

## Ector County Independent School District Action Page

TO: Board of Trustees

**FROM:** Alicia Syverson, Associate Superintendent of Student and School Support

SUBJECT: DISCUSSION OF AND REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF APPOINTMENT/ REAPPOINTMENT OF SCHOOL HEALTH ADVISORY COUNCIL (SHAC) MEMBERS

**DATE:** October 15, 2024

A Board shall establish a local School Health Advisory Council (SHAC) to assist a District in ensuring that local community values are reflected in the District's health education instruction. The 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.

The SHAC can hold up to fourteen (14) members, and there are currently seven (7) vacant SHAC member positions. The returning SHAC members include three (3) parents, three (3) community members, and one (1) ECISD staff member. The district has received an adequate number of applications to fill the 2024-2025 SHAC membership vacancies. The Board of Trustees is encouraged to submit individuals for appointment consideration.

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

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Administrative Recommendation:

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