

Red Oak ISD District Advisory Committee Meeting

September 16, 2021

4:30 pm via Zoom

Minutes

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 by Shondra Jones, with 24 members present on the Zoom link. A quick welcome was given by Shondra, and the agenda started with an introduction of new members, along with the roles and responsibilities of DAC members. A poll was also provided to the members to vote on the preferred meeting time, and 21/22 voted to keep the meeting time at 4:30.

Superintendent Sanford provided an update on enrollment, Covid numbers, and the mask mandate. She also advised that a discussion will be forthcoming regarding the facilities study and plans to meet growth in the district, especially at the middle school. Mrs. Sanford also gave an update on SB15-Virtual and Remote Conferencing, difficulty with staffing due to positive Covid cases and quarantines, and the sub shortage that is affecting every district.

Next, Melissa Sulak, Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction, reviewed and led a discussion of the District Improvement Plan update for 2021-2022. Several members had questions regarding percentages used to measure and project growth and how our district will utilize information from last school year's testing to inform instruction. Mrs. Sulak noted the questions, responded to them as appropriate, and will seek out additional information and input from each campus leadership team.

The floor was opened for questions and answers and there were none. The next meeting date is scheduled for November 11, 2021 at 4:30 pm via Zoom. The meeting adjourned at 5:31 pm.