

Notice of Work Session  
of the  
Board of Trustees  
of the  
Garland Independent School District

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, August 12, 2014, the Board of Trustees of the Garland Independent School District will hold a Work Session at **6:00 PM** at the administrative offices of the School District located at 601 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.

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:

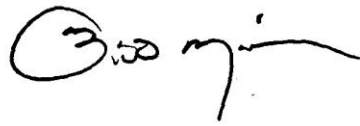
***Texas Government Code Section:***

- 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, August 7, 2014, 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**

**Work Session**

**August 12, 2014**

**Agenda**

**6:00 PM**

- I. Call to Order and Determination of a Quorum
- II. Pledges of Allegiance
- III. Information Item
  - A. Receive Certified Tax Roll
  - B. Receive recommendations from Citizen Bond Committee
  - C. Receive information on tax rate implications of bond program
- IV. Public Forum
- V. Discussion Items for Consent Agenda
  - A. Review a resolution designating investment officers for the District
  - B. Review independent sources of instruction for the training of investment officers
  - C. Review the investment policy and investment strategy and adopt a written instrument stating review of same and recording any changes made to either the investment policy or investment strategies
  - D. Review resolution of the adoption of committing fund balances
- VI. Discussion Items
  - A. Review calendar
  - B. Discuss future agenda items
- VII. Discussion and/or Action Items
  - A. Consider Order calling for School Bond Election
  - B. Consider approval of Proposed Tax Rate for the 2014-2015 School Year
  - C. Consider holding a public meeting to discuss the Garland Independent School District's Proposed Budget and Tax Rate for Fiscal Year 2014-2015
  - D. Consider approval of bid for electrical renovations at Walnut Glen

Academy

- E. Consider approval of bid for backflow prevention installations - multiple campuses
  - F. Consider approval of bid for plumbing renovations at Coyle Middle School and O'Banion Middle School
- VIII. Executive Session: Executive session will be held for purposes permitted by Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq.
- A. Private consultation with the Board's attorney on all subjects or matters authorized by law (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)
- IX. Reconvene from Executive Session for action relative to items considered during Executive Session
- X. Adjournment