

**NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE
VALLEY VIEW INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Notice is hereby given that on Monday, January 18, 2021, the Board of Trustees of the Valley View Independent School District will hold a Regular Meeting at 6:30 PM at the Valley View ISD Central Office - Board Room, 9701 South Jackson Road, Pharr, TX 78577. Remote access to the meeting will be available at <https://www.youtube.com/c/VviewisdNet>

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are as listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the order shown on this meeting notice.

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Trustees should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Board of Trustees is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the School Board at the date, hours, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section:

- 551-071 Private consultation with the board's attorney.
- 551-072 Discussing purchases, exchange, leases, or value of real property.
- 551-073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.
- 551-074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel
- 551-075 To confer with employees of the school district to receive information or to ask questions.
- 551-082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel
- 551-083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the board will follow, or will instruct its representative to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.
- 551-084 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.

Should any final action, decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the school Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final action, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice thereof; as the School Board shall determine.

On Friday, January 15, 2021, this notice was mailed to news media who had previously requested such Notice and an original copy was posted on the bulletin board in the School District Administration Building at 6:00 P.M. on said date.

Board President: I call this meeting of the Valley View Independent School District to order. Let the record show that a quorum of board members are present, that this meeting has been duly called, and that notice of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

AGENDA

- 1. Public Comment on Agenda Items**
 - A. Members of the public who wish to address the board on an agenda item will have a five minute time limit to address the board. (Ten minutes if a translator is required) You must inform the Superintendent at least 15 minutes prior to the board meeting on your request to address the board on an agenda item.**
- 2. Information Agenda**
 - A. Presentation by Tomas Villagomez, Valley View 5th Grade Campus Principal to recognize the following AR student.**
 - B. Presentation by Elizabeth Reyes, Valley View South Elementary Principal to recognize the following AR student.**
 - C. Presentation by Rolando Moreno, Finance Director, on monthly contracted services report for March 2021.**
 - D. Presentation by Rolando Moreno, Finance Director, on monthly expenditure report for February 2021.**
 - E. Presentation by Rolando Moreno, Finance Director, on investments report.**
- 3. Action Agenda**
 - A. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the Texas Education Agency TEKS Certification Form for the 2021-2022 school year, as recommended by the administration.**
Sandra L. Rodriguez, PEIMS Director
 - B. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the Texas Education Agency Staff Development Waiver for the 2021-2022 school year, as recommended by the administration.**
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 - C. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the 2021-2022 school calendar, as recommended by the administration.**
Monica Luna, Assistant Superintendent
 - D. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to increase hourly pay for summer school staff, as recommended by the administration.**
Camilo Martinez, Federal Programs Director
 - E. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the 2021-2022 Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program (JJAEP) Memorandum of Understanding between the County of Hidalgo and Valley View Independent School District, as recommended by the administration.**
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 - F. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the Summer 2021 TexPREP Memorandum of Understanding between UTRGV and Valley View Independent School District, as recommended by the administration.**
Ramiro Balderas, CTE Director
 - G. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve the Memorandum of Understanding for the COPS in Schools (CIS) Program between the City of Hidalgo and Valley View Independent School District, as recommended by the administration.**
Efrain Matamoros, Interim Executive Director for District Operations
 - H. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve budget amendments, as recommended by the administration.**
 - I. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to retroactively approve the following student travel:**
Genaro Cantu, Interim Athletic Director
 - 1. Girls Wrestling team to Cypress, TX, on April 22-23, 2021 for the Wrestling State Tournament.**
 - 2. Boys and Girls Wrestling team to Austin, TX, on April 15-17, 2021 for the 5A Region IV Wrestling Tournament.**
 - 3. Varsity Boys Soccer team to Austin, TX, on April 12-14, 2021 for the State Semi-Final.**
 - 4. Boys Powerlifting team to Abilene, TX, on March 26-27, 2021 for the Texas High School Powerlifting Association State Meet.**
 - J. Discussion and/or possible action to designate O'Hanlon, Demerath & Castillo as the search firm to conduct the Superintendent Search.**

Claudia Coronado, Board President

K. Discussion and possible action to authorize administration to solicit requests for qualifications for voluntary health products, property and casualty insurance, and student insurance.

Rolando Moreno, Finance Director

4. Executive Session

A. Texas Government Code Section: 551.074-Personnel

1. Discuss and consider staff resignations.
2. Discuss and consider staff recommendations.
3. Discuss and consider recommendations for renewal for the 2021-2022 school year of the contracts of employees currently employed under contracts governed by Chapter 21 of the Texas Education Code.
4. Discuss and consider recommendations for renewal for the 2021-2022 school year of the contracts of employees currently employed under non-certified contracts not governed by Chapter 21 of the Texas Education Code.

5. Open Session

A. Texas Government Code Section: 551.074-Personnel

1. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve staff resignations, as recommended by the administration.
2. Consider and take appropriate action on the request to approve staff recommendations, as recommended by the administration.
3. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for renewal for the 2021-2022 school year of the contracts of employees currently employed under contracts governed by Chapter 21 of the Texas Education Code.
4. Consideration and possible action on recommendations for renewal for the 2021-2022 school year of the contracts of employees currently employed under non-certified contracts not governed by Chapter 21 of the Texas Education Code.

6. Adjournment



Interim Superintendent of Schools