey with staff.
- 2. In response to a question from Trustees, Athletic Director Tim Buchanan has researched whether or not nicotine can be added as an identified substance in the screening process. A few salient pieces of knowledge are:
  - a. The Testing Service Company is "Forward Edge"
  - b. Under current policy, the random screenings test for the presence of narcotic substances or controlled substances; not alcohol or tobacco
  - c. We currently test only students in athletics (no other extracurricular activities)
  - d. The District conducts approximately 180 random tests per year
  - e. The cost per test, limited to drug use, is \$14
  - f. Adding the test for alcohol use in the previous 80 hours adds an additional \$20 to the cost
  - g. Adding the test for nicotine (which reportedly does not detect inhalation of second hand smoke) also adds an additional \$20 per test

## D. Election Timeline for the Board of Trustees, Spring 2016

Seats up for election in May of 2016 are Places 4 and 5 currently held by Mr. Steve Bartley and Mr. Bobby Rigues, respectively. The election timeline is as follows:

# (Filing will take place at: **1008 Bailey Ranch Rd., Aledo, TX**, in the Business Office)

Date	Election Activity
January 20, 2016	First day to file for place on the ballot
February 19, 2016	Deadline to file for place on the ballot (5:00 PM)
February 23, 2016	Deadline for write-in candidates to file a declaration of write-in candidacy (5:00 PM)
February 29, 2016	Conduct ballot position drawing (8:15 AM)
April 7, 2016	Last day of early voting by personal appearance
May 7, 2016	Election Day 7:00 AM – 7:00 PM
May 10-18, 2016	Canvass Election – Date TBD by Trustees

Note: Early voting branches and election day polling sites/time are approved by the Board of Trustees in "Order of Election". In addition, election judges are to be determined by Parker County.