

**NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING**  
**ALTO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Notice is hereby given that on **Monday, November 15, 2021 at 6:00 p.m. the Board of Trustees of the Alto Independent School District will hold a Regular Board Meeting,** at the Alto I.S.D. Administration Building Boardroom, 244 CR 2429, Alto, TX 75925. The subjects to be discussed are listed on the agenda, which is attached to and made a part of this Notice.

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, hour 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:**

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| <b>551.071</b> | Private consultation with the board's attorney.  |
| <b>551.072</b> | Discussing purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.  |
| <b>551.073</b> | Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.  |
| <b>551.074</b> | Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel.  |
| <b>551.075</b> | To confer with employees of the school district to receive information or to ask questions.  |
| <b>551.076</b> | Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of security personnel or devices.  |
| <b>551.082</b> | Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.   |
| <b>551.083</b> | Considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the board will follow or will instruct its representatives to follow in consultation with Representatives of employee groups. |
| <b>551.084</b> | Excluding witnesses from a hearing.  |

Should any final action, final decision or final vote be required in the opinion of the School Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed executive meeting or session, then the final action, final decision 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 the **11<sup>th</sup> of November, 2021** this Notice was faxed to news media that had previously requested such Notice and an original copy was posted on the bulletin board in the School District Administration Building at 2:00 p.m. on said date.

  
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**Kelly West - Superintendent**

**ALTO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT  
BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
REGULAR CALLED MEETING**

**MEETING DATE:** November 15, 2021  
**MEETING TIME:** 6:00 P.M.  
**MEETING PLACE:** Alto I.S.D. Board Room, 244 C.R. 2429 Alto, TX

**TRUSTEES**

Jeff Duplichain, President  
Jed Morris, Vice-President  
Stancy Skinner, Secretary  
Jay Jones, Member  
Lee Pearman, Member  
Lionel Whitaker, Member  
Jeremy Jackson, Member

**SCHOOL OFFICIALS**

Kelly West, Superintendent  
Kelley Robertson, Business Mgr.  
Kaylynn Hinson, Admin. Assistant  
Misty Townsend, C&I Director  
LeAnn Jones, Spec Prog Director  
Shanequa Redd-Dorsey, HS Principal  
Krystin Lucas, MS Principal  
Candis Mabry, Elem Principal  
Lance Gamble, Athletic Director

**AGENDA**

(Items may be taken in a different order than listed)

**Note:** After the meeting is opened in public session, the Board of Trustees may elect to retire to executive session at any time to discuss and/or examine any matter pertaining to: personnel; legalities/litigation; witnesses; real estate; student discipline; and/or security matters. The Board of Trustees and/or Superintendent may invite legal counsel and/or personnel into closed session as authorized under Section 2C (E), (F), (G), (H), (J), and/or (M) of Article 6252-17 of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas.

**I. CALL TO ORDER**

- A. Establishment of a quorum
- B. Prayer
- C. Pledge of Allegiance

**II. POSITIVES BY SCHOOL BOARD MEMBERS:**

**III. OPEN FORUM/PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:**

Persons wishing to address the Alto ISD Board of Trustees are required to sign in before the meeting is called to order. Comments are to be in accordance with the established Board Policy (B.E.D.). Audience participants must read and agree to the information contained in the packet labeled "Exhibit A" found on the Sign-in table.

#### **IV. INFORMATION ITEMS:**

- **SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT**
  - **FACILITIES REPORT**
    - **Berry & Clay Construction Report**
  - **FINANCIAL REPORT**
    - **Axley & Rode Audit Report for Fiscal Year 2020-2021**
- **ADMINISTRATORS REPORTS**
  - **CURRICULUM & INSTRUCTION**
    - **TEACHER INCINTIVE ALLOTMENT**
  - **ACCOUNTABILITY & SPECIAL PROGRAMS**
  - **ELEMENTARY PRINCIPAL**
  - **MIDDLE SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**
  - **HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL**
  - **ATHLETIC DIRECTOR**

#### **V. ACTION ITEMS**

- A. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF THE MINUTES FROM THE OCTOBER 18, 2021 REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING AND THE OCTOBER 25 AND NOVEMBER 10, 2021 SPECIAL CALLED BOARD MEETINGS**
- B. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING APPROVAL PAYMENT NO. 011 TO BERRY AND CLAY CONSTRUCTION IN THE AMOUNT OF \$665,859.07**
- C. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF RESOLUTION TO CAST VOTES FOR THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE CHEROKEE COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT FOR 2022 AND 2023.**
- D. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF AUDIT ENDING YEAR AUGUST 31, 2021.**
- E. DISCUSSION/ACTION CURRENT ALTO ISD INVESTMENT POLICY (CDA LOCAL)**
- F. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF LOCAL POLICIES**
  - **EHB (LOCAL) – DYSLEXIA - TRAINING FOR TEACHERS**

- EHBAA (LOCAL) – EARLY CHILDHOOD INTERVENTION / SPECIAL EDUCATION
- G. DISCUSSION/ACTION REGARDING THE APPROVAL OF TASB UPDATE 118.**
- CFD(LOCAL): ACCOUNTING - ACTIVITY FUNDS MANAGEMENT
  - CQB(LOCAL): TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES - CYBERSECURITY
  - DFE(LOCAL): TERMINATION OF EMPLOYMENT - RESIGNATION
  - DP(LOCAL): PERSONNEL POSITIONS
  - EHAA(LOCAL): BASIC INSTRUCTIONAL PROGRAM - REQUIRED INSTRUCTION (ALL LEVELS)
  - EHBC(LOCAL): SPECIAL PROGRAMS - COMPENSATORY/ACCELERATED SERVICES
  - EIE(LOCAL): ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT - RETENTION AND PROMOTION
  - FDE(LOCAL): ADMISSIONS - SCHOOL SAFETY TRANSFERS
  - FEA(LOCAL): ATTENDANCE - COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE
  - FFG(LOCAL): STUDENT WELFARE - CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT
  - FL(LOCAL): STUDENT RECORDS

**VI. CLOSED SESSION (551.074, 551.129, 551.071, 551.072)**

**551.071** An executive session will be held for the purpose of having private consultation with the Board's attorney when the governmental body seeks the advice of its attorney about pending or contemplated litigation or a settlement offer, or on a matter in which the duty of counsel to his client, under the Code of Professional Responsibility of the State Bar of Texas clearly conflicts with the Act.

**551.072** Deliberation of the possible purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property for school district use.

**551.074** Deliberate the appointment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee.

**551.129** A governmental body may use a telephone conference call, videoconference call, or communications over the Internet to conduct a public consultation with its attorney in an open meeting of the governmental body or a private consultation with its attorney in a closed meeting of the governmental body.

**VII. RETURN TO OPEN SESSION**

**A. DISCUSSION/ACTION TO APPROVE THE RESIGNATION OF LESA KINSEY-SANDERS**

**B. DISCUSSION/ACTION TO APPROVE ACTION FOLLOWING CLOSED SESSION**

**VIII. ADJOURNMENT**