



# UNITED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT INFORMATIONAL ITEM

**TOPIC:** School Safety Administrative Team Recommendations for School Year 2023-2024

**SUBMITTED BY:** Mike Garza, Associate Superintendent

**OF:** Administration Operation Services

**APPROVED FOR TRANSMITTAL TO SCHOOL BOARD:** \_\_\_\_\_

**DATE ASSIGNED FOR BOARD CONSIDERATION:** June 13, 2023

## INFORMATIONAL REPORT:

School safety matters, as recommended by the School Safety Administrative Team on May 12, 2023:

### Administrative Team Members

Name	Classification	Campus/Department
Alvarez, Martha	Principal	Raul Perales Middle School
Arizola, Rosana	Principal	United Middle School
Arredondo, Pamela	Principal	Clark Middle School
Barrera, Dolores	Interim Principal	United South High School
Burrier, Robert	Early College Academy Dean	United South High School
Cantu, Michelle	Principal	Amparo Gutierrez Elementary School
Flores, Mucia	Principal	Roberto J. Santos Elementary School
Garza, Araceli	Principal	Antonio Gonzalez, Jr. Middle School
Gomez, Michelle	Associate Principal	John B. Alexander High School 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Hinojosa, Patricia	Associate Principal	Lyndon B. Johnson High School 9 <sup>th</sup> Grade
Moreno, Gilberto	Principal	Trautmann Middle School
Ortiz, Roberto	Principal	Juarez-Lincoln Elementary School
Ramirez, Mayra	Principal	Julia Bird Jones Muller Elementary School
Rico, Uriel	Assistant Principal	United High School
Valdez, Carlos	Principal	United South Middle School

### Non-Voting Members

Abrego, Sylvia	Public Information Officer	Police Department
Garner, Raymond	Director	Safety Crisis Management
Lopez, Bernardo	Lieutenant	Police Department

## School Safety Administrative Team Meeting

Friday, May 12, 2023

8:30 a.m.

### United ISD Boardroom

- I. Visitor Policy
  - a. Visitor Management System
    - i. District employees who visit campuses for ***personal*** reasons should be recorded in visitor management system – **Unanimous agreement**
  - b. Clear Bag Policy
    - i. Adopt district-wide clear bag policy, enforceable at every campus – **Unanimous agreement**
    - ii. No giftbags/balloon bouquets for events – **Unanimous agreement**
  - c. Number of Visitors
    - i. Up to four visitors per family limit for campus events with principal discretion for special circumstances and/or occupancy load – **Unanimous agreement**
    - ii. No limits for after hours campus events
  - d. Metal Detectors
    - i. New weapons detection devices ***may*** allow for daily, random searches
  - e. ID Required
    - i. No ID, No Entry policy; including large events – **Unanimous agreement**
  - f. Police/Security
    - i. Exclude security guards from staffing ratios:
      - 1. High Schools: 1 security guard shack, 1 security vestibule
      - 2. Elementary & Middle Schools: 1 security vestibule– **Unanimous agreement**
    - ii. Requesting additional manpower (security guards)
  - g. Entry/Parking
- II. Student IDs
  - a. Enforce student IDs at the secondary schools – **Unanimous agreement**
- III. Clear Backpacks
  - a. No clear student backpacks for 2023-2024 – **Unanimous agreement**
- IV. Locked Classroom Door Policy
  - a. Adopt district-wide locked classroom door policy with campus adjustment – **Unanimous agreement**
- V. Senior Graduation Walks at Elementary and Middle Schools
  - a. Discontinue senior graduation walks beginning 2023-2024 – **13 in favor | 2 oppose**