Minutes of the School Safety & Security meeting November 11, 2024

Uvalde Consolidated Independent School District

Location: Uvalde High School Cafeteria, 1 Coyote Trail, Uvalde, Texas 78801. The meeting began at 5:30pm

Members present: Ashley Chohlis, Cash Keith, Victor Baron, Nichole Henderson, David Zamora, Mario Rangel, Pedro Huizar, Cal Lambert, Laura Perez, Charlie Black, Stephen Stephens, Adam Apolinar, Steve Sanchez, Anson Bills, Zeke De La Fuente, Mario Santoya

Staff present: Mikka Sanchez, Jorge Cerna, Michele Lee Torres, Elsa Ayala, Margaret Tarskie-Rodriguez, Andrea Sagemuehl, Gabe Salazar, Isidro Escamilla, Patrica Merlos, Sandra Gonzales, Frances Rivera, Dr. Hector Lopez, Rodney Harrison, Yvette Talamantes, Daniel Alaniz

Guests: Sofi Zeman, Michael Robinson, Jaclyn Gonzales, Jesse Rizo, Robert Quinones, JJ Suarez, Zachary O'Neil, Nick James,

- 1. Welcome
- 2. Public Comment

No one spoke in Public Comment.

3. Discuss adding an official clear bag policy at all athletic events.

Mrs. Chohlis asked for thoughts of taking an item to the board to suggest a clear bag policy at all athletic events. The following comments were made:

- Victor Baron suggested making clear bags only at all athletic events a board policy.
- Stephen Stephens also suggested making clear bags only at all athletic events a board policy.
- Gabe Salazar suggested that diaper bags should also be required to be clear at all athletic events.
- Jorge Cerna suggested that there should be a size limit
- Margaret Tarski-Rodriguez asked for clarification; Is this just for athletic events?
- 4. Item of information regarding Intruder Detection Audit at UDLA.

Mrs. Chohlis shared there was a visit by the Texas Education Agency to conduct an unannounced Intruder Detection Audit at UDLA on October 4, 2024. The campus had no finding during Phase I of the audit. The auditor was unable to gain entry into the building or any classrooms. There was a finding in Phase II of the audit regarding the documentation of the weekly door sweeps. not being readily available. The inspection logs were completed but not readily available.

5. Closed Session: A closed session will be held under Provisions of Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Sections 551.076.

A closed session was held at 5:38 pm

A. District Facilities Safety Audit Review process with School Safety and Security Committee and Relevant District Leadership

The School Safety and Security Committee and relevant district leadership met in closed session in reference to the district facilities safety audit review and process.

6. Adjournment

The meeting was adjourned at 7:25pm