Liberty Hill Independent School District
District Educational Improvement Committee
October 7, 2026
Agenda
LHISD Central Administration Building - Boardroom
4:30 - 6:00 p.m.

Meeting Agenda w/minutes for October 7, 2026

I. Welcome & Overview -Dr. Heather Stoner - Call to Order 4:31pm

- Table group introductions
    - Share a Good Thing/Celebration and *What is your favorite thing about LHISD*? (all-aligned to Build Champions, family-feel and culture, puts students first, welcoming with so many new people to LH)
- What is DEIC? District Educational Improvement Committee
    - made up of staff, parents, businesses, community members

II. Interim Superintendent Updates - Travis Motal

- Accomplishments throughout district (ex. fine arts, sports, KOTH)
- Student Enrollment (11, 076 to date)
- Demographer Update
    - 3rd fastest growing district, behind Hays and Gtown
    - Fastest growing neighborhood currently Lariat Trails passed SRR this year, 4 new neighborhoods planned along 183 north of 29
    - Growth projections not as high as they used to be, still growing but not as fast as we were growing
- Grow Stronger Together: Honor traditions of the past while celebrating

students and staff today and building a foundation for the future

III. Title Funding - Kimberly De La Houssaye

- Requirements: stakeholder (varied members) agreement, data driven decisions, continuous evaluation
- ESSA Grant, Titles I-IV
    - Title I funds for LHE, BBE campuses
        - Parent and Family Engagement Program Policy
    - Title II Professional Development (preK, HQ math instruction...)
    - Title III Emergent Bilingual program (IC, supplemental materials)
    - Title IV Student Support and Academic Enrichment (Mental Health professional)
- IDEA (SpEd) & Perkins (CTE)
- Feedback from participants, conducted at tables in groups
    - Protocol -review each grant and write down
        - 2 uses of grant funds you would like to see continued
        - What would you like to see funds used for?
        - Recommendations/considerations
        - Suggestions for improvement
        - Thoughts on proposed Parent and Family Engagement Policy
    - Notes turned in when participants left and collected by Kimberly. Feedback will be considered as we review the District Improvement Plan.

IV. District Improvement Plan Review/Dip Reflection - Heather Stoner

- Process continues throughout the year, district and campus levels, evaluated regularly and intentional implementation

- 4 new goals this year just adopted by School Board(also 22 Performance Objectives and 92 Strategies)
    - Champions in Academics (2 groups)
    - Leaders in the Workplace
    - Financial Empowerment
    - Operational Excellence
        - 5 Table Groups reviewed one of the 4 Goals and How to Achieve them
            - Feedback to share included great ideas, questions, share-worthy thoughts about each goal - recorded by each table leader, post-it notes suggestions collected
            - Exit Ticket opportunity to provide additional feedback

V. District of Innovation - Review & Revise

- Review of Current plan
- Motion to Strike TEC 21.057 (Parental Notification) from the Teacher Certification section as it is no longer allowed as a DOI exception.
    - Motion Made by Ashlyn Kubiszyn , 2nd Cassidy Ness, Passed Unanimously
- Motion to Revise the Teacher Appraisal System section to remove provisions related to appraisal frequency and retain the DOI exemption from student growth requirements in the teacher appraisal system.
    - Motion Made by Sandra Skains , 2nd Kristel Holt, Passed Unanimously

VI. Adjournment at 6:02pm by Heather Stoner

Upcoming Meetings:

➔ December 2, 2026

- ➔ March 10, 2027
- ➔ April 7, 2027

We greatly appreciate your willingness to contribute your insights and expertise to help shape the future of our District. Should you have any questions or require further information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

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