



PNGISD Safety and Security Meeting Minutes

Wednesday, October 8, 2025 2:00 p.m. Zoom Meeting

Present:

Julie Gauthier	Sarah Brady	Brian Waguespack	Kevin Hussey	Brenda Duhon
Jeff Bergeron	Seth Parker	Chris Robin	Clint Nichols	Reagan Droddy
Allana Dews	Brenda Brevell	Tony Phillips	Mike Hebert	
Tricia Sandell	Mike Ballew	Lance Billeaud	Mark Blum	
		Cheri Giffith	Joe Martin	

Absent: Christy Smith, Nate Sterling, Lance Billeaud, Eloy Vega, Darren Terrell, Brandon Cropper, Jarrett Johnson, Aspen Hebert

Welcome

Julie Gauthier welcomed everyone and thanked them for their participation and serving on the committee for the 2025-26 school year. The committee meets three times a year. Fall, spring and summer.

Review Committee Responsibilities

This committee is made up of one representative from every campus, two school board members, parents and community members. We also have police and fire enforcement from Groves and Port Neches. They help us with what we need to do regarding safety for staff and students withing the PNG school district. Please keep in mind this is a small committee and sometimes we talk about specific issues. The committee is confidential to us.

Weekly Door Sweeps/State Intruder Audit

Julie said weekly door sweeps will continue to be conducted at all campuses throughout the school year. We are still participating in the state intruder audit. Port Neches Primary is the only campus thus far that has been audited. All others will be throughout the school year.

PNGISD EOP Audit

We submitted our EOP to the Texas Safety Center this fall. The State added Active Shooter this year and all has been approved.

House Bill 33 Requirements

The State added breaching tools to be added at all campuses this year. School Marshal Mike Hebert helped with finding and ordering these tools. We have added shields, rams and door breachers at all campuses.

Situational Awareness/Stop the Bleed Future Training

Julie stated we started this training about four years ago. This training is now a requirement. We keep a spreadsheet with names who have completed training. We plan to be 100% compliant by February 17, 2026. We will pick up all new hires every year going forward.

Bond 2025

Julie talked about the Board of Trustees calling for a November bond election. The bond will be for \$75 million without changing the current tax rate of 37 cents. Some of the things the bond would cover are technology upgrades to middle schools and high school. Other items are new transportation center, Student Services Center (old AEC) and a covered area for practices, i.e., sports, band, etc.

Groves PD and FD Updates

Groves PD – There will be an ‘alert and air’ exercise during the summer of 2026 with Groves, Port Neches and Nederland fire and police to cover all of mid-county. This exercise will be the second round of alert, which is the aide part where you do medical and rescue. Groves PD also stated they are working on the issue regarding student drop-offs at the primary and intermediate schools.

Port Neches PD – Cheri Griffith said they had police drills at all Port Neches school this past summer. All went well.

SRO – Clint stated all campuses are continuing to check doors and parking lots. He talked about next week being homecoming and extra busy. Making sure everything is ready and runs well.

Our next meeting will be Wednesday, February 18, 2026, at 2:00 p.m.

Meeting adjourned at 2:20 p.m.

Minutes submitted by: Becky Romero