

NORTHSIDE EDUCATIONAL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

AGENDA

Tuesday, December 4, 2001

6:00 p.m.

Board Room, 5900 Evers Road

The Northside Educational Improvement Council (NEIC) is the district decision-making committee established in accordance with Texas Education Code Sec. 11.251, and 11.252. NEIC has 39 members, including staff, parents, business, and community members. The purpose of NEIC is to involve professional staff, parents, and community members in establishing and reviewing the district's and campuses' educational plans, goals, performance objectives, and major classroom instructional programs. Staff are elected for a two-year term by their staff peers; parents, business, and community members are appointed by the Board for a two-year term. NEIC meets at 6:00 p.m. on the 1st Tuesday of each month, in the Northside Board Room at 5900 Evers Road, unless otherwise posted. Meetings are open to the public. Items to be considered for the agenda may be submitted to either Rebecca Barron-Flores, NEIC President, at Locke Hill Elementary School, (561-5055) or Pat Blattman, Deputy Superintendent for Instruction, at Central Office, 5900 Evers Road, 78238 (706-8635). Minutes of all meetings are posted at Central Office and at each school.

I. Approval of Minutes from November 6 Meeting

II. DEC Visit Update

III. AEIS Report

Background Information: TEA provides an annual report to every district and every campus on student performance, attendance, dropout rate, student and staff demographics, and other information. This report is the Academic Excellence Indicator System Report (AEIS). State law requires that a public meeting be held with NEIC and the Board to review the report. This meeting will serve to meet part of that requirement. Most of the data included in this report has already been reviewed previously by NEIC in the development of the District Improvement Plan.

Action Required: NEIC members are asked to review the data prior to the meeting for discussion during the meeting. No other action is required.

IV. 2002-2003 and 2003-2004 Calendar Input

Background Information: Two calendar drafts for each of the next two years have been created and reviewed by the Northside Communication Network (NCN). Enclosed is a copy of the drafts along with a memo from the Superintendent giving an overview of input and recommendations received from NCN. The calendars are scheduled to go to the Board of Trustees for approval in January.

Action Required: NEIC members are asked to consider the drafts and the input received to date and then to make recommendations to the Superintendent and the Board regarding the calendars.

V. Superintendent Search Input

Background Information: Stakeholder groups across the district have been asked to give input to the Superintendent Search team regarding what factors they consider to be of primary importance in identifying a new Superintendent for Northside ISD. JoAnne Reddell, Executive Director for Organizational and Staff Development will lead this activity with NEIC.

Action Required: NEIC members will be asked to seriously consider what things in Northside they believe should be continued, what should be stopped, and what should be started.

VI. Other Issues

VII. Adjourn

NEIC MEMBERS:

STAFF REPRESENTATIVES:

Primary: Mary Adams, Carson Elem.; Joy Ulcak, Boone. Intermediate: Sara Roe, Raba; Annette Lopez, Brauchle. Elementary Specialist: Diane Aguilar, Ed Cody. Middle School (Academic Core): Thomas Koog, Connally; Elaine Rodriguez; Jordan Middle School (Other): Renee Baird, Stevenson. High School (Academic Core): Lynn Britton, Jay; High School (Business): Sheryl Parker, Business Careers. High School (Other): Beth Ann Willstrop, Health Careers. Special Campuses: Laura Hinton, N.V.T.P. Counselors: Christine Johnson, Pat Neff MS. Librarians: Pat Strawn, Jay. Nurses: Jodie Meyer, Oak Hills Terrace, Elementary Administration: Rebecca Barron-Flores, Locke Hill Elem. Secondary Administration: Patty Hill, Warren H.S. CO Professional Staff: Rosemary Perez, Compensatory Programs; Paraprofessionals: Roxanne King, Pat Neff M.S.

PARENT REPRESENTATIVES: Roger Ayala, Tammy French, Janis Griffin, Mary Helen Garcia

PTA COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES: Lois Pearson

COMMUNITY REPRESENTATIVES: Terry Condon, Jose Sanchez, Sharon Itz, Dr. Sybil Morgan, George Terrell, Etta Tricksey, Alex Travieso

BUSINESS REPRESENTATIVES: Don Nance, Johanna Rogers, Eddie Barron, Yvonne Fernandez