

San Antonio Independent School District

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Office of the Superintendent

BOARD WORK SESSION MEETING

Thursday, June 11, 2009 6:00 PM **Travis Early College High** School Cafeteria, 1915 N. Main Street, San Antonio, TX 78212 **BOARD OF EDUCATION** JAMES HOWARD President CARLOS VILLARREAL Vice President THOMAS C. LOPEZ Secretary **OLGA HERNANDEZ** Asst. Secretary Member RUBÉN D. CUERO Member ADELA R. SEGOVIA Member **ED GARZA** Member

DR. ROBERT J. DURÓN Superintendent

Long Range Facilities Strategic Plan Committee Meeting

SAN ANTONIO ISD BOARD WORK SESSION COMMUNITY-BASED LONG RANGE FACILITIES PHASE 3 TASK FORCE Meeting Minutes June 11, 2009

On Thursday, June 11, 2009, the San Antonio Independent School District Board of Trustees held a Board Work Session from 6:00 – 8:30 p.m. to meet with the Community-Based Long Range Facilities Strategic Plan Phase 3 Task Force. All Board members were in attendance. Twenty-seven community Task Force members and SAISD staff who are serving as resource members on the Task Force were in attendance.

Mr. James Howard, Board president, thanked the Task Force members for their work to create a new SAISD. He recognized the time and effort each task member had spent in developing a proposal to consolidate schools in order to improve programs. He indicated that the Board members had reviewed the proposal and were submitting to the Task Force, input about the proposal. He asked the Task Force members to consider the input and submit a recommendation to the Board no later than the end of July. He then stressed the importance of the Board, the Task Force and Administration sharing the recommendation with the community for their input prior to finalizing the plan. He stated the importance of being prepared to provide the public with explanations of the recommendation, how facilities would be used and where students would go to school.

Other Board members thanked the Task Force members for their work and asked them to consider the input from the Board members. They all stressed the importance of finalizing a proposal for the Board as early in July as possible.

Dr. Robert Durón, Superintendent, thanked the Task Force members again for their work. He talked about the importance of a plan to consolidate schools that includes the work of the Task Force and the recommendations by the Board.

The Task Force members then worked in small groups to review the input from the Board. They identified implications for high school, middle school and elementary boundaries and schools and implications for the guiding principles within which the Task Force made their decisions. Board members talked with each of the small groups to gain an understanding of the original process and to clarify the requests for consideration by the Task Force.

The next meeting of the Task Force is scheduled for Saturday, June 20 from 9:00a.m. – 2:00 p.m. at M.L King Academy.