

**Notice of Regular Meeting  
of the  
Board of Trustees  
of the  
Garland Independent School District**

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, December 10, 2013, the Board of Trustees of the Garland Independent School District will hold a Regular Meeting at **6:00 PM** at the administrative offices of the School District located at 501 S. Jupiter Road, Garland, Texas.

The subjects to be discussed are listed on the agenda, which is attached to and made a part of this notice. 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, hour, 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:***

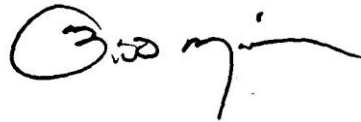
- 551.071 Discussing pending/contemplated litigation, settlement offer(s), or matters concerning privileged and unprivileged client information deemed confidential by Rule 1.05 of the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct.
- 551.072 Deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.
- 551.073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.
- 551.074 Deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment duties, discipline, or dismissal of an elected officer or employee.
- 551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices.
- 551.082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.
- 551.0821 Deliberating a matter regarding a student if personally-identifiable information about the student will necessarily be revealed.

- 551.083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms, or conditions the Board will follow, or will instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.
- 551.084 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.

Should any final action, final 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, final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by this 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.

Posted Thursday, December 5, 2013, at 4:00 PM.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Bob Morrison". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "B" and a long horizontal stroke at the end.

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Bob Morrison, Ed.D., Superintendent  
Garland Independent School District

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**Board of Trustees**

**Regular Meeting**

**December 10, 2013**

**Agenda**

**6:00 PM**

- I. Call to Order and Determination of a Quorum
- II. Pledges of Allegiance
- III. Information Items
  - A. Recognize Taiwanese/Garland Student Exchange
  - B. Hear update on Strategic Plan
  - C. Review 2013-2014 GISD "No Child Left Behind" Highly Qualified Teacher Report
  - D. Announce Board Member Continuing Education Credit Hours
- IV. Public Forum
- V. Discussion Items
  - A. Trustees' exchange of information
  - B. Review calendar
  - C. Discuss future agenda items
- VI. Action Items
  - A. Consider approval of Human Resources Report
  - B. Consider approval of budget transfers and amendments to the 2013-2014 adopted budget
  - C. Consider approval of tax refund
  - D. New Bids
    - 1. Consider purchase of new buses and vehicles
    - 2. Consider purchase of air conditioning filters
  - E. Renewal Bids
    - 1. Consider purchase of time and attendance equipment and services

2. Consider offer for delinquent tax collection attorney
  3. Consider purchase of group term life and AD&D insurance
- F. Increase in Awards
1. Consider approval to increase the awarded amount for Microsoft volume license agreement
  2. Consider an increase in the awarded amount for American Sign Language Course Agreement
- G. Consider cancellation of portions of contract for managed technology services
- H. Consider approval of the authorized use of Harris County Department of Education Cooperative (Choice Partners)
- I. Consider increase in total project cost for the HBJ Stadium Renovations
- J. Consider approval of Global Business Magnet Program
- K. Consider approval of transportation changes for 2014/2015
- L. Consider approval of Resolution on TRS Active Care
- VII. Executive Session: Executive session will be held for purposes permitted by Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq.
- A. Consultation with Attorney (Tex. Govt. Code Sec. 551.071: Discussing pending/contemplated litigation, settlement offer(s), or matters concerning privileged and unprivileged client information deemed confidential by Rule 1.05 of the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct)
  - B. Consider Board approval of personnel matters as recommended by the Administration (Tex. Govt. Code Sec. 551.074: Deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment duties, discipline, or dismissal of an elected officer or employee)
- VIII. Reconvene from Executive Session for action relative to items considered during Executive Session
- IX. Adjournment