SANTA MARIA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL HEALTH ADVISORY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
March 27th, 2026
10:00 a.m.
(05/08/2026)

I. CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order by Elizabeth Stenhouse at 10:09 a.m.

II. **ROLL CALL & ESTABLISH QUORUM**

Present:
Vega, Ana Maria, Family Engagement Specialist
Yanez, Soraida, NGS Clerk/Attendance TGE
Trejo, Javier, Technology Coordinator
Martinez, Ida, HS Counselor
Flores, Yadira, HS Principal
Stenhouse, Elizabeth, HR

Absent:
Aguirre, Lidia, Parent
Benavides, Sabrina Eden, MS ACE Site Coordinator
Camacho, Dr. Jacob, Elementary Principal
Cardenas, Karla, Parent
Cipriano, Juan, Athletic Director
Cortez, Dr. Yadira, MS Principal
Garcia, Maria Ludivina, TGE Teacher
Garza, Elizabeth, Director of Child Nutrition
Gonzalez, Katherine, Registered Nurse
Najar, Amanda Lopez, Business Manager
Perez, Lucia, Parent
Ramirez, Mariela, HS ACE Site Coordinator
Saldivar, Rene, Chief of Police
Sanchez, Reymundo, Director of Operations
Villarrea, Dr. Joseph R., Superintendent of Schools
Zavala, Delia, TGE ACE Site Supervisor

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

IV. The Pledge of Allegiance and Texas was presented by Elizabeth Stenhouse

V. **PUBLIC COMMENT**

(*Citizens are offered an opportunity to address the Committee without prior approval. Comments shall be informative only. No dialogue/discussion between community member commenting and Committee members.*) ***None***

VI. **CONSENT ITEMS**

1. Approval of February 6th, 2026 Meeting Minutes
   Motion was made by Ana Vega, and seconded by Javier Trejo

VII. **ACTION ITEMS**

VIII. **INFORMATION ITEMS**

1. Presentation by Ms. Ana Vega (Family Engagement Specialist) on UTRGV School of Nursing
   Information presented by Ana Vega
2. Dental Hygiene – Kindergarten & 1st Grade Students scheduled for May 2026
   Information presented by Elizabeth Stenhouse
3. Saturday, April 25, 2026 – 3rd Annual Golf Tournament
   Information presented by Elizabeth Stenhouse
4. Physical Fitness Assessment, Fitness Gram due June 12, 2026
5. ***Information presented by Javier Trejo***
6. Upcoming Events
   a. Friday, April 3rd and Monday, April 6th, 2026 – No School
   b. STAAR/EOC Benchmark Testing 3-8 Reading/English 1 & 2 (April 7th – April 17th)
   c. STAAR/EOC Benchmark Testing 5-8 Science/Soc. Studies Biology & US History (April 14th – April 24th)

   Information presented by Elizabeth Stenhouse

IX. CLOSED SESSION

Pursuant to Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code, including but not limited to 551.071; 551.073; 551.074; 551.075; 551.076; 551.082; 551.083

X. OPEN SESSION

1. Reconvene from Closed Session for action(s) relative to item(s) considered during Closed Session

XI. ANNOUNCEMENTS

1. Next meeting date – Friday, May 8th, 2026 @ 10:00 a.m.

XII. ADJOURNMENT

Motion was made by Javier Trejo and seconded by Soraida Yanez. Motion passed unanimously at 10:13 a.m.

FOOTNOTE: *If it is determined that during the course of the meeting that any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the committee may elect to conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E, or Texas Government Code Section 418.138(f). Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section(s) of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting. [See BEC (LEGAL)] The Committee may further elect to take items out of order as deemed necessary by the Presiding Officer*