

# BOARD



**Texarkana**  
Independent School District

# BRIEFS

*A Summary of the Minutes from the  
TISD Board of Trustees Meeting  
June 22, 2021*

## Board of Trustees 2020-2021

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*The Board of Trustees meets in regular session on the third Tuesday of each month, and at other times as necessary.*

*Meetings are held at 11:30 a.m. at the TISD Administrative offices, 4241 Summerhill Road, or at other designated locations in the District. The public is welcome to attend all meetings.*

*Citizens wishing to address the Board may speak on issues other than personnel during the Public Forum, an agenda item for all regular Board meetings.*

*At the called meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Tuesday, June 22<sup>nd</sup>, the Board of Trustees conducted the following business:*

**CONDUCTED** *a public forum; there was no participation from the audience.*

**APPROVED** *personnel recommendations listed below:*

### **1)Resignations/Retirement**

*All resignations and retirements are effective May 27, 2021, unless otherwise noted.*

#### ***Instructional Services***

*Klopper, Cathy – Director of STEM, retirement effective August 31, 2021*

#### ***Nash Elementary School***

*Hayes, Kim – 4th Grade Teacher, retirement effective June 30, 2021*

#### ***Special Populations***

*Langley, Shondra – Diagnostician, effective June 16, 2021*

#### ***Texas High School***

*Farmer, Whitney – World Geography Teacher, effective June 8, 2021*

*Newton, Melissa – Theater Teacher/Director*

#### ***Texas Middle School***

*Reaves, Keely – Adaptive PE Teacher, effective June 4, 2021*

*Tribble, Jordan – Art Teacher*

#### ***Westlawn Elementary School***

*Jones, Michael – 5th Grade Teacher, effective June 21, 2021*

*Musgraves, Jessica – Reading Interventionist, effective June 1, 2021*

*Neal-Jones, Shastitiiy – 3rd Grade Teacher, effective June 21, 2021*

*Turner, Ava – 4th Grade Teacher, effective June 24, 2021*

*Walker, Kiaundra – Assistant Principal, effective June 14, 2021*

### **2)Elections/Assignments**

#### ***Athletics***

*Serra, Carla Vazquez – Athletic Trainer*

#### ***Nash Elementary School***

*Brinkley, Kennedy – 3rd Grade Teacher*

*Foster, Sherry – School Nurse*

*Pemberton, Jill – 3rd Grade Teacher*

#### ***Special Populations***

*Higuerey, Manuel – Diagnostician – pending verification of H1-B Visa status*

#### ***Texas High School***

*Anderson, Connie – World Geography Teacher*

*Long, Benjamin – Criminal Justice Teacher/Coach*

*Slider, Chealsea – Special Education Teacher/Coach*

#### ***Texas Middle School***

*Griffin, Patsy – Art Teacher*

*McGuire, Luke – 7th Grade Social Studies Teacher*

*Ramage, Estella – Art Teacher*

#### ***Theron Jones Early Literacy Center***

*Riskey, Amanda – 2nd Grade Teacher*

#### ***Waggoner Creek Elementary School***

*Davis, Candace – 1st Grade Teacher*

*Jenkins, Leslie – 5th Grade Teacher*

*Smith, Tracie – 5th Grade Teacher*

*Wilburn, Amanda – 3rd Grade Teacher*

#### ***Westlawn Elementary School***

*Parker, Lauren – 3rd Grade Teacher*

### **3)Proposed Renewals, Non Renewals, Terminations/Suspensions**

*Smith, Kelly – Moving to Instructional Coach – Theron Jones on a Professional Employee Contract, effective August 3, 2021*

**ADJOURNED** *to a thirty-nine minute closed session.*

**THE NEXT REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
IS SCHEDULED FOR TUESDAY, JUNE 29, 2021.**