

MEETING DATE: August 25, 2025

AGENDA ITEM: Consider Approval of 2025-2026 Aledo Growth Committee (AGC)

PRESENTER: Susan K Bohn, Superintendent

BACKGROUND INFORMATION:

In 2022, the Board of Trustees appointed the 2022-2023 Aledo Growth Committee (AGC). This 53 person citizens committee, composed of parents, staff, and community members, served in an advisory capacity to the Board of Trustees and at the February 13, 2023 Special Board Meeting recommended the 2023 Bond Program to the Board of Trustees for their consideration. In May of 2023 the 2023 Bond Program was passed by the community and implemented across the district. All major construction projects in the 2023 Bond Program are completed, including the new Lynn McKinney Elementary School, the Steve Wood Complex, and renovations to Aledo High School.

The Board of Trustees and Administration plans to bring a 2025-2026 AGC together for additional work on future facilities planning. The district's growth has slowed since the formation of the 2022-2023 AGC so in an effort to be proactive in long range facilities planning, the 2025-2026 AGC will focus on future high school space planning and visioning. This group will help with the conceptualization of high school space options to meet the needs of our future high school students. While the 2025-2026 AGC will not (at this time) be developing or recommending a bond package to our Board of Trustees, they will play a key role in working with the community to shape and refine conceptual designs that may be used in a future bond proposal once student enrollment reaches a level that necessitates additional capacity.

Many members of the 2022-2023 AGC will continue to serve on the 2025-2026 AGC. In an effort to maintain equitable representation across the district, and to allow some members to step away due to other commitments, the Administration opened applications for citizens to join the AGC as new members.

During this Board meeting, the Administration recommends that the Board approve the proposed committee members listed below for the 2025-2026 AGC so that their work can begin.

Dan Reilley- Co-Chair	John Derden	Cody Hughes	Jacob McDonald	Ana Sherman
Kelli Stumbo Co-Chair	Niki Dover	Jack Hunt	Catherine Montenegro	Brooks Stevens
Ashton Adams	Michael Fernihough	Jared Hutson	Heather Moseley	Jeff Streetman
Kris Butkus	Charles Freeman	Cheryl Jones	Emily Nichols	Craig Thommes
Callie Caldwell	Kathy Fry	Mindy Keating	Hope Olsen	Jeremy Thompson
Carol Caron	George Gamez	Thomas Kuhrt	Jodi Outland	Chad Tregellas
Shane Cartwright	Justin Hall	Sharon Kywinski	Shawn Poteet	John Turnage
Adeana Chasteen	Logan Hammons	Tamara Lawrence	Carolyn Rekerdres	Aaron Valencia
Carma Chisam	Lori Harbuck	Erin Lewis	Becky Rockwell	Anai Vega
Jeff Crissey	Khala Hart	Christopher Link	Sonia Rodriquez	Jennifer Watkins
Sharese Dickerson	Peter Healey	Emily Lyle	Penny Shelton	Nyimah Waynewood

The members of the 2025-2026 AGC were chosen from the 2022-2023 AGC committee members who wished to continue this work, campus staff appointees, and citizen applications. The administration has created the committee with emphasis on the diversity of committee members demographically and geographically in an effort to represent the community at-large as well as possible. The number of members on the committee is 54.

The Administration anticipates that the work of the committee, resulting in conceptual designs of future high school space options, will be completed in January of 2026.

FISCAL INFORMATION:

None

ATTACHMENTS:

None

ADMINISTRATIVE RECOMMENDATION:

The administration recommends that the Board approve the proposed 2025-2026 Aledo Growth Committee members as presented.