

## **STISD SHAC MEETING**

**March 6,2025**

**South Texas ISD Administration Building**

### **Minutes**

#### **Welcome and Introductions**

The meeting was called to order by Amy Pena at 5:29pm.

Attending: Angela Aceves, Araceli Pina, Alicia Rios, Armando Salinas, Ricardo Aguirre, Veronica Pisharodi, Hanani Vasquez and Amy Pena.

#### **Approval of Minutes from Previous Meeting**

Motion to approve minutes by Armando Salinas second motion by Araceli Pina.  
Motion passed unanimously.

#### **Reports**

None

#### **Presentation of parent Protect Platform**

Amy Pena announced Protech representative will be joining the meeting via virtual to present the technology to better assist parents navigate technology. For example: What is Tiktok or Roblock? Information on bullying. Counselors have used this platform to create presentations.

Joshua Adams Chief Creative Officer from Protech introduced himself and announced the partnership with South Texas ISD. Students are spending much time on social media. It's a lot and it can be overwhelming. The partnership aims to empower families, students, and educators with the tools and knowledge to safely navigate technology. He explained that many families and educators are

asking “Where do I begin?” The Protech solution is to answer the “How-to” on platforms, trends, and safety settings for families and educators. Having available student curriculum on digital citizenships, newsletters tracking key tech updates, and professional development opportunities. Joshua showed the committee the Home section where parents can see videos, and resources on all the tech kids are using today. For the classroom section, he went over the K-12 curriculum which contained lesson plans and videos. Joshua asked if there were any questions.

Angela Aceves asked” if Protech was available for parents and/or teachers? Are there guidelines for teachers?

Mr. Adams answered teachers guide to curriculum called scope and sequence. He went over a 4<sup>th</sup> grade lesson on the standard alignment and the different curriculum available to educators.

Ricardo Aguirre asked “Do kids have access? “

Amy Pena answered No, available only to parents and teachers/ staff. Teachers can get lessons and then use for the classroom. Counselors have used it for social and emotional presentations this year.

Araceli Pina asked when did this come out?

Amy Pena answered the beginning of this year through marketing and social media. Our campus wants to incorporate it into our newsletter.

### **Meeting Adjourned**

6:00 pm Ricardo Aguirre motioned to adjourn the meeting. Armando Salinas second the motion. Motion passed unanimously.