



## FORT WORTH ISD MISSION:

PREPARING <sup>all</sup> STUDENTS FOR SUCCESS IN  
COLLEGE, CAREER AND COMMUNITY LEADERSHIP.

### FORT WORTH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT RACIAL EQUITY COMMITTEE MEETING AGENDA

Tuesday, October 29, 2019 at 5:00 p.m.  
J. Martin Jacquet Middle School Library  
2501 Stalcup / Fort Worth, TX / 76119

#### CALL TO ORDER

- Approval of minutes from prior meeting
- Review REC meeting protocol

#### DISCUSSION ITEMS:

- Celebrations & Successes
  - Reading with Barbers: 2019 Governor's Volunteer/Partners in Education Award
  - Racial Equity Committee: 2019 National Summit for Courageous Conversation, Deshera P. Mack Community Empowerment Award
- Presentation: *Advancing Districtwide Racial Equity Transformation in Fort Worth ISD* (Sherry Breed, Chief, Division of Equity & Excellence; Joseph Niedziela, Director, Social Studies)
- Update regarding Subcommittee reports and go-forward plans.
- Update regarding 2019-2020 REC Meetings
  - Change in start-time
  - Review of proposed meeting dates

#### REMINDERS:

- Please review the Guidelines for the Racial Equity Committee
- Next Meeting: Tuesday, November 19, 2019 / 5-6:30 pm / Location: PDC 243

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## Statutory Requirements

“Under the authority of Texas Government Code, Section 551.001, et seq., the Board, during the course of the meeting covered by this notice, may enter into closed or executive session for any of the following reasons:

1. To consult with the Board’s attorney with respect to pending or contemplated litigation, or settlement offers, or on matters where the attorney’s duty to the Board, pursuant to the Code of Professional Responsibility of the State Bar of Texas, clearly conflicts with the provisions of the Open Meetings Law. Sec. 551.071
2. To discuss the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property. Sec. 551.072
3. To discuss negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations. Sec. 551.073
4. To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or to hear a complaint or charge against a public officer or employee, unless such officer or employee requests a public hearing. Sec. 551.074
5. To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices. Sec. 551.076
6. To deliberate a case involving discipline of a public school child or children, unless an open hearing is requested in writing by a parent or guardian of the child; or to deliberate a case in which a complaint or charge is brought against an employee of the District by another employee and the complaint or charge directly results in a need for a hearing, unless the employee complained of or charged requests an open hearing. Sec. 551.082
7. To exclude a witness from a hearing during the examination of another witness in an investigation when the Board is investigating a matter. Sec. 551.084

“All final votes, actions, or decisions on any matter discussed in closed or executive session shall be taken or made in open session.

“This notice is posted and filed in compliance with the Open Meetings Law October 24, 2019 at 3:30 p.m.



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Board of Education