



Board Highlights

Frisco Independent School District

5515 Ohio Drive • Frisco, Texas 75035

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Regular Board Meeting July 30– 7:30 p.m., FISD Board Room

Approval of minutes from June 18 regular meetings- Motion Passed

Consent Agenda-Motion Passed

The Board approved the consent agenda. The consent agenda consists of items that the board considers routine and approves under one motion. The items approved were: tax office reports; payment to vendors, architects, and contractors; extension of contract for student athletic and accident insurance proposal for 2012-2013 school year; legal services retainer; approval of middle school reading acceleration licenses; E-Rate Record Retention, Procurement, and Authorization Policy Resolution; renewal of student information, finance and payroll system software agreement for 2012-2013; trained appraisers for Professional Development and Appraisal System for 2012-2013 school year; teacher appraisal calendar for Professional Development and Appraisal System for 2012-2013 school year; award of contract for internet based coursework for credit recovery program at the student Opportunity Center and high school campuses; Board Local Policy Update 94 relating to FFAF(Local): Wellness and Health Services—Care Plans; endorsement for TASB Board of Trustees, Region 10, Position D; board committee assignments for 2012-2013.

Discuss Topics for Board Teambuilding and Planning Meeting

Dr. Reedy and Dr. Nelson listed various topics of discussion that may be considered for teambuilding sessions. The board may submit any other topics of interest leading up to the Saturday session that will run from 9-4.

Consider and Act on Exclusive Beverage Service Provider—Passed

The district recommended Coca-Cola for 10 years and the board approved. There are differences with this contract in that it allows for **some** other soft drinks to be supplied by Coca-Cola to be sold in campus vending machines.

Consider and Act on Personnel Recommendations

Meredith Brown was named Social Studies K-8 Coordinator; she was the Social Studies Instructional Coach at Wester Middle School and the District Middle School Social Studies Lead Teacher. She has eleven years of experience with a bachelor's degree from the University of Texas and a master's degree from the Dallas Baptist University.

Garrett Jackson was named Special Education Coordinator; he was the Elementary Special Education Coordinator for the Williamson County Schools in Tennessee. He has eight years of experience with a bachelor's degree from the Union University and a master's degree from Trevecca Nazarene University.

Larry Lewis was named Student Achievement/Involvement Coordinator; he was an educational consultant and Superintendent of Lancaster ISD, prior to consulting. He has 22 years of experience with a bachelor's degree from Stephen F Austin University, master's degrees from Stephen F. Austin University and Harvard University and a Doctorate from Texas A&M University.



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Staff Reports

Dr. Debra Nelson, Deputy Superintendent of Curriculum

Dr. Nelson stated that Region 10 Education Service Center has started a new initiative called Transformational Teacher Cadre. This year-long institute will provide an in-depth study of authentic teaching, learning, and assessment with master teachers. As a partner in this endeavor, Frisco ISD was allowed to nominate up to 10 teachers who are master teachers in one of the four secondary core content areas. All ten Frisco ISD teachers who were nominated were selected for this inaugural event. The group includes 5 middle school teachers and 5 high school teachers who will be transforming teaching and learning in the Dallas/Fort Worth area.

Mr. Doug Zambiasi, Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services

Reminder: student transfer appeals meeting Tuesday, August 21, 6:30 p.m.

Ms. Shana Wortham, Executive Director of Communications and Community Relations

During the 2012-2013 school year the district website will start to take on a new look as we roll out our new content management solution (CMS). Expect the new look to start with the front page before school starts. As different sections of the Frisco ISD website are converted to the new CMS, they will look and function differently.

Next regular meeting: August 13, 2012