

## **Board of Trustees**

**January 11, 2024**

The Board of Trustees of the Crowley Independent School District met on Thursday, January 11, 2024 at 6:00 p.m. at the Crowley ISD Administration Building, 1900 Crowley Pride Drive, Fort Worth, TX 76036. A quorum of Board members was present. The meeting was duly called and notice of the meeting was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

## **ROLL CALL**

### **THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:**

June W. Davis  
Daryl Davis  
Gary Grassia  
\*Dr. Mia Hall  
Dr. La Tonya Mayfield  
Kelicia Stevenson

## **Celebrations / Points of Pride**

### **Journey Fair**

Our winter job fair for teachers and health clinic aides was held Monday, January 8 here on Crowley Pride Drive. The 43 attendees had an opportunity to visit face-to-face with representatives from our Crowley ISD campuses. Twelve potential hires are in the pipeline to join us as we continue to act like a family and work like a team in 2024!

### **Finance**

On Tuesday, December 12, the Crowley ISD Finance team proudly hosted the National Association of Minority Contractors of Dallas Fort Worth. This diverse group of contractors and subcontractors learned more about the voter-approved bond projects planned across our district and how they can join us in delivering on the dream! The future looks bright in Crowley ISD.

### **Crowley High School**

We were so excited to see members of the Class of 2024 as they received on-the-spot acceptance Thursday, December 13 to attend Texas Wesleyan University. Approximately 20 CHS seniors participated in the RAM APP event and received more than \$1 million in merit scholarships. We are so proud of you. Next stop...graduation 2024!

### **Sue Crouch Elementary School**

During the holidays Crowley students were shining bright! Our Sue Crouch Knights held a shoe drive during the month of November! They partnered with the nonprofit, Soles 4 Souls and donated 131 pairs of shoes in December! A huge thank you to all who donated to help turn shoes into opportunity for developing countries! We are one team with one dream.

### **Crowley ISD Police Department**

We would like to say, “Happy Law Enforcement Appreciation Day” to Chief Leshai Maston and the entire team of officers who serve on the Crowley ISD Police Department. Thank you for your bravery and commitment to our students and community. We honor and appreciate you!

### **H.F. Stevens Middle School**

Congratulations go out to H.F. Stevens Middle School sixth graders Emma Reyna and Sophia Molina who won first place in the Fort Worth Civic Orchestra holiday carol writing competition. Their composition, Winter Traditions, was performed by an orchestra and the Texas Boys Choir on Saturday, December 16. We are Crowley proud of you!

### **Poynter Elementary School**

On Thursday, December 28 students from Poynter made us proud by spreading holiday cheer to the residents at the Crowley Nursing and Rehabilitation Center. Thank you to Mrs. Lowery, Mrs. Gaines, and our amazing student council members for showing that Crowley cares about our community!

### **Superintendent Report**

During the Superintendent Report, Trustees and stakeholders received updates on many of the voter-approved projects included in the Bond 2023 package. The new schools, security enhancements and renovations across the district are scheduled to be completed over the next four years with not tax rate increase.

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### **Tentative Bond Project Timeline:**

#### **2024**

- New Elementary School No. 16 Opens (funded by 2007 bond)
- Security Fencing for Elementary Playgrounds
- Roof Replacement at H.F. Stevens Middle School
- District-wide facility, safety and security improvements

#### **2025**

- New Elementary School No. 17 Opens
- District-wide facility, safety and security improvements

#### **2026**

- New Track & Field Complex Opens (phase 1)
- Expansions/Renovations:
  - o Deer Creek Elementary
  - o Meadowcreek Elementary
  - o Sycamore Elementary
  - o Crowley Ninth Grade

- o North Crowley Ninth Grade
- o North Crowley High School
- District-wide facility, safety and security improvements

**2027**

- New Crowley High School Opens
- New Middle School No. 5 Opens
- Inclusive Outdoor Learning Center (partnership with the city of Crowley)
- Indoor Track Opens
- District-wide facility, safety and security improvements

**Open Forum**

No one spoke during open forum.

**Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)**

**No. 8586 Construction Delivery Method for Middle School #5 and Indoor / Outdoor Track and Field Facility**

Member (**Kelicia Stevenson**) Moved, Member (**Gary Grassia**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of the Construction Manager-at-Risk delivery method for the construction projects of Middle School #5 and the Indoor/Outdoor Track and Field facilities.' Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

June W. Davis	Yes
Daryl Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Dr. La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Kelicia Stevenson	Yes

**Future Action Item(s)**

**Rezoning of School Attendance Zone Boundaries**

Demographer Brent Alexander will provide the 3Q 2023 demographic report that includes new residential development, student enrollment and campus capacity figures. District administrators will also provide an overview of the process and timeline for rezoning school attendance boundaries.

**Report Item(s)**

**Construction Updates**

Chief of Operations Randy Reaves provided construction updates on Bond 2023 projects.

\*Board Vice President, Dr. Mia Hall joined the meeting at 7:41 p.m.

**Results of Fall 2023 Climate Survey of Parents, Students and Staff**

In the fall of 2023, the District partnered with Qualtrics to conduct a climate survey of students, staff and parents. The administration provided an initial overview of these baseline year results.

**Executive Session**

The Board of Trustees did not convene in Executive Session.

There being no further business, the president declared the meeting was adjourned at 9:06 p.m.

PRESIDENT \_\_\_\_\_

SECRETARY \_\_\_\_\_