

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
PUBLIC HEARING & REGULAR MEETING**

AUGUST 28, 2024

6:30 P.M.

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

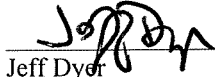
August 28, 2024

WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m.

IOLA ISD BOARD ROOM

The subjects to be discussed or considered, or upon which any formal action may be taken, are as follows:
(Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice.)

1. Call to order
2. Invocation
3. Public Hearing to discuss proposed budget and proposed tax rate for the 2024-2025 school year
4. Closed Session: Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Attorney Consultation), 551.074(Personnel Matters), 551.082 (Student Discipline Matters), 551.072 (Purchase of Real Property) 551.076 (Student Safety) 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development Negotiations):
5. Adjourn



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that on the 28th of August, 2024, the Board of Trustees of the Iola School District will hold a public hearing located at Iola ISD Board Room, Iola, Texas 77861. The subjects to be discussed are listed on the agenda which is attached to the made a part of this Notice.

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Trustees should determine that a closed session of the Board of Trustees is required, then such closed or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meeting Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the School Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet in such closed session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

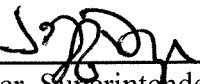
Texas Government Code Section:

- 551.071 Private consultation with the board's secretary.
- 551.072 Discussing purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.
- 551.073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.
- 551.074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel.
- 551.075 To confer with employees of the school district to receive information or to ask questions.
- 551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices.
- 551.082 Considering discipline of the public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.
- 551.083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms, or conditions the board will follow, or will instruct its representatives follow, in consultation with representatives of employees groups.
- 551.084 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.
- 551.087 Deliberations regarding Economic development negotiations

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the School Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed session, then the final action, final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting;
- or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice thereof; as the School Board shall determine.

On this 23rd of August, 2024 original copy was posted on the front window in the School District Administration Building at 3:00 p.m. on said date.



Jeff Dyer, Superintendent
For the Board of Education

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTICE OF SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
AUGUST 28, 2024

Wednesday: immediately following the public hearing

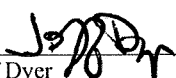
IOLA ISD BOARD ROOM

AGENDA

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(Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice.)

1. Call to order
2. Recognition of visitors: Public Forum
3. Consideration of consent agenda
 - a. minutes of previous meetings
 - b. monthly disbursements
 - c. student membership
 - d. tax report
 - e. quarterly investment report
4. Campus and administrative report
 - a. elementary school student & staff activities
 - b. high school student & staff activities
 - c. superintendents report
5. Consideration of budget amendments to the 2023-2024 budget
6. Consideration of adopting the budget for the Iola ISD 2024-2025 school year
7. Consideration of resolution adopting a Tax Rate for Tax Year 2024
8. Consideration of the TASB Policy Update 123
9. Consideration of the Grimes County Extension Office Resolution and Adjunct Faculty Agreement
10. Consideration of Board Resolution for Interlocal Agreement for DEAP with Madisonville CISD
11. Consideration of student handbook changes for the 2024-2025 school year
12. Personnel
 - a. employment
 - b. resignation
13. Closed Session: Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Attorney Consultation), 551.074(Personnel Matters), 551.082 (Student Discipline Matters), 551.072 (Purchase of Real Property) 551.076 (Student Safety) 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development Negotiations):
14. Adjourn

This notice was posted and filed in compliance with the Open Meetings Law on August 23, 2024 at 3:00 pm



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
NOTICE OF BOARD MEETING

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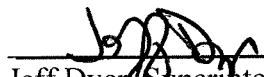
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Jeff Dyer, Superintendent
For the Board of Education

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Public Forum (Item 2)

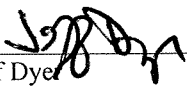
At regular meetings the Board shall allot up to 30 minutes to hear persons who desire to make comments to the Board. Persons who wish to participate in this portion of the meeting shall sign up as they arrive indicating the topics about which they wish to speak.

Public participation is limited to the designated open forum portion of a meeting. At all other times during Board meetings, the audience shall not enter into discussion or debate on matters being considered by the Board. **No presentation shall exceed 5 minutes.**

Specific factual information or recitation of existing policy may be furnished in response to inquiries, but the Board may not deliberate, discuss, or make any decision on any subject not on the agenda.

BOARD PRESIDENT: The presiding officer shall determine whether a person who wishes to address the Board has attempted to solve a matter administratively. If not, the person shall be directed to do so before bringing the matter to the board at a subsequent meeting.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

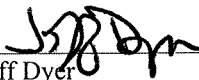
MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees
From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent
DATE: August 28, 2024
SUBJECT: Consideration of consent agenda (Item 3)

- a. minutes of previous meetings
- b. monthly disbursements
- c. student membership
- d. tax report
- e. quarterly investment report

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the consent agenda as presented.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

July 15, 2024

Monday: 6:30 P.M.

IOLA ISD BOARD ROOM

The Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District met in regular session on July 15, 2024 in the Board Room, Iola, Texas.

Members Present: Jason Gooch, Tammy Harvey, Alec Pointer, Mark Cunningham, Todd Kay and Sierra Betancourt

Member Absent: Jody Evans

1. Call to order: Alec Pointer
2. Invocation: Sierra Betancourt
3. Recognition of visitors: Public Forum
4. Consideration of consent agenda
 - a. minutes of previous meeting
 - b. monthly disbursements
 - c. tax report

A motion was made by Jason Gooch to approve the consent agenda. Second: Todd Kay.
Vote carried 5-1 (Sierra Betancourt abstained)
5. Campus and administrative report
 - a. superintendent report: Mr. Dyer
6. Consideration of approval of the local investment policy

A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve the local investment policy. Second: Jason Gooch
Vote carried 6-0
7. Consideration of adopting the Board Operating Procedure Handbook

A motion was made by Jason Gooch to table this item # 7. Second: Alec Pointer
Vote carried 6-0
8. Consideration of the TASB Policy Update 123 first read

Mr. Dyer will send recommendation to TASB to approve.
9. Consideration of approving Right-of-Way easement to the City of Iola for the purpose of Wastewater Treatment Plant.

A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve the Right-of-Way easement to the City of Iola for the purpose of Wastewater Treatment Plant. Second: Todd Kay
Vote carried 6-0
10. Personnel
 - a. employment: none
 - b. resignation: none
11. Closed Session: Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Attorney Consultation), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.082 (Student Discipline Matters), 551.072 (Purchase of Real Property) 551.076 (Student Safety) 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development Negotiations)
12. Adjourn: A motion was made Jason Gooch to adjourn. Second: Todd Kay
Vote carried 6-0

Alec Pointer, President

Tammy Harvey, Secretary

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
CALLED SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

August 8, 2024

Thursday: 6:30 P.M.

IOLA ISD BOARD ROOM

The Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District met in called session on August 8, 2024 in the Board Room, Iola, Texas.

Members Present: Tammy Harvey, Alec Pointer, Mark Cunningham, Todd Kay, Jody Evans and Sierra Betancourt

Member Absent: Jason Gooch

1. Call to order: Alec Pointer
2. Invocation: Tammy
3. Public Forum
4. Consideration of proposed tax rate for the 2024-2025 school year
A motion was made by Alec Pointer to approve the proposed tax rate for the 2024-2025.
Second: Todd Kay. Vote carried 6-0
5. Consideration of proposed budget for the 2024-2025 school year
A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve the proposed budget for the 2024-2025 school year. Second: Todd Kay Vote carried 6-0
6. Consideration of teacher appraisers and professional development and appraisal system calendar for the 2024-2025 school year: A motion was made by Sierra Betancourt to approve the teacher appraisers and professional development and appraisal system calendar for the 2024-2025 school year as presented. Second Jody Evans Vote carried 6-0
7. Consideration and/or action to approve an Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit Option Agreement) and to delegate contractual authority to the Superintendent. A motion was made by Alec Pointer to approve the Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit Option Agreement) and to delegate contractual authority to the Superintendent. Second: Tammy Harvey
Vote carried 6-0
8. Consideration of updating the Faculty and Student Handbook: A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve the student handbook. Second: Alec Pointer Vote carried 6-0
9. Consideration of adopting the Board Operating Procedure Handbook:
A motion was made by Sierra Betancourt to approve the Board Operating Procedure Handbook with the corrections. Second: Alec Pointer Vote 6-0
10. Consideration of turf and track bid from Paragon Sports Constructors: A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve Paragon Sport Constructors bid for turf and track field.
Second: Sierra Betancourt. Vote carried 6-0
11. Personnel: A motion was made by Sierra Betancourt to accept Janifer Hatten resignation.
Second: Todd Kay. Vote carried 6-0

12. Closed Session: Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Attorney Consultation), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.082 (Student Discipline Matters), 551.072 (Purchase of Real Property) 551.076 (Student Safety) 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development Negotiations) The Board of Trustees went into closed session at 8:36 p.m. under TGCS 551.082 and 551.072 and returned to regular meeting at 9:26 p.m.
13. Adjourn: A motion was made by Jody Evans to adjourn. Second: Todd Kay. Vote carried 6-0

Alec Pointer, President

Tammy Harvey, Secretary

Iola ISD
Computer Written Checks
For the Month of July

Check Nbr	Check Date	Payee	PO Nbr	Invoice Nbr	Fnd-Fnc-Obj.So-Org-Prog	Reason	Amount	
978	07-16-2024	Upbeat Press, LLC	201921	0016	410-11-6321.00-001-411000	VENDOR NAME CHANGE	-738.20	
956	07-10-2024	GRIMES COUNTY SP ED	007353		199-93-6492.00-999-423000	LOST CHECK FOUND VOID	-97,092.40	
962	07-10-2024	AVINEXT	201933	328770	289-11-6399.02-101-411000	TOUCH DISPLAY	12,758.00	
963	07-10-2024	BUCK'S WHEEL & EQUIP	201962	139572	199-34-6399.00-999-499000	A/C Sped Bus	112.80	
964	07-10-2024	COLLEGE BOARD	201700	A251268181	199-11-6339.00-001-421000	AP Calculus Test	377.00	
965	07-10-2024	COMPLIANCE CONSORT	007368	1338677	199-36-6299.03-001-491000	drug testing	393.00	
966	07-10-2024	CURRICULUM ASSOCIA	201948	90822691	410-11-6321.00-001-411000	IES RLA Curriculum	1,458.60	
967	07-10-2024	ENTERGY	007363		199-51-6259.01-999-499000	MAIN CAMPUS BUILDINGS	6,636.14	
968	07-10-2024	NAVASOTA EXAMINER-	007373		199-12-6399.00-001-411000	ANNUAL MEMBERSHIP	46.00	
969	07-10-2024	HANDWRITING WITHOU	201922	202994	410-11-6321.00-101-411000	Elementary Handwriting	3,539.05	
970	07-10-2024	KATIE DEHAVEN	007370		240-35-6341.00-999-499000	SENIOR CAFETERIA REFUND	25.60	
971	07-10-2024	MARSHALL MANGRUM	007371		199-34-6299.01-999-499000	CDL REIMBURSEMENT	75.00	
972	07-10-2024	MSB- SHARS	007375		199-11-6299.07-101-411000	SHARS	263.65	
973	07-10-2024	NAPA BRYAN	201955		199-34-6399.00-999-499000	Bus 19 A/C	52.52	
974	07-10-2024	REGION VI	201862	069503	199-11-6499.05-101-411000	EARLY CHILD CONFERENCE	200.00	
			007372	068139	199-34-6239.00-999-499000	BUS TRAINING	125.00	
			007374	069437	199-34-6239.00-999-499000	BUS TRAINING	60.00	
			007372	068666	199-41-6299.00-701-499000	BOARD TRAINING	750.00	
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975	07-10-2024	RMA TOLL PROCESSING	007366		199-34-6499.00-999-499000	TOLL FEE	7.50	
976	07-10-2024	ROSE COMPIAN	007369		240-35-6341.00-999-499000	SENIOR CAFETERIA REFUND	12.45	
977	07-10-2024	SHERWIN-WILLIAMS ST	201956	0236-7	199-51-6299.12-999-499000	Awning Poles	114.66	
978	07-10-2024	SPORTS DECALS	201870	7694	199-36-6399.07-001-491000	Helmet Decals	806.90	
979	07-10-2024	STUDIES WEEKLY	201949	506463	410-11-6321.00-001-411000	6 grade Social Studies	447.50	
980	07-10-2024	TASB, INC.	007367	658668	199-41-6499.02-701-499000	POLICY UPDATE 123	1,363.96	
981	07-10-2024	TEXAS COLLEGE BRIDG	201947	p2412681841	199-11-6499.00-001-438000	CCMR	702.00	
982	07-10-2024	TEXAS DEPARTMENT O	007365	CRS2024052858	199-41-6499.02-701-499000	CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS	8.00	
983	07-10-2024	TJS HARDWARE	201960	83624	199-34-6399.00-999-499000	Activity Bus	25.30	
984	07-10-2024	WICKSON CREEK SPECI	007364		199-51-6259.03-999-499000	WATER SERVICE	43.61	
985	07-10-2024	XEROX CORPORATION	007362		199-11-6219.00-999-411000	COPIER LEASE	2,120.44	
986	07-12-2024	MSEC COMMUNICATION	007376		199-11-6239.03-001-411000	MIDSOUTH FIBER INTERNET	429.85	
987	07-16-2024	ACME ARCHITECTURAL	201972		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Door Locks / Keys & Cores	838.09	
988	07-16-2024	ACME GLASS CO,	201976		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Replacement Broken Window	1,684.50	

Iola ISD
Computer Written Checks
For the Month of July

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989	07-16-2024	AIR TECH BRAZOS VALL	201977	28412	199-51-6299.00-999-499000	A/C Evaluations All A/C's	7,665.00
990	07-16-2024	ASSOCIATED SUPPLY C	201982	rsa131591	199-51-6299.01-999-499000	Mini Excavator	300.00
991	07-16-2024	JO BACA	007380		199-41-6411.00-701-499000	TRAVEL TO NZ FOR MAIL PICKUP	172.92
992	07-16-2024	BLUEBONNET GROUND	201964		199-51-6259.03-999-499000	Water Tax	129.72
993	07-16-2024	CARTER'S SERVICE STA	201967		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Flat Repair Van	25.00
994	07-16-2024	CHANEY FIRE & SECURI	201973		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Quarterly Fire Alrm Monitoring	210.00
995	07-16-2024	CHAPARRAL LABORATO	201966		199-51-6299.01-999-499000	WWTP	336.00
996	07-16-2024	DEALERS ELECTRICAL	201974		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Lightbulbs/Fixtures/Elect Supp	3,194.30
997	07-16-2024	DSHS CENTRAL LAB	007388		199-51-6299.01-999-499000	WWT LAB FEE	645.00
998	07-16-2024	GAAS REFRIGERATION,	201978	1233MA/12421W	199-51-6299.00-999-499000	A/C Service GW/Gym/	1,539.96
			201953		199-51-6639.01-999-499000	New AC Ag Classroom West	13,485.86
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999	07-16-2024	GLS	007381		199-51-6299.12-999-499000	CONSTRUCTION FEE	69.51
000	07-16-2024	JELCO	007382	11708	199-51-6299.00-999-499000	HS GYM RESURFACE	4,398.75
001	07-16-2024	JOHNSON SUPPLY	201975	10426693/10427	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	A/C Parts / Return Grills	522.72
002	07-16-2024	LAKESHORE LEARNING	007384	510846051724	199-11-6399.00-101-411000	ELEM SUPPLIES	148.32
003	07-16-2024	JAMIE MCDOUGALD	007383		199-36-6411.00-001-491000	TRAVEL PARKING	20.00
004	07-16-2024	PERRY OFFICE	201971		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Janitorial /Paper Supplies	4,502.66
005	07-16-2024	PRODUCERS COOP	201985		199-34-6311.00-999-499000	Fuel	4,371.86
006	07-16-2024	REPUBLIC SERVICES	007385		199-51-6259.04-999-499000	DUMPSTER SERVICE	899.22
007	07-16-2024	STANDLEY FEED & SEE	201969	514068	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Weed Killer Fence Lines /	510.00
008	07-16-2024	TEXAS DEPARTMENT O	007387		199-41-6499.02-701-499000	CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECKS	4.00
009	07-16-2024	UNITED AG & TURF INC.	201970		199-51-6319.00-999-499000	Corrected Invoice	32.00
010	07-16-2024	WALSH GALLEGOS KYL	007386		199-41-6211.01-701-423000	LEGAL FEES SPECIAL ED	2,943.94
011	07-16-2024	WELLS FARGO	007379		199-11-6239.03-001-411000	MID SOUTH FIBER	199.90
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			007379		199-11-6399.00-001-411000	HS SUPPLIES STOOLS	476.75
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Computer Written Checks
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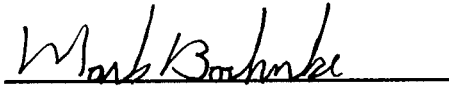
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014	07-16-2024	XEROX CORPORATION	007389		199-11-6219.00-999-411000	COPIER LEASE JUNE	1,055.91	
015	07-16-2024	GLS	007393		199-51-6299.12-999-499000	CONSTRUCTION FEE	69,438.80	
016	07-16-2024	KORNEY BOARD AIDS, I	201829	218232	199-36-6399.11-001-491000	Volleyball supplies	1,322.01	
017	07-16-2024	Upbeat Press, LLC	007394		199-11-6499.00-001-438000	ACHIEVE COLLEGE SUCCESS	738.20	
018	07-17-2024	AIR TECH BRAZOS VALL	007395	28519	199-51-6299.00-999-499000	AC CAMPUS SERVICE	41,096.95	
019	07-29-2024	DUDLEY CONSTRUCTIO	007396		199-51-6299.12-999-499000	TRANSPORTATION BUILDING	191,486.75	
020	07-29-2024	JEFF DYER	007398		199-52-6219.03-999-400000	GUARDIAN TRAINING SUPPLIES	135.27	
021	07-29-2024	KYRISH TRUCK CENTER	007397		199-34-6399.00-999-499000	TRANS BUILDING SUPPLIES	393.95	
022	07-29-2024	MANEUVERING THE MID	201989	5329	410-11-6321.00-101-411000	5th grade Math	225.00	
023	07-29-2024	NORTH TX TOLLWAY AU	007400		199-34-6399.00-999-499000	TOLL	8.39	
024	07-29-2024	PORTA PHONE	201968	24PP4652	199-36-6399.07-001-491000	Head sets	4,450.00	
025	07-29-2024	PRACTICAL RESPONSE	007401		199-52-6219.03-999-400000	GUARDIAN TRAINING	1,225.00	
026	07-29-2024	REGION VI	007404		199-11-6239.00-101-411000	HOSTING FEE	200.00	
027	07-29-2024	US POSTAL SERVICE	007402		199-41-6399.00-701-499000	POST OFFICE RENTAL	154.00	
028	07-29-2024	WINDSTREAM	007399		199-11-6239.03-001-411000	PHONE SERVICE	661.50	
029	07-29-2024	XEROX CORPORATION	007403		199-11-6219.00-999-411000	COPIER LEASE	425.99	
030	07-31-2024	JAMIE MCDUGALD	007405		199-36-6412.00-001-491000	VB AUGUST MEALS	1,504.00	
031	07-31-2024	KATHY DARBY	007407		199-00-5752.00-000-400000	VB START UP GATE	250.00	
032	07-31-2024	HEARTLAND	201992		240-35-6399.02-999-499000	CAFETERIA NON FOOD	1,809.00	
033	07-31-2024	GALLAGHER CONSTRU	007406	501058	199-51-6299.12-999-499000	PROJECT MANAGER FEE	8,750.00	
034	07-31-2024	ACME ARCHITECTURAL	007412	4094188	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	CLASSROOM DOOR LOCKS HS	395.20	
035	07-31-2024	ACME GLASS CO,	007413	1155195	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	REPLACEMENT GLASS DOOR	529.01	
036	07-31-2024	BRAUN INTERTEC CORP	007408	8392760	199-51-6299.07-999-499000	GEOTECH EVALUATION	1,000.00	
037	07-31-2024	LISCO SPORTS, LLC	007410	21835	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	BACKSTOP PADDING BASEBALL	2,825.00	
038	07-31-2024	MARK'S PLUMBING PAR	007411	2163326	199-51-6319.00-999-499000	FAUCET PLUMBING	525.98	
039	07-31-2024	REGION VI	007409	069825	199-31-6399.00-999-411000	ACADEMY	150.00	
Total For Computer Written Checks							319,298.64	
Total Checks							319,298.64	

Student Enrollment 2024-2025

GRADE LEVEL	Last Day	Aug-23	Sept 23	Oct-23	Nov-23	Dec-23
EE	1	0				
PK	17	19				
K	38	37				
1	37	44				
2	46	42				
3	50	54				
4	50	51				
5	45	55				
SUB-TOTAL	284	302				
6	46	44				
7	46	46				
8	48	44				
9	54	48				
10	50	52				
11	37	46				
12	32	35				
SUB-TOTAL	313	315				
TOTAL	597	617				
GRADE LEVEL	Jan-24	Feb-24	Mar-24	Apr-24	May-24	
EE						
PK						
K						
1						
2						
3						
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SUB-TOTAL						
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12						
SUB-TOTAL						
TOTAL						

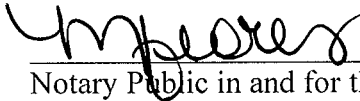
Tax Collections Report

I, Mark Boehnke, Chief Appraiser for the Grimes County Appraisal District, do solemnly swear that the attached report is the true and correct accounting for all taxes collected for the Iola ISD during the time period indicated.

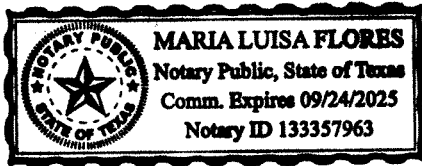


Mark Boehnke
Chief Appraiser
Grimes County Appraisal District

Given under my hand and seal of authority on July 1, 2024.



Notary Public in and for the State of Texas



**GRIMES COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT
TAX COLLECTIONS REPORT**

JURISDICTION: Iola ISD
DATE: July 1, 2024

(1) For Month Ending: June 30, 2024

Current Year Taxes	\$23,282.22
Current Year P & I	\$2,730.64
Current Year Total	\$26,012.86
Prior Years Taxes	\$1,343.32
Prior Years P&I	\$421.68
Prior Years Total	\$1,765.00
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$27,777.86

(2) For Year-to-Date: June 30, 2024

Current Year Collections (Taxes Only)	\$5,133,810.07
Prior Year Collections (Taxes Only)	\$27,597.26
Penalty & Interest	\$32,233.68
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$5,193,641.01

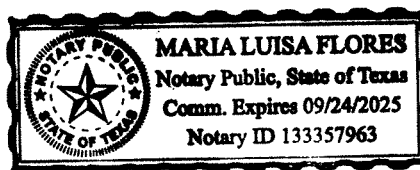
Current Year Percent Collected (Taxes Only) 97.71%

I, Mark Boehnke, Tax Assessor/Collector for Iola ISD do hereby solemnly swear that this is a true and correct accounting of all property taxes collected for the Iola ISD for the period indicated.

Mark Boehnke
Chief Appraiser

Sworn and subscribed to before me on this the 1 day of July 2024

M. Flores
Notary Public
State of Texas §
County of Grimes §



**GRIMES COUNTY APPRAISAL DISTRICT
TAX COLLECTIONS REPORT**

JURISDICTION: Iola ISD
DATE: August 1, 2024

(1) For Month Ending: July 31, 2024

Current Year Taxes	\$19,551.20
Current Year P & I	\$1,386.12
Current Year Total	\$20,937.32
Prior Years Taxes	\$960.48
Prior Years P&I	\$518.63
Prior Years Total	\$1,479.11
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$22,416.43

(2) For Year-to-Date: June 30, 2024

Current Year Collections (Taxes Only)	\$5,153,361.27
Prior Year Collections (Taxes Only)	\$28,557.74
Penalty & Interest	\$34,138.43
TOTAL COLLECTIONS	\$5,216,057.44

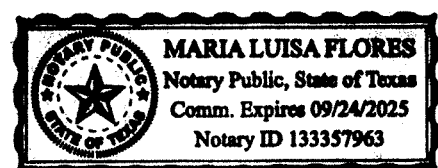
Current Year Percent Collected (Taxes Only) 98.07%

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Mark Boehnke
Chief Appraiser

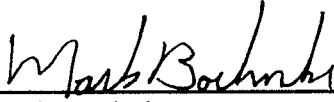
Sworn and subscribed to before me on this the 1 day of August 2024

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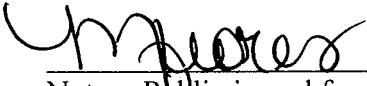
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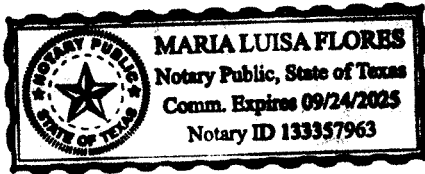


Mark Boehnke
Chief Appraiser
Grimes County Appraisal District

Given under my hand and seal of authority on August 1, 2024.



Notary Public in and for the State of Texas



Cash & Investment Report for the period of March 1, 2024 through May 31, 2024

Cash in the Bank:

	Ledger Balance 3/1/2024	Ledger Balance 5/31/2024	Net Change
Operating- Local Maintenance	\$ 206,813.52	\$ 357,662.93	\$ 150,849.41
Payroll	\$ -	\$ -	
Debt Services	\$ 152,934.27	\$ 152,934.27	
	\$ 359,747.79	\$ 510,597.20	\$ 150,849.41

Investment Pools:

	Ledger Balance 3/1/2024	Ledger Balance 5/31/2024	Net Change	Interest Earned	Maturity Date
Tex Pool - Gen Fund	\$ 112,110.95	\$ 115,141.09	\$ 3,030.14		
Lone Star - Debt Serv	\$ 1,612,173.28	\$ 1,752,871.04	\$ 140,697.76	\$ 23,655.55	
Lone Star - Pool - Gen Fund	\$ 9,877,730.99	\$ 8,165,916.49	\$ 1,711,814.50	\$ 126,686.30	
Total Investments	\$ 11,602,015.22	\$ 10,033,928.62	\$ 1,855,542.40	\$ 150,341.85	

Certificate of Deposit

1st State Bank Bédias	\$ 101,693.78	\$ 101,693.78			4/1/2024
Wells Fargo Banks	\$ 100,000.00	\$ 100,000.00	0		8/30/2024
	\$ 201,693.78	\$ 201,693.78	\$	\$ 150,341.85	

Total of All Funds

\$ 12,163,456.79	\$ 10,746,219.60
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This reconciliation is in conjunction with Government Code, Chapter 2256

Jeff Dyer, Superintendent



Jan Timm, Business Manager



**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

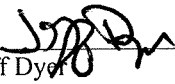
From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Campus and Administrative report (Item 4)

- a. elementary school student & campus activities
- b. high school student & campus activities
- c. superintendent report

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees
From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent
DATE: August 28, 2024
SUBJECT: Consideration of budget amendments to the 2023-2024 budget (Item 5)

The budget amendments that need approval by the Board of Trustees will be handed out at the meeting.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve budget amendments to the 2023-2024 budget as presented.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

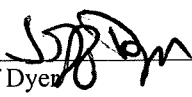
DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of adopting the budget for the Iola ISD 2024-2025 school year (Item 6)

Enclosed you will find the 2024-2025 budget. There were no changes made to the proposed budget that was presented to you at the August 8, 2024 meeting.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the 2024-2025 school budget as presented.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

IOLA ISD
2024-2025 Approved Budget

REVENUE	GENERAL FUND	LUNCH ROOM	DEBT SERVICE	TOTALS
5700 LOCAL	\$ 4,530,000.00	\$ 228,043.00	\$ 1,562,211.00	\$6,320,254.00
5800 STATE	\$ 3,350,000.00	\$ 11,500.00	\$ 9,000.00	\$3,370,500.00
5900 FEDERAL		\$ 150,000.00		\$ 150,000.00
TOTAL REVENUE	\$ 7,880,000.00	\$ 389,543.00	\$ 1,571,211.00	\$9,840,754.00
EXPENDITURES				
11 INSTRUCTION	\$ 4,426,505.00			\$4,426,505.00
12 MEDIA/LIBRARY	\$ 64,183.00			\$ 64,183.00
13 STAFF DEVELOPMENT	\$ 87,362.00			\$ 87,362.00
23 SCHOOL ADMINISTRATION	\$ 449,262.00			\$ 449,262.00
31 GUIDANCE/COUNSELING	\$ 152,221.00			\$ 152,221.00
33 HEALTH	\$ 82,745.00			\$ 82,745.00
34 TRANSPORTATION	\$ 356,365.00			\$ 356,365.00
35 FOOD SERVICES	\$ -	\$ 389,543.00		\$ 389,543.00
36 CO-CURRICULAR	\$ 391,646.00			\$ 391,646.00
41 GENERAL ADMINISTRATION	\$ 422,616.00			\$ 422,615.00
51 MAINTENANCE	\$ 900,276.00			\$ 900,276.00
52 SECURITY SERVICES	\$ 98,400.00			\$ 98,400.00
53 DATA PROCESSING SERVICE	\$ 25,200.00			\$ 25,200.00
71 DEBT SERVICES			\$ 602,350.00	\$ 602,350.00
93 SHARED SERVICE ARRANGE	\$ 230,347.00			\$ 230,347.00
99 APPRAISAL DISTRICT	\$ 184,095.00			\$ 184,095.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 7,871,223.00	\$ 389,543.00	\$ 602,350.00	\$8,863,115.00
General Fund Excess	\$ 8,777.00	\$ -	\$ 968,861.00	

Board President

Board Secretary

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of resolution adopting a Tax Rate for the Tax Year 2024 (Item 7)

Enclosed you will find the tax rate resolution and **language** that needs to be in the motion.

I moved that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of 0.863700, which is effectively a 11.27 percent increase in the tax rate.

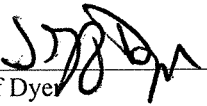
This must be read with motion -

Statement Required in the Ordinance, Resolution, or Order Setting This Year's Tax Rate:

This year's levy to fund maintenance and operations expenditures exceeds last year's maintenance and operations tax levy. The following statements must be included in the ordinance, resolution, or order setting this year's tax rate.

THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE. THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 0.13 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$-2.30.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

**A RESOLUTION ADOPTING A TAX RATE FOR TAX YEAR 2024
FOR THE IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**

WHEREAS, pursuant to Sec. 44.004 Education Code, the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District has published a notice of public hearing to discuss the budget and proposed tax rate and conducted said public hearing; and

Whereas, Sec. 26.05 Property Tax Code, requires the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District to adopt a tax rate for tax year 2024, therefore:

Be it hereby resolved by the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District that:

(1) We, the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District, do hereby adopt the tax rate per \$100 valuation for the Iola Independent School District for tax year 2024 as follows:

\$ 0.666900 for the purposes of maintenance and operation

\$ 0.196800 for the payment of debt service

\$ 0.863700 total tax rate

(2) We, the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District, do hereby authorize the Tax Assessor-Collector for the Iola Independent School District to assess and collect taxes for tax year 2024 employing the above tax rate.

(3) THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

(4) THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 0.13 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$-2.30.

This resolution was passed by the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District on this the 28th day of August 2024.

IN CERTIFICATION THEREOF:

Signed: _____
President

Attest: _____
Secretary

FOR:

AGAINST:

ABSENT:

**§26.05(b) of Property Tax Code
Steps Required for Adoption of Tax Rate**

Entity Name: Iola ISD - Chapter 313

Date: 08/20/2024 02:35 PM

Language Required in the Motion Setting This Year's Tax Rate:

This year's proposed tax rate exceeds the no-new-revenue tax rate. The vote on the ordinance, resolution, or order setting the tax rate must be a record vote. A motion to adopt the ordinance, resolution, or order must be made in the following form:

I move that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of 0.863700, which is effectively a 11.27 percent increase in the tax rate.

Statement Required in the Ordinance, Resolution, or Order Setting This Year's Tax Rate:

This year's levy to fund maintenance and operations expenditures exceeds last year's maintenance and operations tax levy. The following statements must be included in the ordinance, resolution, or order setting this year's tax rate. The statements must be in larger type than the type used in any other portion of the document.

THIS TAX RATE WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 0.13 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$-2.30.

Statement That Must be Posted on the Home Page of Any Internet Website Operated by the Taxing Unit:

This year's levy to fund maintenance and operations expenditures exceeds last year's maintenance and operations tax levy. The following statements must be included in the ordinance, resolution, or order setting this year's tax rate. The statements must be in larger type than the type used in any other portion of the document.

Iola ISD - Chapter 313 ADOPTED A TAX RATE THAT WILL RAISE MORE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS THAN LAST YEAR'S TAX RATE.

THE TAX RATE WILL EFFECTIVELY BE RAISED BY 0.13 PERCENT AND WILL RAISE TAXES FOR MAINTENANCE AND OPERATIONS ON A \$100,000 HOME BY APPROXIMATELY \$-2.30.

Section 26.05(b) of Property Tax Code
Worksheet for Determination of Steps Required for Adoption of Tax Rate
Iola ISD - Chapter 313

Date: 08/20/2024 02:35 PM

M&O Tax Increase in Current Year	
1. Last year's taxable value, adjusted for court-ordered reductions. Enter Line 10 of the No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Worksheet.	\$490,263,208
2. Last year's M&O tax rate.	\$0.669200
3. M&O taxes refunded for years preceding tax year 2023.	\$3,020
4. Last year's M&O tax levy. Multiply line 1 times line 2 and divide by 100. To the result, add line 3.	\$3,283,861
5. This year's total taxable value. Enter line 28 of the No-New-Revenue Tax Rate Worksheet.	\$586,723,695
6. This year's proposed M&O tax rate Enter the proposed M&O tax rate approved by the Governing Body.	\$0.666900
7. This year's M&O tax levy. Multiply line 5 times line 6 and divide by 100.	\$3,912,860
8. M&O Tax Increase (Decrease). Subtract line 4 from line 7.	\$628,999
Comparison of Total Tax Rates	
9. No-New-Revenue Total Tax Rate.	\$0.776189
10. This year's proposed total tax rate.	\$0.863700
11. This year's rate minus NNR rate. Subtract line 9 from line 10.	\$0.087511
12. Percentage change in total tax rate. Divide Line 11 by line 9.	11.27%
Comparison of M&O Tax Rates	
13. No-New-Revenue M&O Tax Rate.	\$0.666060
14. This year's proposed M&O tax rate.	\$0.666900
15. This year's rate minus NNR M&O rate. Subtract line 13 from line 14.	\$0.000840
16. Percentage increase/decrease. Divide line 15 by line 13.	0.13%
Raised M&O Taxes on a \$100,000 Home	
17. This year's taxable value on a \$100,000 home.	\$100,000
18. Last year's M&O tax rate.	\$0.669200
19. This year's proposed M&O tax rate.	\$0.666900
20. This year's raised M&O taxes. Subtract line 18 from line 19 and multiply result by line 17.	\$-2.30
21. Percentage increase/decrease. Divide line 20 by line 18.	-0.34%

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

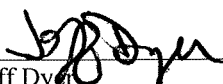
DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of TASB Policy Update 123
(Item 8)

Enclosed in your packet you will find our TASB Local Policy overview.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees add, revise, or delete (local) policies as recommended by TASB Policy Services and according to the Instruction Sheet for TASB Policy Manual Update 123.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

Explanatory Notes

TASB Localized Policy Manual Update 123

Iola ISD

ATTN(NOTE)

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THIS UPDATE

Please note:

Unless otherwise noted, references to legislative bills throughout these explanatory notes refer to Senate Bills (SB) or House Bills (HB) from the 88th Legislature, regular and special sessions. All referenced bills have already gone into effect unless otherwise noted.

The Local Policy Overview for Update 123, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online® (TASB login required), provides a general, high-level overview of the changes to the local policies included in the update. **Legal policies provide the legal framework for key areas of district operations and are not adopted by the board.**

AIB(LEGAL)

ACCOUNTABILITY: PERFORMANCE REPORTING

The Results Driven Accountability (RDA) section of the policy has been deleted. TEA included RDA information in the Accountability Manual starting in 2023 and repealed the RDA information in the Administrative Code. This change aims to streamline information used in academic accountability and RDA systems.

AIC(LEGAL)

ACCOUNTABILITY: INTERVENTIONS AND SANCTIONS

A citation to the Administrative Code has been included under Student Enrollment and Assignment, Enrollment Provision in Contract, regarding campuses that are closed and repurposed.

As 19 TAC 97.2005 has been repealed, the reference to Results Driven Accountability has been deleted from the section on Special Program Performance Determination.

AIE(LEGAL)

ACCOUNTABILITY: INVESTIGATIONS

The word "accreditation" has been removed as a descriptor for investigations in two places within the policy after an amendment to the Administrative Code, effective January 17, 2024.

BBA(LEGAL)

BOARD MEMBERS: ELIGIBILITY/QUALIFICATIONS

At Intent to Return, language from the Election Code has been included to minimize confusion regarding the specific requirements for establishing an intent to return to the individual's residence after a temporary absence.

BBBB(LEGAL)

ELECTIONS: POST-ELECTION PROCEDURES

HB 5180 added new requirements for public inspection of election records. A reference has been added at Election Records regarding where to find information on public inspection of those records for districts who serve as custodians of their own election records.

BBD(LOCAL)

BOARD MEMBERS: TRAINING AND ORIENTATION

HB 3033 authorizes the attorney general to require trustees to complete training on the Public Information Act if the attorney general finds that there has been a violation of the Act. Language is recommended to make clear that this training after a violation cannot be delegated to the district's Public Information Act coordinator.

BBFA(LOCAL)

ETHICS: CONFLICT OF INTEREST DISCLOSURES

Language is recommended to clarify that a trustee's ethical duty to disclose a financial or other personal interest in board transactions goes beyond the statutory conflicts of interest set out in state and federal law. The added language serves to demonstrate a commitment to avoid undue influence, increase transparency, and avoid the appearance of impropriety in public dealings.

Explanatory Notes

TASB Localized Policy Manual Update 123

Iola ISD

CCG(LEGAL) LOCAL REVENUE SOURCES: AD VALOREM TAXES

HB 3273, effective January 1, 2024, revised the Tax Code and requires a taxing unit, including a school district, to provide specific notice to property owners on its website. These provisions have been included in the Appraisal District Property Tax Database section of the policy.

CCGA(LEGAL) AD VALOREM TAXES: EXEMPTIONS AND PAYMENTS

This policy has been updated to indicate that a board that adopted an exemption for the 2022 tax year may not reduce the amount or repeal that exemption based on SB 2 from the second special session of the 88th Legislature. [See Homestead, Local Options.]

HB 4559, from the 88th regular session, increased the population range for certain districts to provide that the split payment option does not apply to the district's taxes collected by another taxing unit that has adopted that option. [See Split Payments, In Certain Counties.]

CCGB(LEGAL) AD VALOREM TAXES: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

HB 4559 increased the population threshold for determining a large municipality for provisions related to the appointment of reinvestment zone board members. [See Tax Increment Financing Act, Large Municipality.]

Substantial changes have also been made based on HB 5 to incorporate the Texas Jobs, Energy, Technology, and Innovation Act.

CCGB(LOCAL) AD VALOREM TAXES: ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT

Substantial changes are recommended to remove provisions addressing expired laws related to Tax Code Chapter 313 agreements. If your district consulted with legal counsel to revise this policy, we recommend discussing the proposed revisions with them. If the district's agreements have expired completely, please contact your policy consultant for additional revisions.

CKB(LEGAL) SAFETY PROGRAM/RISK MANAGEMENT: ACCIDENT PREVENTION AND REPORTS

TEA's amendments to the Administrative Code rules for mandatory school drills necessitated reorganization of definitions and added clarity to several sections of the policy. Changes in this policy also reflect TEA's amendments to the Administrative Code rules related to active threat exercises.

CKC(LOCAL) SAFETY PROGRAM/RISK MANAGEMENT: EMERGENCY PLANS

A section on Notice Regarding Violent Activity is recommended to comply with legal requirements. Administrative procedures must be created to align with TEA's model standards.

CKE(LOCAL) SAFETY PROGRAM/RISK MANAGEMENT: SECURITY PERSONNEL

To address in one policy all security arrangements a district may have implemented, we have added CKE(LOCAL) and moved the relevant provisions from CKEC(LOCAL) to this code.

Significant revisions are recommended to the CKE policy series to promote compliance and clarification with HB 3 and other legal requirements.

Provisions relating to school resource officers have been edited to clarify that a district may have agreements with multiple law enforcement agencies depending on district needs and jurisdiction. A statement regarding the jurisdiction of school resource officers has been added. The policy also now includes a list of authority and duties as reflected in the controlling memorandum of understanding.

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Based on the district's security survey responses, provisions regarding individuals authorized to possess firearms have been included in this policy.

The Legal Issues in Update 123 memo, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online (TASB login required), describes common legal concerns and best practices specific to this policy's topic.

CKEC(LOCAL) SECURITY PERSONNEL: SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS

To address in one policy all security arrangements the district has implemented, we have deleted this policy and moved the provisions to CKE(LOCAL).

CKED(LEGAL) SECURITY PERSONNEL: OTHER SECURITY ARRANGEMENTS

The provisions of this policy address commissioned security officers with Level III training under the Department of Public Safety hired through a security services contractor or as a district employee in accordance with the Education Code and the Occupations Code.

CMD(LEGAL) EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLIES MANAGEMENT: INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS CARE AND ACCOUNTING

Cross-references throughout this policy have been updated to EFA since policy EF has been separated into EFA (instructional materials) and EFB (library materials).

CPC(LEGAL) OFFICE MANAGEMENT: RECORDS MANAGEMENT

Edits to this policy at Destruction of Records remove a reference to 13 TAC 7.123(c), which was deleted from Texas State Library and Archives Commission rules, effective March 6, 2024.

CQA(LEGAL) TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES: DISTRICT, CAMPUS, AND CLASSROOM WEBSITES

HB 3273, effective January 1, 2024, requires school districts to post a notice informing property owners of the property tax database maintained by the appraisal district. Language has been added at item 28 under the section on Other Required Internet Postings.

CQC(LEGAL) TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES: EQUIPMENT

A section on Guidelines for Use of Digital Devices has been added to address the TEA and Health and Human Services Commission model health and safety guidelines for the use of digital devices, which are required by the Education Code and were issued in October 2023.

CQC(LOCAL) TECHNOLOGY RESOURCES: EQUIPMENT

This new local policy is recommended to meet the legal requirement for the board to adopt a policy for the effective integration of digital devices in the district. The policy language adopts the model health and safety guidelines developed by TEA and the Health and Human Services Commission and clarifies that the superintendent must develop regulations for implementation.

DGBA(LOCAL) PERSONNEL-MANAGEMENT RELATIONS: EMPLOYEE COMPLAINTS/GRIEVANCES

Extensive revisions within the CKE policy series necessitated an update to the cross-reference in the list of other complaint processes.

Also, to accommodate planned restructuring of policy DIA, we have revised the references to that code in this policy to reflect the DIA series. No other changes have been made to this policy.

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The Legal Issues in Update 123 memo, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online (TASB login required), describes common legal concerns and best practices specific to this policy's topic.

DHE(LEGAL) EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT: SEARCHES AND ALCOHOL/DRUG TESTING

New Department of Transportation rules amend the department's regulated industry drug testing program. The language in the Reports to DPS section has been amended for clarity.

DNA(LEGAL) PERFORMANCE APPRAISAL: EVALUATION OF TEACHERS

Amendments to the Administrative Code allow districts to begin using the Alternate Domain I rubric as part of the Texas Teacher Evaluation and Support System (T-TESS) beginning with the 2024-25 school year. Language has been updated to reflect this change.

DP(LEGAL) PERSONNEL POSITIONS

The section on School Psychological Services has been amended to provide additional clarity and to set out the correct title for licensed specialists in school psychology (LSSPs) as indicated in the Administrative Code.

EEH(LOCAL) INSTRUCTIONAL ARRANGEMENTS: HOMEBOUND INSTRUCTION

TEA's revisions to the *Student Attendance Accounting Handbook (SAAH)* prompted recommended updates to this policy. Students may now receive homebound services for psychological, as well as medical, conditions. The *SAAH* also indicates that the weeks of confinement due to a medical or psychological condition do not need to be consecutive to qualify. The policy language has been updated to reflect this change.

EF(LEGAL) INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES

In order to clarify the differences in requirements for instructional materials and library materials, as well as to accommodate the new library collection development standards, policy EF has been divided into EFA (instructional material) and EFB (library material). The content in EF(LEGAL) has moved to either EFA or EFB, as appropriate.

EF(LOCAL) INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES

As explained at EF(LEGAL), above, this local policy addressing instructional resources is being deleted. New local policies to address instructional materials and library materials separately are included at EFA and EFB.

EFA(LEGAL) INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES: INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

Content regarding instructional material review and federally required parental inspection has been moved from EF(LEGAL) to EFA(LEGAL).

EFA(LOCAL) INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES: INSTRUCTIONAL MATERIALS

The enclosed policy regarding instructional materials is recommended to coordinate with the policy addressing library materials at EFB(LOCAL). The provisions previously housed at EF(LOCAL) have been moved to this code with the following revisions:

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- At Selection, a clarification has been made to reflect that instructional materials must be chosen in accordance with stated objectives and administrative regulations and may include items from the State Board of Education list.
- At Reconsideration of Instructional Materials, the list of individuals who can submit a request for reconsideration has been revised. This change is recommended to align with the list provided in the new EFB(LOCAL), which permits an employee or parent or guardian to submit these requests. If the district would like to expand this list, please contact your policy consultant.

Please review the information at Formal Reconsideration, which specifies who will receive forms requesting the reconsideration of instructional material and who will appoint a reconsideration committee. If the policy needs to identify a different position for these responsibilities, please contact your policy consultant for assistance with revisions.

The Legal Issues in Update 123 memo, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online (TASB login required), describes common legal concerns and best practices specific to this policy's topic.

EFB(LEGAL)

INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES: LIBRARY MATERIALS

EFB(LEGAL) has been revised to incorporate new library collection development standards adopted by the Texas State Library and Archives Commission (TSLAC), effective January 23, 2024. The policy includes a note regarding the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals enjoinder and the resulting unenforceability of certain statutes related to library material. The TSLAC Library Collection Development Standards are not currently enjoined by the Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

EFB(LOCAL)

INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES: LIBRARY MATERIALS

This recommended policy aligns with changes to the Administrative Code and the new collection development standards for school libraries as a result of HB 900. Please review the following information in your policy:

- The location of the form for formal reconsideration;
- The position title for the person responsible for appointing the reconsideration committee; and
- The number of days allocated for appointing the committee, providing the material for review to the committee, and completing the committee's final report.

If any information needs to be updated or if further revisions to the policy are needed, please contact your policy consultant for assistance.

EHBA(LEGAL)

SPECIAL EDUCATION: IDENTIFICATION, EVALUATION, AND ELIGIBILITY

A cross-reference to policy EHB has been included for additional requirements relating to the evaluation and identification process when dyslexia is a suspected disability. [See Determination of Initial Eligibility.]

EHBA(LEGAL)

SPECIAL EDUCATION: ARD COMMITTEE AND INDIVIDUALIZED EDUCATION PROGRAM

The section on Supplemental Special Education Services (SSES) has been revised to reflect amended Administrative Code rules, effective April 18, 2023. The district is required to notify parents of SSES eligibility and related information during an ARD committee meeting.

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A provision regarding an IEP supplement for each child who was enrolled in a district's special education program during the 2019-20 school year or the 2020-21 school year has been removed. That requirement expired on September 1, 2023.

EHBE(LEGAL) SPECIAL PROGRAMS: BILINGUAL EDUCATION/ESL

Extensive revisions have been made throughout this policy to reflect amended rules relating to emergent bilingual students.

EHB(LEGAL) SPECIAL PROGRAMS: INNOVATIVE AND MAGNET PROGRAMS

Changes to this policy stem from amended Administrative Code provisions relating to innovative courses. The amended rules became effective February 18, 2024.

EKB(LEGAL) TESTING PROGRAMS: STATE ASSESSMENT

Revisions have been made to remove language that does not require district action to aid in readability and clarity. Citations have also been updated based on rule changes.

FA(LEGAL) PARENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES

The cross-reference at Parental Rights relating to teaching materials has been updated to reflect the division of policy EF into EFA and EFB.

FFAC(LEGAL) WELLNESS AND HEALTH SERVICES: MEDICAL TREATMENT

A section on Telehealth in Medicaid Covered Services has been added to provide guidance from Administrative Code rules specific to telehealth services authorized as Texas Medicaid covered services.

The section on opioid antagonists has been updated to reflect new rules effective November 1, 2023.

Changes have also been made to the section on epinephrine auto-injectors to reflect amended Administrative Code rules.

Citations throughout have been updated based on rule amendments.

FNG(LOCAL) STUDENT RIGHTS AND RESPONSIBILITIES: STUDENT AND PARENT COMPLAINTS/GRIEVANCES

Extensive revisions within the CKE policy series necessitated an update to the cross-reference in the list of other complaint processes.

Also, to accommodate planned restructuring of policy FFH, we have revised the references to that code in this policy to reflect the FFH series. No other changes have been made to this policy.

The Legal Issues in Update 123 memo, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online (TASB login required), describes common legal concerns and best practices specific to this policy's topic.

GBA(LEGAL) PUBLIC INFORMATION PROGRAM: ACCESS TO PUBLIC INFORMATION

A cross-reference regarding economic development negotiations under Government Code Chapter 403 has been added.

GF(LEGAL) PUBLIC COMPLAINTS

The division of policy EF into EFA and EFB necessitated an update to the cross-reference in this policy.

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GF(LOCAL)

PUBLIC COMPLAINTS

Extensive revisions within the CKE policy series necessitated an update to the cross-reference in the list of other complaint processes. No other changes have been made to this policy.

The Legal Issues in Update 123 memo, available with your Update 123 materials under Local Manual Updates on Policy Online (TASB login required), describes common legal concerns and best practices specific to this policy's topic.

GKA(LEGAL)

COMMUNITY RELATIONS: CONDUCT ON SCHOOL PREMISES

Amendments to the Code of Federal Regulations necessitated changes to the section regarding operation of a small unmanned aircraft system.

GRA(LEGAL)

RELATIONS WITH GOVERNMENTAL ENTITIES: STATE AND LOCAL GOVERNMENTAL AUTHORITIES

The Definitions section has been revised to reflect amended Administrative Code rules that include school resource officers and contracted police officers in the definition of "school personnel and volunteers."

Language has been added at Notice to School Personnel to provide direction if the superintendent is the individual alleged to have committed child abuse or neglect.

The Students Taken into Custody section has been updated to incorporate appropriate legal citations and improve clarity.

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

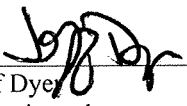
DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of the Grimes County Extension Office Resolution and Adjunct Faculty Agreement (Item 9)

The 4-H members of Grimes County respectfully request that the 4-H organization be sanctioned as an extracurricular activity. The resolutions are enclosed for your review.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the Grimes County Extension Resolution and Adjunct Faculty Agreement

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS REQUEST

SAMPLE LETTER: Request for Extracurricular Status For 4-H

ANYWHERE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE**TEXAS A&M
AGRI LIFE
EXTENSION**

July 1, 2024

Jeff Dyer
Iola ISD
7282 Fort Worth Street
Iola, TX. 77861

Dear,

On behalf of the 4-H members of Iola County, I/we hereby respectfully request that the 4-H organization, by the attached resolution, be sanctioned as an extracurricular activity. We request the enclosed RESOLUTION be presented for consideration at the next scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of the (name of school district). I/we further request that questions regarding this RESOLUTION be directed to me/us in a timely manner so that I/we may prepare and present an appropriate response so as not to delay action on this request.

Finally, I/we request that a signed copy of this RESOLUTION, along with a copy of the minutes of the Board meeting, be forwarded to me/us for my/our files.

Thank you and members of the Board of Trustees for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Kyla Moeller

CEA-Ag/NR

Attachment: Resolution for Extracurricular Status of 4-H Organization

Grimes County Extension Office
203 Veterans Memorial
Navasota, Texas 77868

<http://texas4-h.tamu.edu> | Tel. 936.873.3907 | Fax. 936.825.0539

EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS REQUEST

SAMPLE RESOLUTION: Resolution Requesting Extracurricular Status For 4-H

RESOLUTION**EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS OF 4-H ORGANIZATION**

Be it hereby resolved that upon this date, the duly elected Board of Trustees of the

Iola Independent School District

meeting in public with a quorum present and certified,
did adopt this resolution that recognizes the

Grimes

County Texas 4-H Organization as approved for recognition and eligible
for extracurricular status consideration under 19 Texas Administrative Code,
Chapter 76.1, pertaining to extracurricular activities.

Participation by 4-H members under the provisions of this resolution are
subject to all rules and regulations set forth under the 19 Texas
Administrative Code as interpreted by this Board and designated officials of
this school district.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension
will request academic eligibility for all 4-H competitive activities,
regardless of a school absence is or is not required, and
for non-competitive purposes when an absence is required.

Approved this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Board of Trustee

Superintendent

ADJUNCT FACULTY REQUEST

SAMPLE LETTER: Cover Letter Requesting Adjunct Faculty Status

ANYWHERE COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

TEXAS A&M
AGRI LIFE
EXTENSION

July 1, 2024

Jeff Dyer
Iola ISD
7282 Fort Worth Street
Iola, TX. 77861

Dear,

On behalf of the _____ Grimes _____ County Extension Staff, I/we hereby respectfully request approval of the attached Adjunct Faculty Agreement with the _____ Iola _____ Independent School District.

The State Board of Education passed an amendment to 19 TAC§129.21 (j). Requirements for Student Attendance Accounting for State Funding Purposes allows public school students to be considered "in attendance" when participating in off-campus activities with an adjunct staff member of the school district. Section 3 of the Student Attendance Handbook states:

(1) The student is participating in an activity that is approved by the local board of school trustees and is under the direction of a member of the professional or paraprofessional staff of the school district, or an adjunct staff member who:

- (A) has a minimum of a bachelor's degree; and*
- (B) is eligible for participation in the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.*

_____ Grimes _____ County requests the agents listed on the enclosed Adjunct Faculty Agreement be awarded adjunct staff member status for the period of time indicated on the agreement.

I hope _____ Iola _____ Independent School District will accept this request. Please let me know if you would like to schedule an appointment to discuss the amendment and request or if you need further information.

Thank you and members of the Board of Trustees for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,



Kyla Moeller
CEA-Ag/NR

Attachment: Resolution for Extracurricular Status of 4-H Organization

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203 Veterans Memorial
Navasota, Texas 77868

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ADJUNCT FACULTY REQUEST

SAMPLE TEMPLATE: Adjunct Faculty Agreement

THE STATE OF TEXASCOUNTY OF Grimes

On this date, at a regularly scheduled and posted meeting, came the Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District, hereinafter referred to as "District." A quorum having been established; the Board proceeded to consider the appointment of the herein named individual(s) as an adjunct member of the Iola Independent School District.

Upon consideration and vote of _____ in favor, _____ is hereby named as adjunct faculty member(s) of the _____ Independent School District subject to the following considerations and provisions of such appointment to wit:

1. This appointment shall commence on the _____ day of _____, 20____ and remain in effect until the _____ day of _____, 20____.

2. This appointment will include the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service employees listed below:

NAME	TITLE	DEGREE	INSTITUTION	DATE
Kyla Moeller	CEA-Ag/NR	Masters	West Texas A&M University	07/2024
Carla Hayes	CEP/FCH	Masters	Prairie View	08/2012
Andrea Ryan	CEA-FCH/4-H	Bachelors	The Art Institute of Houston	06/2013

3. Adjunct faculty member(s) will receive no compensation, salary, or remuneration Iola Independent School District.
4. Adjunct faculty member(s) is and shall remain an employee, in good standing, of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service.
5. Adjunct faculty member(s) is and shall remain under the direct supervision of either the District Extension Administrator of District 9 or Grimes County Extension Director.
6. Adjunct faculty member(s) shall receive all group insurance benefits, workman's compensation insurance benefits, unemployment insurance, and any and all other plans for the benefit of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service employees. The district shall have no responsibility for any of such benefits or plans.

Adjunct faculty member(s) shall direct the activities and participation of students of the school district in sponsored and approved activities as designated from time to time by adjunct faculty members for which notice shall be given to School District administrative personnel. Adjunct faculty members' activities and participation with students of the School District are directed, supervised, and controlled by and through supervisory personnel of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service pursuant to the supervisory authority of the District Extension Administrator or County Extension Director. Adjunct faculty member(s) is not the employee of the School District, and School District does not nor shall not supervise, direct or control the activities and/or participation of such Grimes County Extension Agent(s) who have/has been herein designated as an adjunct faculty member.

This appointment is made by the Independent School District by and through the Board of Trustees of said district for the benefit of allowing voluntary student participation in programs conducted by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in recognition of the educational benefits arising from such participation and activities and/or directed by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service. This appointment is made in accordance with the provisions of Section 129.21 (j)(1) of the Texas Administrative Code authorizing the school to deem such participating students in attendance for foundation school program purposes.

This appointment of the herein named Grimes County Extension Agent(s), Kyla Moeller, Carla Hayes, Anrea Ryan is/are not intended nor shall be construed as a waiver of any claim or defense of sovereign or governmental immunity from liability now possessed by lola Independent School District or any of its employees, agents, officers, and/or board members in the performance of governmental functions.

Signed this _____ day of _____, 2024.

_____ lola Independent School District

By: _____

ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY PROCESS

Procedures For Securing Academic Eligibility Information And Excused Absences For 4-H Members To Participate In 4-H Event Or

This procedure applies to ALL 4-H events or activities (competitive or non-competitive) and all 4-H members in public, private, and/or home school that requires a 4-H member to be absent from school. For instance, if a 4-H member is a member of a state planning task force and needs to miss a day of school to participate, the 4-H member would have to be eligible according to the Texas Education Code to be excused from school.

There are two ways a County Extension Office can request academic eligibility for 4-H members. One is on an individual basis using the Declaration of Eligibility Form (Attachment B) for times when only one or two 4-H members may be needing an absence. The second option is for times when a large number of youth may be needing an excused absence, such as a county or major stock show. The steps below outline how the county office needs to proceed with each of the processes.

BEGINNING OF THE SCHOOL YEAR	
August/September	County Extension Agents should meet with school officials to <u>determine the steps</u> the agent needs to take to assist 4-H members in obtaining excused absences to participate in 4-H events and to determine eligibility of 4-H members for competitive events.
30 DAYS PRIOR TO ANY 4-H EVENT/ACTIVITY NEEDING ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY CHECKED	
Declaring academic eligibility for small number of 4-H members	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Ensure that all members needing an excused absence are ACTIVE 4-H members. 2. Complete the County Agent section of the Declaration of Eligibility Form. Provide the form to either the 4-H member and request they submit to the school for completion, or have the 4-H parent/guardian complete the first section, return back to the County Extension Office and then submit as a group to the respective school campuses. 4-H member then returns completed form back to the County Extension Office within the timeframe given by the office.
Declaring academic eligibility for large number of 4-H members	<p>Extension agents should prepare a document on official letterhead which includes the items listed below and submit to each school/campus requesting eligibility status for each 4-H member.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Name of 4-H member(s) involved b. School they attend c. Current grade level in school d. Dates of proposed absence(s) e. Name of event f. Educational value g. Chaperone <p>List is returned back to County Extension Office by school/campus.</p>
RESPONSE FROM SCHOOL ON DECLARATION OF ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY	
Eligible	The school should respond to CEA if there are any students who are academically eligible. County Extension Office should follow up with the school/campus if no response is received.
Ineligible	If a 4-H member is academically ineligible for a 4-H competitive event, the agent must notify the 4-H member, their parents and the sponsoring agency, by letter, of this situation. If the parent has any questions, they should be referred to the school administrator for the family and school to resolve eligibility issues.

If county Extension faculty and schools develop and agree on procedures they deem more efficient and effective and still ensures 4-H's compliance with the Texas Education Code requirements, they should inform their District Extension Administrator/County Extension Director of the plan to be followed.

DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM INSTRUCTIONS

4-H'ers should complete a separate form for each competitive event/activity in which they plan to participate. The original form should be returned to the county Extension office by the deadline established by the County Extension Office.

NOTE: Schools requiring a copy of this form should make their copy before returning it to the student.

Parent/Guardian Section

1. Parent/Guardian will select the information being requested. It is either:
 - Academic eligibility information only. (Used to verify academic eligibility only for 4-H competitive events/activities.), or
 - Academic eligibility information and authorization to receive an excused absence from school. (Used to verify academic eligibility as well as receive authorization to receive an excused absence. This would be used for events held during school hours such as stock shows, state and national 4-H contests and events, etc.)
2. Complete the date and name of activity. (Used to notify school officials of exact dates/times a student would be participating in a 4-H activity or representing 4-H at an event.)
3. Parent/Guardian signature is required. The signature of the parent/guardian confirms that this person is aware of the academic eligibility and excused absence requirements of the Texas Education Code.

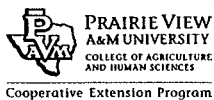
County Extension Agent Section

1. Extension Office will complete this section and certify the youth is a 4-H member and his/her participation in the event.
2. County Extension Agent (with adjunct faculty status) will sign the form.

School Principal/Designee Section

1. Principal, or designee, will indicate the 4-H members eligibility status, options are:
 - Academically eligible to participate
 - Not academically eligible to participate
2. The principal or designee will indicate whether or not an excused absence will be granted.
3. Principal, or designee, will sign and date the form in order to be valid.

4-H family should follow instructions provided by the
County Extension Office on returning form to the
Extension Office by the given deadline.



Texas 4-H Youth Development Program

DECLARATION OF ELIGIBILITY FORM

This form is requested in accordance with the requirements of the Texas Education Code and in cooperation with the Texas Education Agency and local school board policies.

Instructions: Complete one form per activity. 4-H member should return original form to the County Extension Office

PARENT/GUARDIAN SECTION

In accordance with 4-H policy, provided by our local Extension office, I respectfully request:

(CHECK ONE)

- ☐ Academic eligibility information only.
- ☐ Academic eligibility information and authorization to receive an excused absence from school.

Date of Activity: _____ Name of Activity: _____

Signature of Parent/Guardian: _____

COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT SECTION

I hereby certify that _____ is a member of 4-H in _____ County and is scheduled to participate in this activity representing 4-H. He/she will be under the supervision of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service faculty or agency's designated volunteer leader.

Date

Signature of County Extension Agent

SCHOOL PRINCIPAL OR DESIGNEE**ACADEMIC ELIGIBILITY (CHECK ONE)**

- ☐ I do certify that the student is academically eligible to participate in the above mentioned activity.
- ☐ I do not certify the student because he/she is **NOT** academically eligible to participate in the above mentioned activity.

EXCUSED ABSENCE (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ An excused absence will be granted.
- ☐ An excused absence will **NOT** be granted.
- ☐ Does not apply.

EDUCATIONAL STATUS (CHECK ONE)

- ☐ Face-to-Face (on campus)
- ☐ Virtual Option
- ☐ Homeschooled

Date

Signature of Principal or Designee

Name of School

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

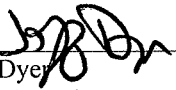
MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees
FROM: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent
DATE: August 28, 2024
SUBJECT: Consideration of Board Resolution for Interlocal Agreement for DEAP with Madisonville
CISD (Item 10)

Enclosed you will find the information concerning the Resolution for Interlocal Agreement for DEAP with Madisonville CISD.

It is recommended the Board of Trustees approve the Board Resolution for Interlocal Agreement for DEAP with Madisonville CISD.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent

BOARD RESOLUTION FOR INTERLOCAL AGREEMENT

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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THE COUNTY OF MADISON

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**RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING JOINT AGREEMENT FOR DISCIPLINARY ALTERNATIVE
EDUCATION PROGRAM (DAEP)**

WHEREAS, the Madisonville Consolidated Independent School District (MCISD) agrees to accept Iola Independent School District (IISD) students in the MCISD DAEP for the 2024-2025 school year;

WHEREAS, the contracted amount for up to 3 Iola students will be \$100.00 per day per student, if 4 or more students are assigned, the superintendents from each district have the authority to negotiate additional costs and sever this agreement at any time.

WHEREAS, the IISD students assigned by IISD to MCISD DAEP must be accepted by and follow MCISD DAEP rules and procedures while in attendance at MCISD DAEP.

IT IS THEREFORE, HEREBY RESOLVED, that the Board of Trustees of the Madisonville Consolidated Independent School District and Iola Independent School District do hereby authorize and approve the Joint Agreement,

BE IT SO ORDERED.

Adopted this 5 day of August, 2024.

MADISONVILLE CONSOLIDATED INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: 
Dale Hurst, Board Vice-President

ATTEST:

Zingara Manning, Board Secretary

Adopted this ____ day of _____, 2024.

IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

By: _____
Board President

ATTEST:

Board Secretary

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

DATE: August 28, 2024

SUBJECT: Consideration of student handbook changes for the 2024-2025 school year
(Item 11)

Enclosed you will find the proposed updates to the Iola ISD student handbook.

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees approve the Iola ISD student handbook.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Interim Superintendent

Addition to Handbook regarding Open Campus.

We are having problems with parents checking students out before or after lunch so they can extend their lunch period. Please add the highlighted text.

CLOSED CAMPUS

Once students arrive on campus they are to remain until school is formally dismissed or they have checked out of school through the office with verbal confirmation by the parent/guardian.

All students, regardless of their age, must have verbal parental permission to check out of school. All student vehicles are to be parked on campus in designated parking areas, and students may not take their vehicles off campus during break or lunch.

Open-Campus for Lunch: *Seniors only*

12th grade students will be allowed to leave campus for lunch without requiring a parent to sign them out.

Requirements:

- Only 12th grade students are allowed to leave campus for lunch.
- 12th grade students are allowed to leave only during their scheduled lunch period.
- 12th grade students who are not currently in ISS, DAEP, or lunch detention will be allowed to leave campus for lunch.
- 12th grade students must return to campus in time for their 6th period class. The tardy policy will continue to be in effect.
- 12th grade students who do not return to campus from open lunch, will be considered skipping school, and those consequences will also continue to be in effect.
- 12th grade students will not be allowed to check out before or after lunch in order to extend their lunch period unless they are leaving for the remainder of the day, or if they have a medical appointment. If leaving for a medical appointment, a doctor's/dentist's excuse must be submitted to the HIS office when the student returns to school.

Open-campus is a privilege extended to our seniors, and will be mainly based on students following the rules; that includes being respectful and responsible when visiting local eating establishments. Iola ISD can discontinue open-campus if problems arise.

**IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
IOLA, TEXAS**

MEMORANDUM

TO: Iola ISD Board of Trustees

From: Jeff Dyer, Superintendent

DATE: August 28, 2024

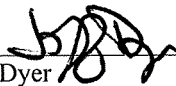
SUBJECT: Personnel (Item 12)

a. employment:

b. resignation:

Any employment or resignations will be presented at board meeting if needed.

Respectfully submitted,



Jeff Dyer
Superintendent