



District Site-Based Committee  
Special Meeting

DATE: September 7, 2023, Thursday TIME:  
5:00~5:30 PM  
LOCATION: Via Team

AGENDA

Items	Notes
Dol Amendment: HB114 Vapes	
Q & A	

Dol Language

**E-cigarettes & DAEP Placements**

**TEC Texas Education Code §37.006:** *HB 114 requires school districts to implement mandatory DAEP, Disciplinary Alternative Education Placement, for students found in possession of, using, selling, giving, or delivering e-cigarettes on school grounds or at a school-related event.*

*Exemption from: TEC §37.006 related to HB 114*

*Related Board Policies: FNCD(LEGAL): Student Code of Conduct: Tobacco Use and Possession  
FO (LEGAL, LOCAL) – Student Discipline*

***Manner in which statute inhibits the goals of the Innovation Plan***

*The current law does not allow the District flexibility to address the growing concern of e-cigarette usage at the core. The district would like to meet the needs of students and their families by promoting a sustainable, healthier lifestyle for students and a safer environment for all members of the school community. We are particularly committed to helping students receive in-depth interventions when a substance abuse problem is identified.*

***Innovation Strategies***

- a. Judson ISD is seeking to eliminate the provision of placement of students to the Discipline Alternative Education Program for possession of e-cigarettes.*
- b. The District will administer consequences for the possession of e-cigarettes similar to those of cigarettes, unless the vape contains THC, which would be treated on par as a student found to possess marijuana.*
- c. Whenever possible, on-campus interventions will be administered to students and parents.*
- d. Education modules and counseling services may be provided to students by the administration or counselor.*
- e. All vapes found to contain non-THC items will be handled in line with the substance they contain, but possession of any THC item will still require a DAEP placement.*