

Minutes of Student Health Advisory Committee

November 13, 2023 – 3:00 pm – LSK Professional Development Room

Meeting was called to order by Chair Michael Mitchell at 3:05 pm. Chair Mitchell stated that a quorum of voting members was in attendance and that the meeting had been duly called and that notice of the meeting had been posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code 551. Chair Mitchell led the pledges to the flags. Tony Tucker led the invocation

Attendees present were: Amanda Stinson (ISD), Kathy Degeest (ISD), Amy Haws (ISD), Chelsea Hoard (ISD), Michael Mitchell (ISD), Adele Mooney (Community), Sarah Tucker (ISD), Tony Tucker (Community), Erica Wright (MMS Parent), Lauren Murphy (DSHS), Kerrah Turner (ISD), Lauren Wilson (LSK Parent), Kay Lynn Day (ISD), and Michaela Snyder (Parent/ISD Employee).

There were no members of the public in attendance.

Minutes of the 09-25-2023 meeting were presented. Adele Mooney moved for approval. Motion was seconded by Amy Haws. Motion passed unanimously.

Sarah Tucker discussed new health TEKS for 4th and 5th grade students. She stated that the video regarding health was presently only being shown to 5th graders and the requirement is that the information needs to be provided to 4th graders. Kay Lynn Day commented that the YES curriculum for 4th/5th grade was an additional \$1500 and that though the requirement has been in place for a few years, we have not been providing it. A notice for parents regarding the information is required at registration before the school year begins. Parents need to have the ability to review the materials before deciding whether to opt in or opt out. Tony Tucker suggested that the notice be provided via the website. The SHACommittee will need to make a recommendation to the School Board and the Board would have to approve the current or any new curriculum and its purchase.

A survey regarding tobacco usage will be taken by Middle and High School students. The Texas Youth Tobacco Survey will be taken by students online and anonymously in February. The survey is recommended by Supt. Bowling. Parents have the opportunity to opt-out (their student(s)). Amy Haws moved for approval of utilizing the tobacco survey and Amanda Stinson seconded. Motion carried unanimously.

Fentanyl awareness training was discussed. There is a 'week' in October each year which has a focus on Fentanyl awareness. A representative of DSHS commented that Region 3 has a curriculum which is free and provides age-appropriate information. It will be shared with the committee. There are also TEA links online to videos. Approval of a curriculum would require School board approval by October, 2024.

Tony Tucker commented that a resource library or database needs to be available for committee members.

Adele Mooney moved for adjournment. Chelsea Hoard seconded. Chair Mitchell adjourned the meeting at 4:43 p.m. Next meeting date is set for Monday, April 15 at 3:00 pm, in the Professional Development room at LSK Elementary.

Respectfully submitted,

Adele Mooney