

# Called Board Meeting Notes: March 30, 2020

Board notes are not the approved minutes of the DeSoto ISD School Board meeting but are just a recap of the major votes/actions of the meeting. To view the official minutes and agenda items of the meeting, please <u>click here</u> or check the website at <u>www.DeSotoISD.org</u>.

#### **Board Actions:**

- In accordance with the state recommendations from Governor Greg Abbott due to the current COVID-19 public health crisis, the DeSoto Independent School District asked the Board to Consider an Ordinance postponing the General Election to be held on May 2, 2020 for the purpose of electing School Board Places 3, 4 and 5 to the November 3, 2020 Uniform Election Date.
  - The Board unanimously approved this consideration and read the <u>DeSoto ISD</u>
    <u>Resolution 20-04</u> which formally detailed the amendments the district will make
    in alignment with the Texas Governor's Resolution and the Dallas County
    recommendation.

## **Possible Action Items:**

None

### **Communication Items:**

None

### **Executive Session:**

None

## **Citizens Comments:**

None



# **Next Meeting Information:**

• The next meeting of the DeSoto ISD School Board is scheduled for Tuesday, April 14 at 6:30 PM. Due to health and safety concerns related to the COVID-19 coronavirus, this meeting will be conducted by videoconference or telephone call. At least a quorum of the board will be participating by videoconference or telephone call in accordance with the provisions of Sections 551.125 or 551.127 of the Texas Government Code that have not been suspended by order of the governor.

#### Virtual Conferencing

- In compliance with the recommendations to maintain social distancing and following guidance regarding the amended Open Meetings Act parameters, DeSoto ISD will facilitate the April Board meetings via video conference. We intend to follow the established parameters regarding public inclusion, communication and trustee voting.
- Viewers can access the meeting via DeSoto ISD web site or at this direct link: http://desotoisdtx.swagit.com/live.