

**NOTICE OF REGULAR MEETING OF THE
VALLEY VIEW INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**



Notice is hereby given that on **Monday, March 25, 2024**, the Board of Trustees of the Valley View Independent School District will hold a **Regular Meeting at 6:30 PM** at the **Valley View ISD Central Office - Board Room, 9701 South Jackson Road, Pharr, TX 78577**. **Remote access to the meeting will be available at <https://www.youtube.com/c/VviewisdNet>**

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are as listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the order shown on this meeting notice.

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Trustees should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the Board of Trustees is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the School Board at the date, hours, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section:

- 551-071 Private consultation with the board's attorney.
- 551-072 Discussing purchases, exchange, leases, or value of real property.
- 551-073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.
- 551-074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel
- 551-075 To confer with employees of the school district to receive information or to ask questions.
- 551-082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel
- 551-083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the board will follow, or will instruct its representative to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.
- 551-084 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.

Should any final action, decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the school Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final action, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice thereof; as the School Board shall determine.

Due to health and safety concerns related to COVID-19, this meeting will be conducted in person and by video-conference. At least a quorum of the board will be present and/or participating by video-conference in accordance with the provisions of Sections 551.125 or 551.127 of the Texas Government Code.

Members of the public who wish to address the board for this meeting must submit by **5:00 PM** before the board meeting starts a request for public comment at <https://www.vviewisd.net/board/submitpubliccomment>. Members of the public having timely submitted their request may participate.

This notice with attached official agenda was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meeting Act on **Friday, March 22, 2024, by 5:00 PM** and an original copy was posted in a public place for public viewing at the Valley View ISD Administration Building.

Board President: I call this meeting of the Valley View Independent School District to order. Let the record show that a quorum of board members are present, that this meeting has been duly called, and that notice of this meeting has been posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

AGENDA

- 1. Public Comment**
 - A. Members of the public who wish to address the board will have a five-minute time limit to address the board. (Ten minutes if a translator is required).**
- 2. Information Agenda**
 - A. Recognize AR Tiger STAR Readers for Valley View South Elementary.**
Marina Leal, VV South Elementary Principal
 - B. Recognize Students' Athletic Achievements.**
Genaro Cantu, Interim Athletics Director
 - C. Superintendent's Report**
Dr. Silvia Ibarra, Superintendent of Schools
 - D. Report on Child Nutrition Program.**
Walker Consulting Services
 - E. District Financing Options for Capital Projects**
Sandra C. Martinez
- 3. Consent Agenda**
 - A. Consider and take action to approve the minutes for the Public Hearing of February 26, 2024; the Regular Meeting of February 26, 2024; and the Board Workshop of February 26, 2024.**
- 4. Action Agenda**
 - A. Discussion and action to cast the Valley View ISD Board of Trustees' votes for candidate(s) for the Region One Education Service Center Board of Directors 2024 Election.**
Dr. Silvia Ibarra, Superintendent of Schools
 - B. Consider and take action to approve the pilot program between Valley View ISD and Educate Texas for Strategic Staffing & Scheduling, as recommended by the administration.**
Dr. Nancy Montemayor, Assistant Superintendent
 - C. Consider and take action to approve the 2024-2025 TEA (Texas Education Agency) Allotment and TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge Skills) Certification Renewal Form, as recommended by the administration.**
Sandra Riojas, Data Management/Assessment Director
 - D. Consider and take action to approve the 2024-2025 JJAEP (Juvenile Justice Alternative Education Program) Memorandum of Understanding between Valley View ISD and the County of Hidalgo, as recommended by the administration.**
Dr. Rosemarie Gomez, Federal Programs Director
 - E. Consider and take action to approve the Personal & Chattel Property Auction Agreement between Valley View ISD and Galindo Auctions LLC, as recommended by the administration.**
Efrain Matamoros, Executive Director of District Operations
 - F. Consider and take action to approve the Interlocal Agreements between Valley View ISD and the following cooperatives, as recommended by the administration:**
 - 1. The Local Government Purchasing Cooperative (TASB)**
 - 2. Harris County Dept. of Education Purchasing Cooperative (Choice Partners)**
 - 3. PACE Purchasing Cooperative**
 - 4. Region 1, ESC Purchasing Cooperative**
 - 5. Region 2, ESC Cooperative (Good Buy)**
 - 6. Region 8, ESC Purchasing Cooperative (TIPS)**
 - 7. OMNIA Partners Purchasing Cooperative**
 - 8. Sourcewell**Sandra C. Martinez, Finance Director
 - G. Consider and take action to approve the following expenses over \$10,000.00 as recommended by the administration:**
 - 1. At-Risk & Safety**

- a. **Purchase of Raptor Technologies as Valley View ISD's Emergency Management System in the approximate amount of \$37,191.00 for year 1 and \$17,976.00 in years 2 and 3. (SAFE Grant Cycle 1 Funds)**

Isaias Vidal, At-Risk and Safety Administrator

2. Student/Staff Support

- a. **Renewal of the Service Contract and License Agreement between Valley View ISD and Pearlized Mathematics Consulting, LLC for the 2024-2025 school-year in the amount of \$28,300.00 (IMA Funds)**

Dr. Nancy Montemayor, Assistant Superintendent

- b. **Renewal of the Studies Weekly Curriculum for the 2024-2025 school-year in the amount of \$17,517.70 (IMA Funds)**

Dr. Nancy Montemayor, Assistant Superintendent

3. Technology

- a. **Purchase of student Chromebooks from DELL for the approximate amount of \$100,000.00 (LASO Grant Funds)**

Aaron Larraga, HR Director

H. Consider and take action to approve the following student trips, as recommended by the administration:

1. **VVHS Band - TCGC (TX Colorguard Circuit) Championship State Drumline Contest at Cypress Ranch, TX, April 6, 2024.**

Manuel Rodriguez, Fine Arts Director

2. **VVHS and VVJH Colorguard - TECA (TX Educational Colorguard Association) Championship State Contest at San Antonio, TX, April 6, 2024.**

Manuel Rodriguez, Fine Arts Director

3. **VVHS Varsity Mariachi - TAME (TX Association of Music Educators) State Mariachi Competition at San Antonio, TX, April 12, 2024.**

Manuel Rodriguez, Fine Arts Director

I. Consider and take action to approve the following staff development trip, as recommended by the administration:

1. **Monica Luna, Administration; Jesus Garza and Gustavo Guzman, VVHS; Thelma Samaniego and Diego Galvan, VVECC - 2024 CCRSM (College and Career Readiness School Model) Summit Leadership Conference at Corpus Christi, TX, June 12-14, 2024.**

Jesus Garza, VV High School Principal

5. Executive Session

A. Texas Government Code Section: 551.074-Personnel

1. **Discuss and consider staff resignations.**
2. **Discuss and consider staff recommendations.**

6. Open Session

A. Texas Government Code Section: 551.074-Personnel

1. **Consider and take action to approve staff resignations as recommended by the administration.**
2. **Consider and take action to approve staff recommendations as recommended by the administration.**

7. Adjournment

8. **Consider and take action to approve the 2024-2025 TEA (Texas Education Agency) Allotment and TEKS (Texas Essential Knowledge Skills) Certification Renewal Form, as recommended by the administration.**

Sandra Riojas, Data Management/Assessment Director



Superintendent of Schools

