LAREDO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT - 2400 SAN BERNARDO - LAREDO, TX - (956)273-1000

Laredo I.S.D. Board of Trustees
District Operations and School Safety Committee Meeting
LISD Amber Yeary Board Room, 2400 San Bernardo Ave., Laredo, TX 78040

Monday, November 2, 2026, at 5:30 PM

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A. Meeting Called to Order
B. Roll Call
C. Pledge of Allegiance

AGENDA

1. Discussion and update on follow-up items presented during the October 2026 District Operations and School Safety Committee Meeting.
Mr. Angel E. Velazquez, Assistant Superintendent for Plant Facilities and Support Services

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- **Refer to attachment**

2. Discussion and presentation on items to be procured by the Plant Facilities and Support Services Division, including:

- RFQ #2026-005 -Professional Environmental Engineering Consultant Services, costs will be determined on a project by project basis.

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RFQ 2026-005 Professional Environmental Engineering Consultant Services

- The evaluation committee recommends awarding contracts to the following approved vendors:
  - Ardurra Group Inc.
  - Millennium Engineers Group
  - Terracon Consultants Inc.
  - TTL Inc.
- Companies will provide environmental engineering consultant services at district facilities.
- Contract Period: In effect for a period of one year beginning December 18, 2026 and ending December 17, 2027 with an option to renew a second and third (final) year.
- Estimated Cost: will be determined on a project by project basis.
- Historical Expenditures over one year were $39,775.
- Purchase orders to be processed on an as needed basis

3. Discussion and presentation on the Cigarroa High School future design phases.
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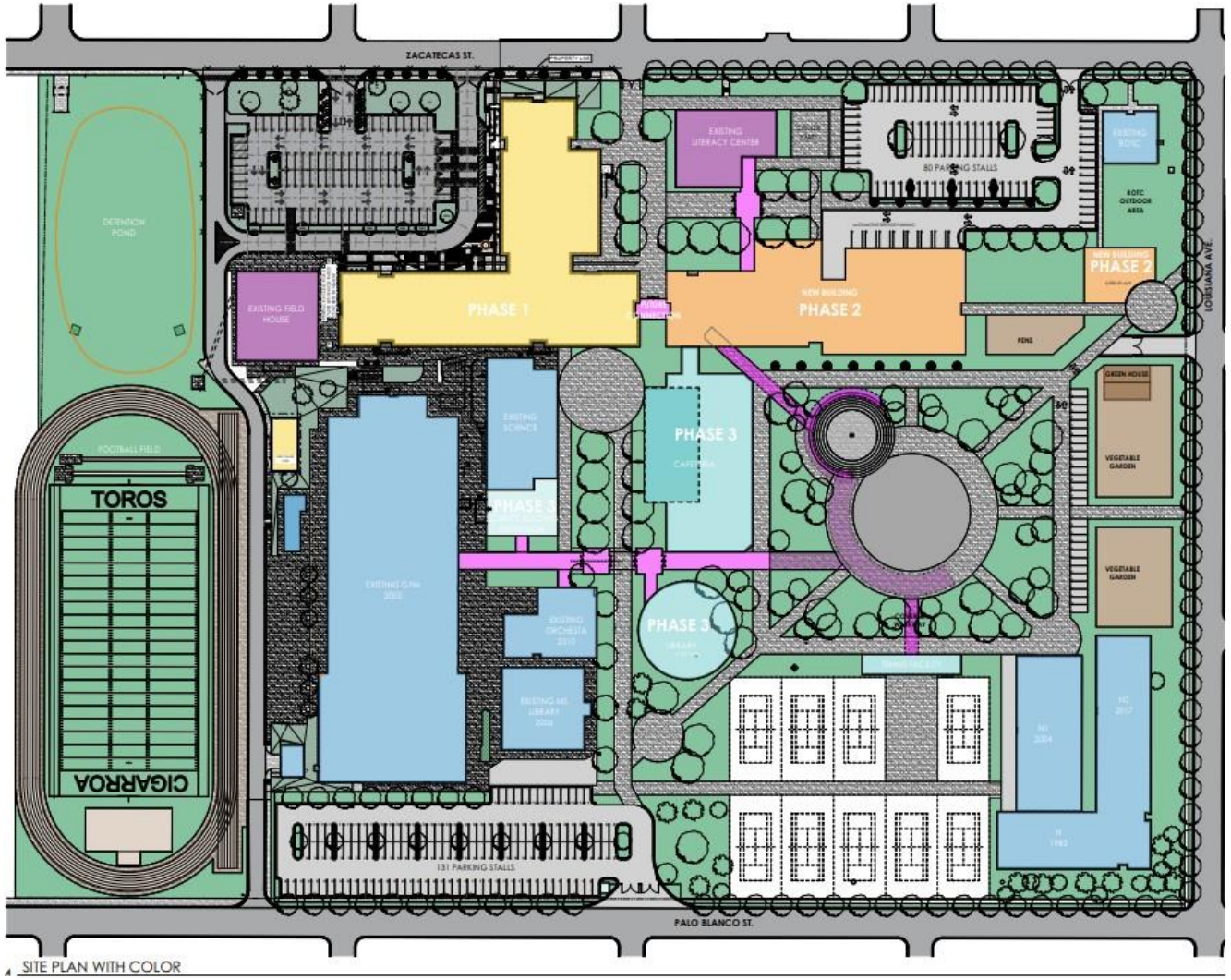
Cigarroa High School | Campus Master Plan



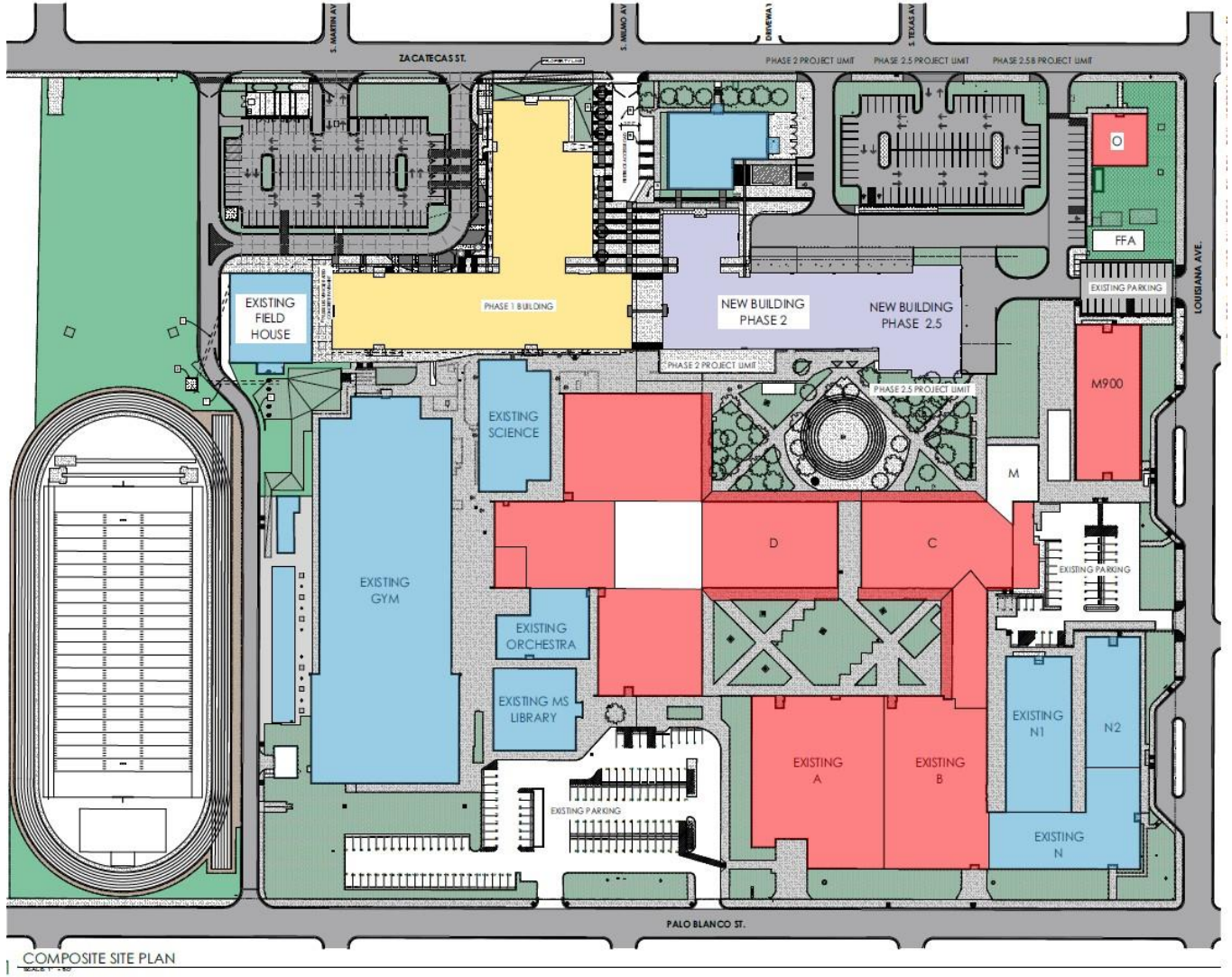
SITE PLAN WITH COLOR

LONG-RANGE PLANNING

Conceptual framework for future buildings, parking, circulation and campus improvements.

Developed for phased implementation as funding and instructional priorities allow.

Master Plan | Phased Campus Development



PHASE 1 — Completed

PHASE 2.0 — Under Construction

PHASE 2.5 — Following Building L Demolition

PHASE 3 — Future Conceptual Development

Phase 1 | Completed Improvements

COMPLETED

- New educational wings
- New parking facilities
- Related site improvements

Phase 2.0 | Currently Under Construction

CURRENT WORK

- Literacy Center renovation for the Arts Department

- Culinary Arts
- Welding
- HVAC
- Medical Technology
- Robotics

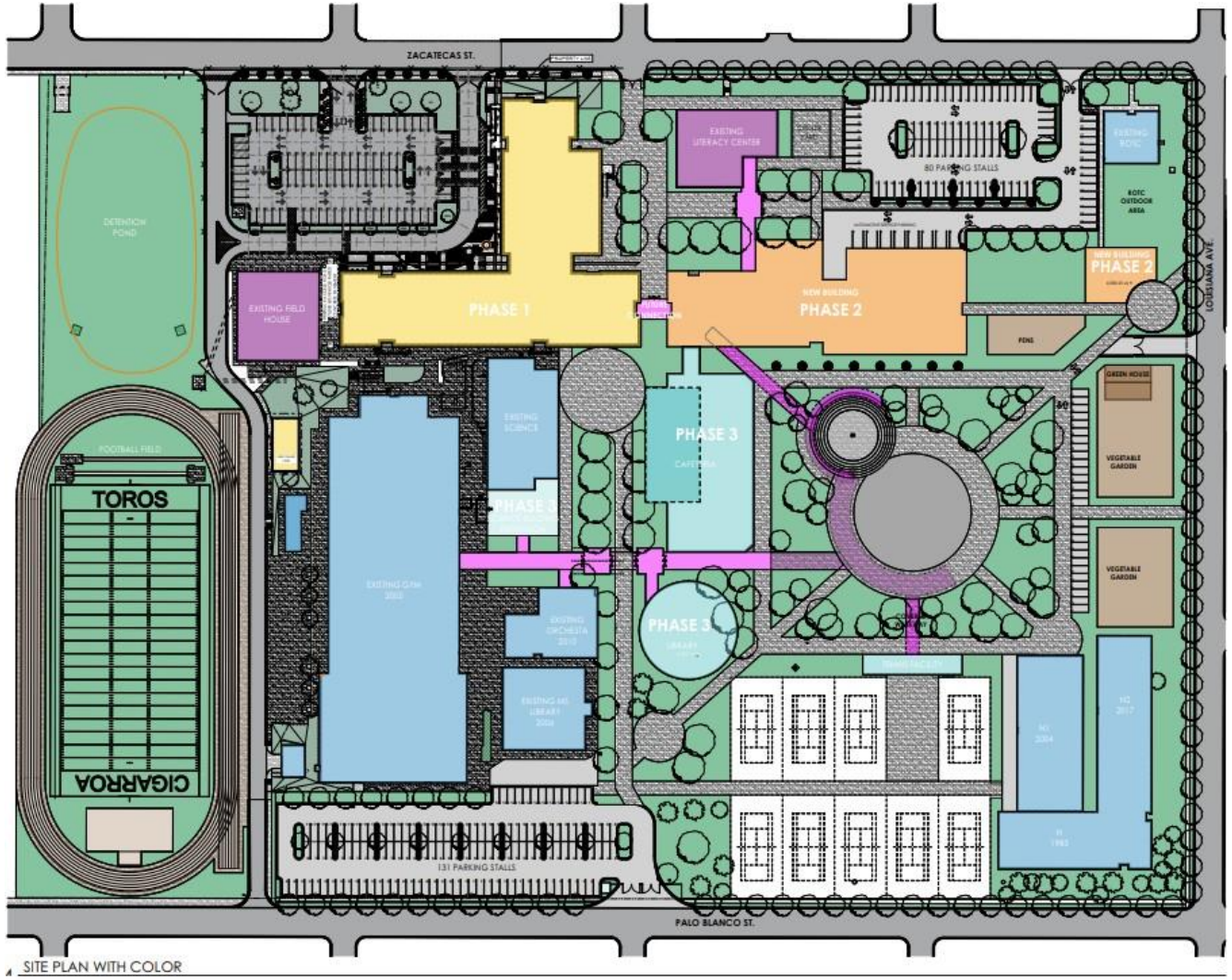
Phase 2.5 | Upcoming Construction

PLANNED FACILITIES

- Auto Mechanics
- Diesel Mechanics
- New Parking Lot

Construction to commence following completion of Building L demolition, which is currently underway.

Phase 3 | Proposed Future Development



CONCEPTUAL ONLY

Phase 3 identifies potential future building and site improvement locations.

Scope, layout and placement may change during programming and detailed architectural design.

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Dr. Leonides Cigarroa High School 2.0

Continued vertical construction, Structural framing, masonry and interior development.

Dr. Leonides Cigarroa High School 2.0

Structural Steel & Building Framework

Steel Framing, columns and elevated work platforms are visible.

Dr. Leonides Cigarroa High School 2.0

Interior Construction Progress

Interior masonry walls and overhead metal deck installation continue.

Dr. Leonides Cigarroa High School 2.0

Masonry, Roofing & Enclosure

Advancement of the building envelope and interior partitions.

Dr. Leonides Cigarroa High School 2.0

Building L Abatement and Demolition

- Asbestos abatement work has been completed.
- The required clearance letter is pending.
- Following clearance, the district will proceed with the required state demolition notification.
- Demolition is anticipated the first week of November, subject to clearance and notification requirements.

5. Discussion and presentation on the relocation of staff from the LISD Administrative Annex at 904 Juarez St.

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Safety Dept Relocation

Relocation from 904 Juarez Ave (Rapaport Bldg.) to Alma Piece Bldg:

Facility Preparation

Disassemble and Assembled Office Furniture

Changed Key Structure & Installed Alarm Panel

Installed Side Fence

Installed electrical outlets for workstations, TVs, and copiers.

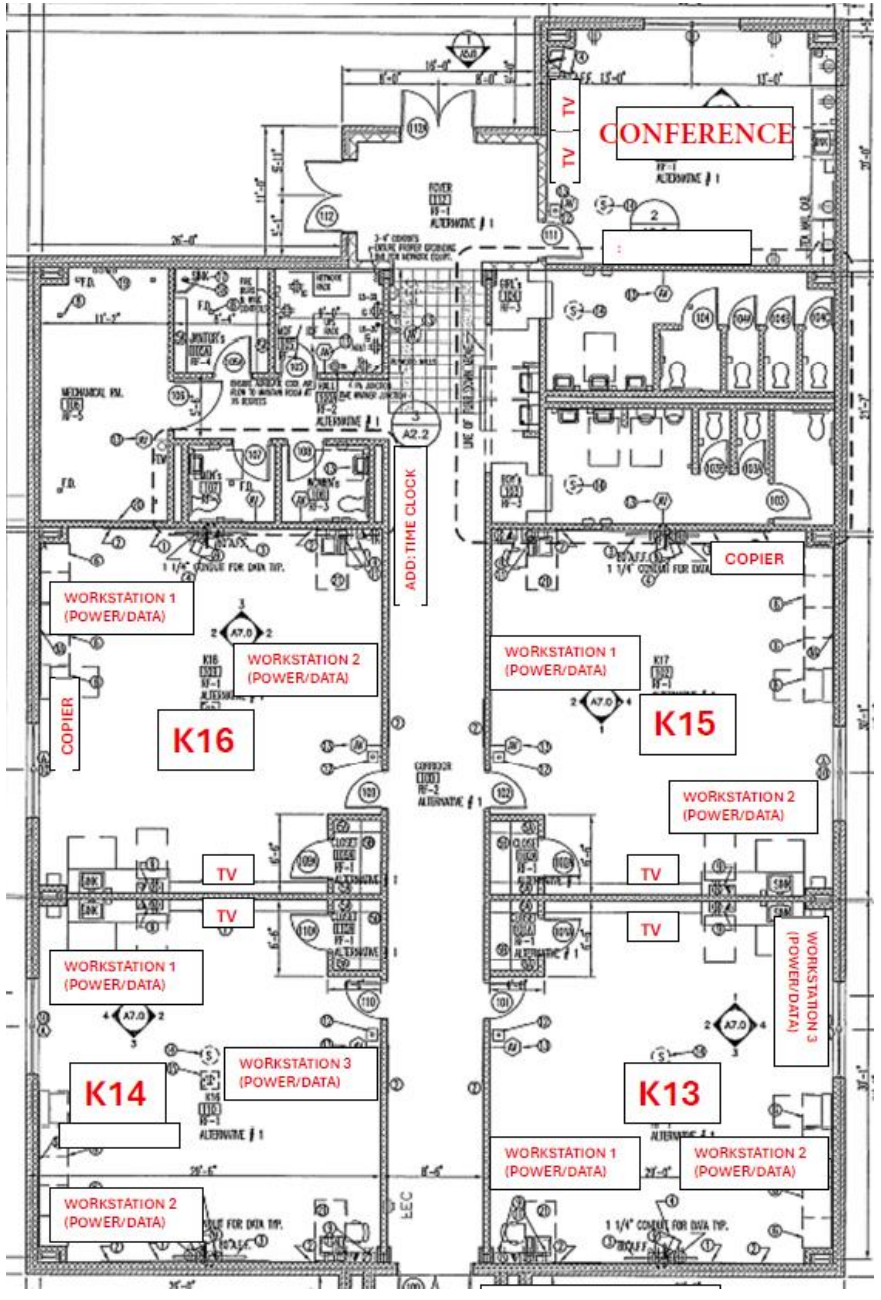
Moving Services

Technology Improvements

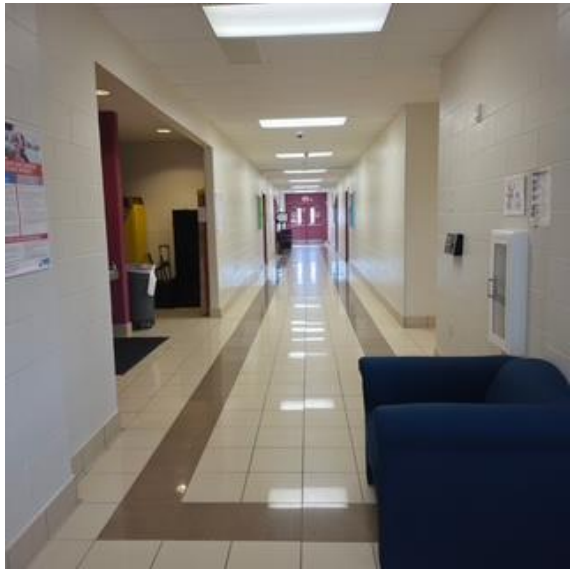
Install buzzer system, access control, time clock, and projector.

Provide workstation data drops.

Remove existing classroom cameras.



Safety Dept Relocation to Alma Pierce Elementary



ITV Dept. Relocation

Relocation from 904 Juarez Ave (Rapaport Bldg) to JC Martin Elementary.

Facility Preparation

Disassemble and Assembled Office Furniture

Classroom Painting

Installed Alarm Panel

Installation of Electrical Power Pole

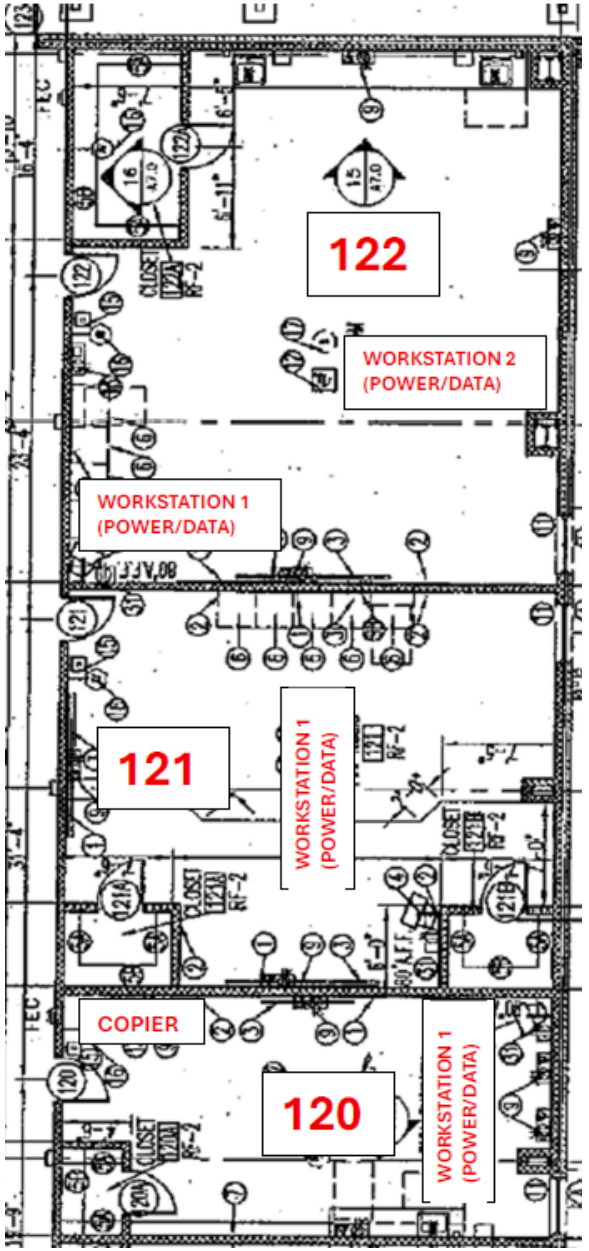
Moving Services

Technology Improvements

Install Time Clock.

Provide workstation data drops.

Remove existing classroom cameras.



6. Discussion and presentation on Textbooks, English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR) instructional materials for Kindergarten through 8th Grade Adoption Tentative Timeline.
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ADOPTION CYCLE FOR FOUNDATION AND ENRICHMENT SUBJECTS

English Language Arts and Reading (ELAR) instructional materials

for Kindergarten through 8th Grade

TEXTBOOKS ADOPTION

TENTATIVE TIMELINE

Thursday, October 29, 2026	Meet with Asst. Superintendent & Executive Directors from Curriculum and Instruction department (Timeline Presentation)
November 2026	State Board Meeting Setting Curriculum Standards Reviewing and Adopting Instructional Materials for 2027-2028 School Year
Monday, November 2, 2026	Operations Committee Meeting (Timeline Presentation)
Tuesday, November 3, 2026	Curriculum and Instruction Committee Meeting (Timeline Presentation)
Thursday, November 5, 2026	Meet with the Curriculum and Instruction Department Deans at 10:30 am in the Fixed Assets Department Champion Training Room ◊ Present and Review Textbook Adoption Policies and Procedures ◊ Present the Publishers with Instructional Materials Adopted by the State Board of Education ◊ Reduce the Selection of Publishers ◊ Defined the Committee Selection ◊ Textbook Samples decide for Print or Digital

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TENTATIVE TIMELINE

Friday, November 6, 2026	Advise School Principals ◊ Advise Principals about the New Textbook Adoption. ◊ Advise Principals about the selection of the Textbook Committee (1 Teacher per Campus for each subject area considering on the New Textbook Adoption)
November 23 thru 27, 2026	District Holiday (Thanksgiving Day)
December 2026	TEA will announce the approved list of Publishing Companies with Instructional Materials for the 2027-2028 School Year
Thursday, December 10, 2026	Meet with the Textbooks Committee Members at VMT Recital Hall at 1:30 pm ◊ Present and Review Textbook Adoption Policies and Procedures ◊ Present List of Instructional Materials Adopted by the State Board or Education. ◊ Finalize Textbook Hearing Location and Date. ◊ Finalize Voting Date
December 21, 2026 thru January 8, 2027	WINTER BREAK
Saturday, January 18, 2027	Tentative Date for Instructional Material Hearing ◊ Saturday, January 16, 2027, at the Performing Arts Complex (PAC) Dr. Marcus Nelson's Conference Room and Auditorium

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TENTATIVE TIMELINE

Monday, January 16, 2027	Review and Finalize Instructional Materials
Friday, February 5, 2027	Committee Members (Teachers) Review and Finalize the Instructional Materials for New Textbook Adoption
Tuesday, February 9, 2027	Date to Cast Votes.
February 16 thru 18, 2027	Prepare Board Presentation and Submit Agenda Items for Board Approval.
Monday, February 22, 2027	Agenda Item and Presentation is due at the Superintendent's Office.
Tuesday, March 2, 2027	Curriculum & Instruction Committee Meeting.
Thursday, March 4, 2027	Business & Support Committee Meeting.
March 8 thru 12, 2027	Spring Break
Thursday, March 18, 2027	Board Meeting ◊ Approval of Instructional Materials for School Year 2027-2028
April 2026	OPEN ENROLLMENT VIA EMAT New Order for Instructional Materials for School Year 2027-2028

7. Communication and Updates
Mr. Guillermo Pro, Superintendent of Schools

8. Adjournment
Chairperson

NOTICE OF VIDEO CONFERENCE CALL

Notice is hereby given that one or more board members may participate remotely in this board meeting by means of a videoconference call. The location of the meeting will be at the Amber Yeary Board Room - 2400 San Bernardo Ave., Laredo, TX 78040 where the presiding officer and a quorum of the Board will be physically present, and it is intended for the presiding officer to be present at this location during the meeting.

NOTICE OF POTENTIAL CLOSED MEETING

If during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the Board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapter D and E, regardless of whether the particular agenda item identifies a potential closed meeting.

DISABILITY ACCESS STATEMENT

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