

**Hemphill Independent School District  
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Sally Butler, Business Manager**

**Monica Butler  
Elementary Principal**

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Middle School Principal**

**Marc Griffin  
High School Principal**

**Agenda  
Regular Board Meeting**

**Thursday, March 19, 2020 - 6:00 p.m. - Administration Building**

**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.**

**I.Members Present**

**Absent**

**II.Invocation**

**III.Pledge To The Flag**

**IV.Mission Statement**

**V.Visitors and Comments**

**VI.Consent Agenda**

- 1.Minutes of the Regular Board Meeting February 13, 2020**
- 2.Bills, Financial Reports, and Investment Reports for the month of February 2020**

## **VII. Superintendent's Report**

1. Enrollment
2. Student Overnight Trip Requests
3. Personnel Update, if necessary
4. Facilities and Construction Update
5. Campus Academic Reports
6. 86th Legislative Session Update
7. School Safety and Security Grant Noga

## **VIII. Superintendent's Recommendations**

1. Recommend approval to cancel the HISD School Board Trustee Election scheduled for May 2, 2020.
2. Recommend approval of the 2020 - 2021 HISD School Calendar.
3. Recommend approval of Stephanie Corley and the Sabine County Reporter and Pennie Ferguson and the Daily News and More for Statewide Media Honor Roll Recognition.
4. Recommend approval to certify the Superintendent to the Regional Advisory Committee for Region 7 ESC.
5. Recommend approval of Instructional Materials Allotment and TEKS Certification.
6. Recommend approval of renewal for Property/Casualty Insurance.
7. Recommend approval of renewal for Pollution Liability Insurance.
8. Recommend approval of tax refund requests.
9. Recommend Final Payment for Southland Fence Company Inc., if necessary.
10. Recommend accepting resignations, employing personnel, reassignment of personnel, or terminating personnel, if necessary.
11. Recommend approval of Resolution of the Board Regarding Wage Payments During Emergency School Closings.

## **IX. Closed / Executive Session**

**Texas Government Code 551.074** - Board deliberation concerning appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of public officers or employees.

- a. Discussion of Board Relations Between the Members of the Board of Trustees and the Relationship of the Board of Trustees with the Superintendent of Schools

## **X. Open Session**

## **XI. Approval of Budget Amendment # 4 for the 2019 - 2020 School Year**

## **XII. Adjourn**

Closed sessions are authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Codes. No action or vote may be taken in the closed meeting. An open meeting will be held to consider and take action, if any, on items discussed in closed session.

If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the Board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Gov't Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E. Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting. See BEC (Legal).

**Section 551.071** - For the purpose of a private consultation with the Board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized by law.

**Section 551.072** - For the purpose of discussing the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.

**Section 551.073** - For the purpose of negotiating contracts for prospective gifts or donations.

**Section 551.074** - For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment of duties, discipline or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee.

**Section 551.076** - To consider the deployment or specific occasions for implementation of security personnel and devices.

**Section 551.082** - For the purpose of considering discipline of a public school child or children.

**Section 551.083** - For the purpose of considering the standard guidelines, terms, or conditions the Board will follow, or instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups in connection with consultation agreements provided for by Section 13.901 of the Texas Education Code.

**Section 551.084** - For the purpose of excluding a witness or witnesses from a hearing during examinations of another witness.

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

- A.the open meeting covered by this notice upon the reconvening of this public meeting, or
- B.at a subsequent public meeting of the Board upon notice thereof, as the Board shall determine

This notice was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act at 11:00 am  
a.m. March 13, 2020.

  
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J. Reese Briggs, Superintendent  
Hemphill I.S.D.  
For the Board of Trustees

**Amended March 16, 2020 at 11:00 a.m.**