

SPECIAL VIDEOCONFERENCE BOARD MEETING

Minutes

Monday, January 25, 2021

6:00 p.m.

Due to the health and safety concerns related to the COVID-19 coronavirus, this meeting will be conducted by Videoconference. At least a quorum of the board will be participating by Videoconference in accordance with the provisions of Sections 551.125 or 551.127 of the Texas Government Code that have not been suspended by order of the Governor.

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Members of the public who desire to address the board regarding an item on this agenda must comply with the registration procedures before the beginning of the meeting by emailing tgonzales@donnaisd.net or calling 956-464-1642.

The open portions of this meeting will be recorded and made available to the public upon request.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice. For more information on public comment, see Policy BED.

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Board President Dr. Maricela Valdez called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the following Board of Trustees were in attendance:

Dr. Maricela Valdez, President (via Zoom)
Mr. David De Los Rios, Vice President (via Zoom)
Mr. Jose L. Valdez, Secretary
Mr. Fernando Castillo, Trustee
Col Roberto Perez, Trustee
Mr. Jose Rogelio Reyna Jr., Trustee
Mrs. Eva Castillo Watts, Trustee

The following administrators were in attendance:

Dr. Hafedh Azaiez, Superintendent
Mrs. Velma Rangel, Assistant Superintendent of Special Services (via Zoom)
Mr. Rana, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum and Instruction (via Zoom)
Dr. Anthony Sorola, Assistant Superintendent of Human Resources (via Zoom)
Ms. Ludivina Cansino, Assistant Superintendent of Business and Operations (via Zoom)
Dr. Debra Aceves, Assistant Superintendent of Secondary Leadership (via Zoom)
Ms. Rebecca Castaneda, Assistant Superintendent of Elementary Leadership (via Zoom)

Mr. Tony Torres, Attorney

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE/MOMENT OF SILENCE

Dr. Maricela Valdez led the Pledge of Allegiance and a moment of silence.

The order of these agenda items may be changed. Consideration of items may include deliberation and/or action.

II. OPEN FORUM

Dr. Hafedh Azaiez stated the next item on the agenda is public comment. The public comment portion of our meeting is available to members of the public who wish to address an agenda item to be considered by the Board on today's agenda.

Anyone who wants to speak during public comment must sign in prior to the start of the meeting and list the agenda item they want to discuss. Each public comment speaker will be allowed a maximum of 3 minutes to address the Board. However, any public testimony speaker who requires a translator, will receive up to 6 minutes to address the Board.

The public comment portion of the meeting will allow all speakers who have signed up before the start of the meeting to address the Board regarding an item on today's agenda. I ask that you not discuss students who are not your own child.

Policies DGBA, FNG and GF are available for specific complaints reading employee, parent and community member complaints respectively. Thank you our first speaker is Mr. Frank Cantu. Dr. Hafedh Azaiez asked for Mr. Frank Cantu twice. Mr. Frank Cantu was not present to address the Open Form.

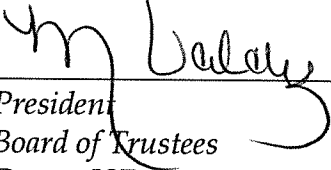
III. HUMAN RESOURCES

1. Discussion and Possible Action to Adopt a Resolution of the Board Authorizing DISD Employees to Assist in the Administration of COVID-19 Vaccinations

Trustee Watts made a motion to approve to Adopt a Resolution of the Board authorizing DISD employees to assist in the administration of COVID-19 vaccinations. It was second by Trustee Perez. Trustees J. Valdez, Reyna, Castillo, De Los Rios and Valdez voted in favor. The motioned carried.

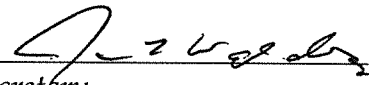
IV. ADJOURN

Trustee De Los Rios made a motion to adjourn the meeting. It was second by Trustee Perez. Trustees J. Valdez, Reyna, Watts, Castillo and Valdez voted in favor. The motion carried. The meeting adjourned at 6:09 p.m.



President
Board of Trustees
Donna ISD

and



Secretary

Date Approved: February 9, 2021