

**Ector County Independent School District
Odessa, Texas
Memorandum**

TO: Board of Trustees

FROM: Tom Crowe, Superintendent of Schools

SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT/REAPPONTMENT OF STUDENT HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL (SHAC) MEMBERS

DATE: September 16, 2014

The School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) was established for the public purpose of recommending health curriculum to the Ector County ISD Board of Trustees, as recommended by law. A majority of the Council must be parents of students enrolled in the District and who are not employed by the District. The Board may also appoint one (1) or more school teachers, public school administrators, district students, healthcare professionals, members of the business community, law enforcement representatives, senior citizens, clergy, representatives of non-profit health organizations, or representatives from other groups.

There are currently three (3) vacant SHAC positions, two Parent Member positions and one Community Member position. The District has received an adequate number of applications to fill the 2014-15 SHAC Membership vacancies. No further recruiting or advertising is necessary.

The Board of Trustees shall consider, but are not limited to, written applications that are submitted by any eligible person desiring to serve on the Council.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees take action and appoint/reappoint by ballot applicants to serve as a Student Health Advisory Council member for a two (2) year term.

Respectfully submitted,

Tom Crowe
Superintendent of Schools

Todd Vesely
Executive Director of Athletics

2014-15 Appointment / Reappointment

Student Health Advisory Council Members

(Total Parent and Community Membership Capacity: 14)

The following members' terms ended August 2014 and submit their names for reappointment:

Parent Members

Arlo Chavira - Parent

Diana Edmiston - Parent

Tonya Eckert – Safe Place Permian Basin

Community Members

The following members' terms will end August 2015:

Parent Members

Gracie Flores - TTUHSC

Christin Abbott-Timmons – RN OMC

Karen Olson – Student Nursing

Community Members

Jane Boles – Non-Profit Fundraisers

Susan Rathbun – Counseling Center UTPB

Jeff Russell – President GeniusHR

Maria Cole – Family Nurse Practitioner

Sarah Shellenberger – Director of Nursing

The following Applicants have submitted their names for consideration for the vacancies listed. These terms will end August 2016:

(two vacancies)

Parent Members

Rhonda Spykes – RN ORMC

Kathy Siepak – Professional Development Mentor

Carrie Bronaugh– PBRCADEA Program Director

(one vacancy)

Community Members

Tara Holt – The Crisis Center

Beth Meyerson – First Five Permian Basin

Diana Ruiz – Director Community Hlth MCH