



# **Board of Trustees Approves Cancellation of May 13, 2006 Trustee Election**

A school district that has unopposed candidates for any trustee election may cancel the election in accordance with Section 2.053(a) of the Texas Election Code. Since Lufkin ISD had no unopposed candidates, the Board of Trustees cancelled the May 13, 2006 Board of Trustees' election and declared Andro Branch, Cooper Castleberry, and Gip Friesen elected to three positions on the Board of Trustees for Lufkin Independent School District. Each will serve for a single three year term.

Mr. Branch, Mr. Castleberry and Mr. Friesen will be sworn in at the May 18, 2006 Board meeting. Also, election of officers will be held in the May meeting.

## **BOARD NOTES**

**April 20, 2006**

*Policy on Line: [www.tasb.org/policy/pol/private/003903](http://www.tasb.org/policy/pol/private/003903)*

### **Recognition Joe McElroy Trustee**

Lufkin Independent School District and the Board of Trustees honored Joe McElroy for his service as a Board member for the last six years. Mr. McElroy was elected to the Board in May 2000.

Stanley New, Board President presented Mr. McElroy with an engraved pocket watch from the district and the Board of Trustees.

### **Instructional Focus**

#### **Dunbar Primary**

Dunbar Primary students and teachers presented an overview of a year long integrated learning project entitled "Connections". This project focuses on technology and research skills, preparing students for the 21st century.



"Selected scenes from their Clay Animation movie, "Virtual Vertebrates" were viewed."

### **Board Approves a Resolution Opposing Voucher Proposals**

The Board of Trustees approved a resolution which opposes any and all private school voucher proposals which would cause a loss of billions of dollars to Texas public schools. The resolution opposes any and all voucher proposals introduced in the Texas Legislature, either as pilots or full-scale programs.

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# Board Approves Appointment of SHAC Council

Under Section 28.004 of the Texas Education Code, the Board of each district establishes a local school health education advisory council to assist the district in ensuring that local community values are reflected in the district's health education instruction. The Board approved the appointment of the following council. The council recommends to the district health education curriculum and programs to prevent obesity, cardiovascular disease and type II diabetes.

<b>Name</b>	<b>Representative</b>	<b>District/Non-District</b>
Betty Harrison	Coordinator/Administrator	District
Brenda Hill	Administrator	District
Sujatha Zegiraju	Parent	Non-District- Parent
Reddy Ranjani	Nutrition	Non-District- Parent
Amy McCleod	Nutrition	Non-District- Parent
Mike Tyson	Clergy	Non-District- Parent
Phyllis Grandgeorge	Nonprofit Health	Non-District- Parent
Willie Mae Burley	Senior Citizens	Non-District
Carol Bradley	Nutrition-Community	Non-District Parent
Sherry Nash	Health/PE	District
Jan Durham	Health Care	District
Nancy Hicks	DEIC	District
Melinda Cole	Counseling	District

## Other Action Items of Business

The Board of Trustees approved the following items:

- Minutes of Previous Meetings
- Expenditures for the Month of March
- Resignations of Susan Bryan, Katrina Cross, Miranda Dolive, Marvin Greer, Yuarva Henry, Marian Jost, Lia Minshew, Crystal Muncrief, Brittney Rackley, Ruth Redriguez, Glenda Tullos—Retirement of Sylvia Marshall
- Budget amendment
- Purchase of IBM System 15 Model 9406-520 Computer

## Report Items

The following report items were presented for Board member's review:

- The Interim Statement of Revenues and Expenditures
- General Fund Board Report
- Investment Report
- Tax Collection Report
- Student Nutrition Services Monthly Report
- Support Personnel Monthly Report



***Next Regular Board Meeting  
May 18, 2006***