

Board Workshop
Prepared for the DISD Board of Trustees
December 11, 2007

Proposed Elementary & Middle School Attendance Zones for 2008 - 09

Purpose of Report

- Provide the Board of Trustees with information on proposed attendance zones to facilitate the August opening of Elementary #19 and Middle School #6 in August 2008.

2008-09 Redistricting Project Plan

Project Action	Date/Schedule
Reconcile Student Data	September – October 2007
Draft Preliminary Plan	November 7 – 25, 2007
Staff Review & Plan Revision	November 16– 20, 2007
Public Hearings * Middle School Public Hearings 7:00 – 8:00 PM, December 4 & 6, 2007 Hawk Elementary, Tuesday, December 4, 2007 McMath Middle School – Thursday, 12/06/07 (Spanish Translation Provided) * Elementary School Public Hearings 7:00 – 8:00 PM, November 27 & 29, 2007 EP Rayzor Elementary – Tuesday, 11/27/07 Crownover Middle School – Thursday, 11/29/07 (Spanish Translation Provided)	November 27 – December 6, 2007
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Board Approval	January 8, 2008

Objectives

- Review and adjust campus profiles.
 - Capacity levels
 - Demographics
 - Grade level distribution
- Determine impact of zone changes on elementary and secondary campuses.
- Determine impact of zone changes on future elementary and secondary school sites.
- Review transfer policies and make recommendations to maintain attendance zones.
- Review student assignment policies to manage capacity issues.
- Minimize movement and dislocation of students.
- Balance district program services.
- Establish clear and definable attendance boundaries.
- Reduce school operational costs.

Operational Impact

- Establish attendance zone for Elementary #19.
- Examine and modify elementary attendance zones impacted by re-zoning.
- Establish attendance zone for Middle School #6.
- Examine and modify middle school attendance zones impacted by re-zoning.

Results

- Proposed 2008-09 Elementary & Middle School Attendance Zones
 - **Attachment #1** – Proposed 2008-09 Elementary Redistricting Presentation with meeting summaries, questions, recommendations and comments
 - **Attachment #2** – 2008-09 Elementary & Middle School Meeting Summary
 - **Attachment #3** – Elementary Questions & Comments from Public Hearings 2008-09 Re-zoning, 11-27-07 & 11-29-07
 - **Attachment #4** – Middle School Questions & Comments from Public Hearings 2008-09 Re-zoning, 12-04-07 & 12-06-07

Other Options

- Direct staff to develop additional attendance zone scenarios.