

District Leadership Team

2022-2023

Meeting Date: April 18, 2023

Meeting Time: 4:30 p.m.

Meeting Location: C&I Office - Large Training Room

SPECIAL MEETING MINUTES

1. Welcome Members and Guests - Dr. Eric Wright, Superintendent

Dr. Wright welcomed everyone to the meeting.

2. Calendar Task Force Update, Marivel Sedillo

There is legislation currently moving through the Texas Legislature that may restrict districts' ability to institute a 4-day week. The Calendar Task Force may reconvene after the end of the legislative session in May.

3. Professional Development Update, Erica Garza

Ms. Sedillo invited feedback from the DLT on district-led PD. One teacher requested that Back to school PD be relevant to the beginning of the school year, reserving other PD for after the school year begins. Erica Garza, Director of Professional Development, thanked staff who participated in the recent PD survey, noting that this feedback has helped guide upcoming and school year PD opportunities. She reviewed district hosted PD opportunities that will take place this summer. Teachers can still register to lead sessions at Hays Con. The 23-24 Professional Development/Work Day calendar was reviewed. The district is working through the logistics of offering "Just in Time" training throughout the school year. Staff were encouraged to share feedback with Erica.

4. Bond Talk - Dr. Wright, Max Cleaver, Patty Moreno, Dusty Gibb

The details of the current Bond propositions were shared. The presentation is linked on the district Bond website. It was noted that the new demographer for the district is predicting a greater number of secondary students in coming years than the previous demographer. This has pushed up the timeline on related High School projects, including expansions to the current high schools as well as the building of a 4th comprehensive high school. If passed by voters, the current bond propositions will cause no increase to the tax rate.

5. Discussion, Comments, Questions