



BELLVILLE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Streamlining the BISD Capital Purchasing

CH(legal & local) Purchasing & Acquisitions

- Texas Education Code Chapter 44.031 explains and sets purchasing requirements for school districts
- All district contracts for purchase of goods and services, except contracts for the purchase of produce or vehicle fuel, valued at \$50,000 or more in the aggregate for each 12-month period shall be made by one of the method outline in Chapter 44.031 that provides the best value for a district.
- Under local policy, Bellville ISD has further restricted purchasing to require board approval of any single budgeted purchase, regardless of whether the goods or services are competitively purchase to \$25,000

Bellville ISD administration has been tasked working on many capital improvement projects throughout the year. Many of these between \$25,000 and \$50,000. As a public works entity many of these projects have been slowed by require studies and engineering/architectural drawings as well as the procurement process. In an effort, provide some efficiency to our Capital Improvement process; we have been working with our procurement attorneys to streamline these processes for those approved by the board.

- 1) Board Approval of Capital Projects Budget
- 2) Board Approval of Carved out projects and procurement method (single resolution)
- 3) Board Approval of Superintendent Authority to procure above \$50,000 for carved out projects under the approved procurement method within the Capital Project Budget
- 4) Partner with a A/E for submittals and plans

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