



Aledo ISD SHAC meeting minutes – January 29, 2024

- I.** **Welcome** ~ Meeting began at 5:30 PM, 31 members were present including 28 voting members and 3 non-voting members. It was noted that the meeting was being recorded and the recording would be available on the AISD website following the meeting. The recording is available for viewing [here](#). All members of the committee are appointed by the Board of Trustees. Aledo ISD would like to remind everyone that the primary election is coming up in March and that the deadline to register to vote is rapidly approaching. We encourage everyone to vote beginning February 20th. The AISD Administration building is a convenient voting site for our community.

- II.** **Public Comment** ~ SHAC meetings are open to the public. Public Comment is part of the agenda at each meeting. No public comment was requested for this meeting.

- III.** **Review of SHAC bylaws** ~ At the previous SHAC meeting committee reviewed bylaws and submitted suggested changes via QR code. Committee reviewed bylaw suggestions that were generated from the December meeting.

Suggestion proposed that due to the merging of Aledo High School and Daniel 9th grade that for the purposes of SHAC they be considered one campus and have 4 parent representatives. A second observation was that as we grow, should the group consider reconfiguring the composition of the SHAC committee from representation from each campus and form sub-committees because the group has grown too large with the campus representation model. The state statute requires only that the majority of the members not

be comprised of employees of the district. There are presently 46 board appointed members of the Aledo ISD SHAC.

Table group discussion followed regarding what would they like to see for SHAC membership requirements and potential bylaw changes in the future.

IV. Nathan Harmon- Your Life Speaks ~ Conversation surrounded what topics/videos from Nathan Harmon may be most advantageous to show to our 9-12 students this Spring. Suggested topics included Progress Over Perfection; Anxiety; Learning to Fail; Vaping; social media; Failing Forward. Committee did decide to have Mr. Harmon return to speak to students in the Spring and deliver the presentation Progress Over Perfection.

V. Screenagers Under the Influence ~ Discussion resumed surrounding showing Screenagers film to our community & utilizing curriculum.

Voting breakdown from December meeting was as follows 47.6% said show film to parents; 23.8 % show film to kids; 28.6% said they would like more information about the curriculum before deciding. Mr. Kessel contacted vendor who said that film/curriculum may not be viewed unless purchased.

Waskom ISD is utilizing all three films in this series and intends to utilize the corresponding curriculum this spring. It was suggested that we purchase the film for a Parenting University this Spring and develop further plans based on community response to that. We will also follow up with Waskom ISD later this year for feedback from their experience with this program.

VI. Stanford Medicine Cannabis Awareness & Prevention Toolkit ~ Committee viewed feedback responses gathered at the previous meeting. Table groups continued conversation and followed with group share-outs. Collectively, the group members decided to take no action at this time with this program content.

VII. Future meeting dates/times

2.29.24, 4.29.24

Adjournment Time: 7:14 PM