



Following recommendations of the District's Bond Advisory Committee, the Eanes ISD Board of Trustees has called a May 6 bond election for voters to consider maintenance and efficiency projects, including safety and security upgrades, maintenance and refurbishment projects, and the purchase of new technological devices for students and staff.

In addition to the work proposed across the district, the following projects are specific to Forest Trail Elementary:



FOREST TRAIL

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

- Facility refurbishments including flooring, wall finishes, ceilings, etc.
- Access control and exterior door prop alarm safety upgrades
- Door-locking device safety upgrades
- Exterior notification safety system upgrades
- Modernize front office circulation desk area
- Library modernization
- Classroom furniture replacements
- Art kiln replacement
- Basketball court resurfacing
- Playground safety improvements
- Lower playground resurfacing
- Covered awnings at pickup/dropoff
- Installation of dismissal car line system
- Update musical instruments
- Gym sound system replacement
- Chiller and cooling tower replacement
- 40s wing restroom addition

THE BOND ELECTION WILL HAVE NO IMPACT ON THE EANES ISD TAX RATE, REGARDLESS OF THE OUTCOME. EANES ISD VOTERS WILL CONSIDER THREE PROPOSITIONS:

PROPOSITION



Proposition A (\$117.773 million) would authorize safety and security upgrades, physical repairs and refurbishments at every campus — as well as energy-efficiency projects, network replacements, new learning management systems, library modernization and more.

PROPOSITION



Proposition B (\$2.411 million) would authorize refurbishments at Chaparral Stadium including pole lighting replacements, track surface replacement, bleachers, handrails and video board replacement.

PROPOSITION



Proposition C (\$11.245 million) would authorize replacement of student and staff digital devices, as well as devices in labs, classrooms and offices.

FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE VISIT EANESBOND.COM

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Los documentos se encuentran disponible en las oficinas del Edificio Central de la Administración del Distrito Escolar de Eanes en Camp Craft Road, número 601, Austin, Texas 78746. En la red: (www.eanesisd.net) / o al llamar al número de teléfono 512-732-9011.



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The 2023 bond propositions address safety, maintenance and facility needs across the district. A committee of EISD residents identified these projects after a comprehensive review of every campus and facility. After receiving the committee's recommendations, the Eanes ISD Board of Trustees called the May 6 bond election. As required by a new state law enacted in 2019, the \$131.429 million bond package is in three individual propositions.

KEY POINTS TO REMEMBER:

- 1. Passage of the bond propositions would have no impact on the Eanes ISD debt service tax rate.** The current Eanes ISD debt service tax rate will remain \$0.12 per \$100 property valuation regardless of the election's outcome.
- 2.** Just 36 cents of every dollar that Eanes ISD raises for operations stays in our school district. The remaining 64 cents is taken away by the state through recapture. **However, all money raised by the 2023 bond would stay in Eanes ISD because bond revenue is not subject to recapture.**
- 3. Every campus in Eanes ISD would be impacted by the 2023 bond proposal,** from the enhancement of safety and security to facility maintenance and refurbishments to technology upgrades.
- 4.** By paying for these projects with bond revenue, **the District will leave more money in its Maintenance & Operations budget to help pay for teacher and staff salaries.** The proposed bond also includes projects, such as solar energy and various technologies, that defer costs in operations, leading to an estimated \$2.8 million in annual savings once the projects are fully implemented.

! BALLOT LANGUAGE EXPLAINED:

State law requires the ballot language of every school bond proposal in Texas to say, "This is a property tax increase," regardless of whether the tax rate is actually going up. However, the 2023 Eanes ISD bond proposals would not increase the district's tax rate.

For more information about each proposition and for Frequently Asked Questions, go to eanesbond.com



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