

Board of Trustees

May 26, 2022

The Board of Trustees of the Crowley Independent School District met on Thursday, May 26, 2022 at 6:00 p.m. at the Crowley ISD Administration Building, 512 Peach Street, Crowley, TX 76036. A quorum of Board members was present. The meeting was duly called and notice of the meeting was posted in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

ROLL CALL

THE FOLLOWING MEMBERS WERE PRESENT:

June W. Davis
Gary Grassia
Mia Hall
Ryan Ray
Nedra Robinson
La Tonya Woodson-Mayfield

Newly Elected School Board Members also present:

Daryl Davis
Kelicia Lyons

Superintendent Report

Recognition of Outgoing Trustee Ryan Ray, J.D.

The Board recognized outgoing Trustee Ryan Ray for his service to Crowley ISD as a Trustee from May of 2012 to May of 2022.

Oath of Office

Oath of Office Trustee Place 5

Daryl R. Davis, II took the oath of office to serve a three-year term as Crowley ISD School Board Trustee, Place 5.

Oath of Office Trustee Place 6

Gary Grassia took the oath of office to serve a three-year term as Crowley ISD School Board Trustee, Place 6.

Oath of Office Trustee Place 7

Kelicia Lyons took the oath of office to serve a three-year term as Crowley ISD School Board Trustee, Place 7.

Celebrations / Board Points of Pride

Future Educators

On Tuesday, May 10, Ms. Vroon's Practicum of Education and Training students received a surprise visit from Crowley ISD HR personnel, who presented the students with Intent to Hire letters. Once they complete their college degree and get certification, they will have a job waiting for them at Crowley ISD.

Dyslexia Audit

We are excited to recognize the work of our incredible team of dyslexia therapists. The department has received the results of their comprehensive cyclical monitoring review from the Texas Education Agency. Please join us in celebrating them for meeting all requirements successfully. Way to go!

All-Star Celebration

Posters, pompoms, confetti and cheers met our Teachers and Employees of the Year, retirees and service award recipients last Tuesday at the Bill R. Johnson CTE Center. Joining us tonight are our District Teachers of the Year for elementary and secondary, Chauntee Pitts from Parkway Elementary and Zameika Williams from the Bill R. Johnson CTE Center.

J.A. Hargrave Elementary

On Thursday, May 19, J.A. Hargrave Elementary hosted a catered dinner for 100 to honor CLAWS (Creating Leaders to Achieve Worldwide Success) and GWP (Girls with Pearls). Twenty-two GWP's received pearls and twenty CLAWS students received neck ties and checkers sets to celebrate a great year.

Sidney H. Poynter Elementary

We want to give a shout out to Mrs. Warren and Poynter's Performing Arts students for doing such a great job on their end-of-the-year performance, which was appropriately named "The Decades". Students sang and danced their way through the 50's, 60's, 70's and 80's last Thursday, May 19. You can catch a few of these wonderful performances on the Poynter Facebook page.

Crowley ISD Police Department

The Crowley ISD Police Department is busy connecting with students as the year comes to an end. Whether it is graduation, career day at Deer Creek and Oakmont Elementary, or field day at Jackie Carden Elementary, our officers spend every day protecting, serving and building relationships with our students. Thank you for all you do!

2022 Graduation

The class of 2022 said goodbye to high school and hello to the future this past Sunday, May 22, at Globe Life Park. We are beyond proud of the 485 graduates from Crowley High School and 670 graduates from North Crowley High School who participated in commencement this weekend. Our best wishes go with you as you begin this next chapter of your lives.

Recognitions Item(s)

Video Message from Texas Commissioner of Education, Mike Morath

The administration shared a video message from Texas Commissioner of Education Mike Morath regarding a recent visit to Crowley ISD made by members of the State Board of Education and the Texas Education Agency.

UIL Elementary Academics Meeting Champions

More than 500 students in second through fifth grade from across Crowley ISD competed in the UIL Elementary Academics Meet on Saturday, May 14 at the Bill R. Johnson CTE Center.

Students competed in:

- Creative Writing (English and Spanish)
- Number Sense
- Oral Reading (English and Spanish)
- Ready Writing
- Social Studies
- Spelling (English and Spanish)
- Storytelling (English and Spanish)

The first-place winners from each subject area will be introduced to the Board of Trustees.

Mission Possible Champions

Crowley ISD's annual Mission Possible competition included 23 teams competing in the elementary and secondary divisions. The top five elementary teams and top two secondary teams competed at the finals on Friday, May 20. These teams represented the top competing teams in the district:

Elementary

- 1st place: Mission Alliance, June Davis Elementary
- 2nd place: Bubble Guppies, JA Hargrave Elementary
- 3rd place: Gateway to the Jungle, Bess Race Elementary

Secondary

- 1st place: Crowley High School
- 2nd place: Courageous Colts, Summer Creek Middle School

Elementary School Science Community Partner Appreciation: Ginnie Thiebaud

Community member Ginni Thiebaud was recognized for partnering with Crowley ISD to provide approximately 400 chicken eggs for life cycle science lessons for first-grade students in elementary schools across the district.

Report Item(s)

Safe Summer Community Feedback

Crowley ISD recently conducted a Safe Summer Survey of middle and high school students and their parents/guardians and will provide a summary of survey results along with information about continued collaboration with community partners to provide safe, engaging activities for students this summer.

Open Forum

No one spoke during open forum.

No. 8350 Consent Agenda

Member (**June W. Davis**) Moved, Member (**Daryl Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend approval of the Consent Agenda as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 5 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 5 – 0.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes

- Approval of Consent Agenda
- Financial Statements
- Budget Amendment
- Investment Policy Review
- Notice of Public Meeting to Discuss Budget and Tax Rate
- 2022-2023 Student Dress Code
- 2022-2023 Student Fees, Fines and Charges
- Purchase of Classroom Supplies and Materials for Crowley ISD Montessori Academy
- Curriculum & Instruction Program Renewals 2022-2023 School Year
- Construction Lease Agreement and Facility Use Agreement with Ryan Family YMCS for Natatorium Project
- Construction Manager at Risk (CMAR) for Deer Creek Elementary School Kitchen Expansion
- Purchase of StyroGenie Systems for Foam Waste Reduction

Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)

No. 8351 Student Transportation Services Request for Proposals (RFP)

Member (**LaTonya Mayfield**) Moved, Member (**Kelicia Lyons**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend award of the Student Transportation Services RFP to Durham School Services, L.P. using the Hybrid Model (Option 2) as established in the RFP, as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

Future Action Item(s)

Renewal of Contingent Fee Contract with Perdue Brandon Fielder Collins and Mott, LLP pursuant to Section 6.30 of the Tax Code, for Services Related to Delinquent Tax Collections

District Administration is requesting Board approval for the renewal of a contingent fee contract with Perdue Brandon Fielder Collins and Mott, LLP pursuant to Section 6.30 of the Tax Code, said contract being for the collection of delinquent government receivables owed to Crowley Independent School District and notice of said contract is posted with the agenda in accordance with Section 2254 of the Government Code. This is a future action item.

Executive Session

The Board of Trustees convened in Executive Session beginning at 8:10 p.m. and returned to open session at 9:31 p.m.

Consideration and Possible Action Item(s)

No. 8352 Employment of Administrative Personnel – Principal of June W. Davis Elementary School

Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Moved, Member (**La Tonya Mayfield**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend the approval of Dr. Hannah Anthony for the position of Principal of June W. Davis, as presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes

Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

No 8353. Employment of Administrative Personnel – Principal of Crowley Middle School

No action was taken.

No. 8354 2022-2023 Professional Staff Contracts

Member (**Nedra Robinson**) Moved, Member (**Daryl Davis**) Seconded to approve the ORIGINAL motion 'Recommend the approval of the Professional Staff Contracts, presented'. Upon a roll call vote being taken, the vote was: Aye: 7 Nay: 0. The motion Carried unanimously 7 – 0.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

No. 8355 Consider and Take Potential Action on the Nonrenewal of the Term Contract for Employee Arthur Slaughter

No action was taken.

No. 8356 Consider and Take Potential Action on Making a Finding that an Employee Resigned Their Contract After the 45th Day Before the First Day of Instruction of the 2021-2022 School Year Without Good Cause

No action was taken.

Reorganization of Board of Trustees

Attorney Sharesa Alexander facilitated the process of the Reorganization of the Crowley ISD Board of Trustees.

No. 8357 Election of President

June W. Davis nominated Dr. La Tonya Woodson-Mayfield for President of the Board of Trustees. Dr. Mayfield accepted the nomination.

Gary Grassia nominated Dr. Mia Hall for President of the Board of Trustees. Dr. Hall accepted the nomination.

Upon a vote, by a show of hands Dr. Mayfield received a total of 4 votes and Dr. Mayfield was declared President of the CISD Board of Trustees.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	No
Mia Hall	No
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	No
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

No. 8358 Election of Vice-President

Nedra Robinson nominated Gary Grassia for Vice-President of the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Grassia accepted the nomination.

Upon a vote, by a show of hands Gary Grassia received a total of 7 votes and Gary Grassia was declared Vice-President of the CISD Board of Trustees.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

No. 8359 Election of Secretary

Gary Grassia nominated Nedra Robinson for Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

Ms. Robinson accepted the nomination.

Upon a vote, by a show of hands Nedra Robinson received a total of 7 votes and Nedra Robinson was declared Secretary of the CISD Board of Trustees.

Daryl Davis	Yes
June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

No. 8360 Election of Assistant Secretary

Dr. Mayfield nominated Daryl R. Davis, II for Assistant Secretary of the Board of Trustees.

Mr. Davis accepted the nomination.

Upon a vote, by a show of hands Daryl R. Davis, II received a total of 7 votes and was declared Secretary of the CISD Board of Trustees.

Daryl Davis	Yes
-------------	-----

June W. Davis	Yes
Gary Grassia	Yes
Mia Hall	Yes
Kelicia Lyons	Yes
Nedra Robinson	Yes
La Tonya Mayfield	Yes

There being no further business, the president declared the meeting was adjourned at 9:37 p.m.

PRESIDENT _____

SECRETARY _____

ASSISTANT SECRETARY _____