



# Board Update

## **Congratulations to All Candidates Who Ran for the BISD Board**

I often wonder who would want to take on the responsibility of being a Board Member for a public school district. The challenges are incredible and the “pats on the back” are too rare. However we just had an election that allowed 6 candidates from Beeville to run for our school board. We should all be grateful that we have the quality individuals ready to “throw their hat into the ring” and provide governance and leadership for the children of Beeville ISD.

Our democratic process allows all of us to participate in determining who will serve us in what many refer to as the most important level of public office. Our board members take on an incredible amount of responsibility as they hold the Superintendent accountable for the safety and increased learner performance for all children. It is often tempting for board members to get involved in day to day management of the district, but I have been impressed with how well our board understands their role as a governance body. Indeed, none of the candidates came to me and revealed that they were running because of a singular issue.

The “...best and wisest parents...” of Beeville ISD can be proud of a community that has quality people willing to give their time, money, and hard work to help improve our system. I want to congratulate every candidate for working hard for the children of Beeville ISD. I look forward to working with the board to find new ways to continuously improve our district.