

# BOARD



**Texarkana**  
Independent School District

# BRIEFS

*A Summary of the Minutes from the  
TISD Board of Trustees Meeting  
October 20, 2020*

## Board of Trustees 2020-2021

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*At Large - District 7*

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*The Board of Trustees meets in regular session on the third Tuesday of each month, and at other times as necessary.*

*Meetings are held at 11:30 a.m. at the TISD Administrative offices, 4241 Summerhill Road, or at other designated locations in the District. The public is welcome to attend all meetings.*

*Citizens wishing to address the Board may speak on issues other than personnel during the Public Forum, an agenda item for all regular Board meetings.*

*At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Tuesday, October 20<sup>th</sup>, the Board of Trustees conducted the following business:*

**ADJOURNED** *to a seventy-three minute closed session.*

**CONDUCTED** *a public forum. There were no participants.*

**RECEIVED** *information from Acting Superintendent Thomas on a TEA COVID-19 testing pilot that will be implemented at eight school districts in the state of Texas. Texarkana ISD was not chosen for this pilot testing.*

**APPROVED** *minutes of the September 15, 2020 Regular Board meeting, the September 17, 2020 Called Board meeting and the October 6, 2020 Called Board meeting.*

**APPROVED** *personnel recommendations listed below:*

### 1) Resignations/Retirement

#### ***Texas Middle School***

*Rhyne, Christi – 6th Grade Social Studies Teacher, effective September 30, 2020*

#### ***Theron Jones Early Literacy Center***

*Sampson, Patricia – Kindergarten Teacher, effective September 25, 2020*

*Smith, Sandra – Intervention Teacher, Retiring effective October 30, 2020*

### 2) Elections/Assignments

*None*

### 3) Proposed Renewals, Non Renewals, Terminations/Suspensions

*None*

**APPROVED** *monthly investment report.*

**ACCEPTED** *Partners in Education donations for the periods of September 2020 totaling \$13,344.01.*

**APPROVED** *Resolution for Investment Officers & Training Locations.*

**APPROVED** *Resolution for Certificates of Deposit to be Purchased by District from Various Financial Institutions.*

**APPROVED** *Bowie Central Appraisal District 2020 Tax Roll.*

**APPROVED** *monthly financial report.*

**APPROVED** *monthly expenditures.*

**RECEIVED** *an annual report on English as a Second Language and Bilingual Education.*

**THE NEXT CALLED MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
IS SCHEDULED FOR THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 2020.**