Notice of Work Session
The Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees

A Work Session of the Spring Independent School District Board of Trustees will be held October 4, 2018, beginning at 8:00 PM in the Board Room of the Gordon M. Anderson Leadership Center, 16717 Ella Boulevard, Houston, Texas 77090.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on this meeting notice. Items identified within the consent agenda, if any, will be acted on at a single time unless any specific item is removed from the consent agenda by a Spring ISD Trustee.

Vision Statement
Spring Independent School District will be a district of choice known for high quality academics with innovative and specialized programs that meet the needs of all students in a positive learning environment.

Mission Statement
Spring Independent School District prepares students to be lifelong learners, critical thinkers, and responsible citizens who display good character – ready to contribute, compete, and lead in today’s global society.

I. Call to Order
   The Board President will call the meeting to order.

II. Minutes from Prior Meetings
   The Board will review the minutes from the prior month's meetings.
   A. September 6, 2018 Board Work Session
   B. September 11, 2018 Regular Meeting

III. Opening Remarks
   A. Superintendent of Schools
      The Superintendent will make remarks and announcements.
   B. Strategic Priority Updates
      The Board will receive updates on its strategic priorities for the 2018-2019 academic year
      1. Performing and Visual Arts
      2. Gifted and Talented
      3. Workforce Development
      4. Special Education

IV. Presentations
   A. Dual Language Program Update
      Principals of the three elementary schools implementing the Dual Language Program will provide the Board with an update on the program.
V. Chief of Staff

A. Second Reading of Proposed Revisions to Board Policy CNA(LOCAL) – TRANSPORTATION MANAGEMENT – STUDENT TRANSPORTATION
Chief Julie Hill will present the second reading of proposed revisions to Board Policy CNA(LOCAL).

B. Second Reading of TASB Local Update 111 – Proposed Revisions Affecting the Following Board Policies
Chief Julie Hill will present the second reading of Local Policies revised in TASB Update 111.
1. BBD(LOCAL) – BOARD MEMBERS – TRAINING AND ORIENTATION
2. CAA(LOCAL) – FISCAL MANAGEMENT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES – FINANCIAL ETHICS
3. DH(LOCAL) – EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT
4. DHE(LOCAL) – EMPLOYEE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT – SEARCHES AND ALCOHOL/DRUG TESTING
5. DI(LOCAL) – EMPLOYEE WELFARE
6. FEA(LOCAL) – ATTENDANCE – COMPULSORY ATTENDANCE
7. GKA(LOCAL) – COMMUNITY RELATIONS – CONDUCT ON SCHOOL PREMISES

VI. Chief Operations Officer

A. Middle School #8 Bid Package 4, Fourth Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP)
The Board will consider approving the fourth Guaranteed Maximum Price for Middle School #8 in the amount of $20,177,877.

B. Teacher Training Facility Bid Package #1, First Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP)
The Board will consider approving the first Guaranteed Maximum Price for the Teacher Training Facility Project in the amount of $1,349,326.11.

C. Safety and Security Bid Package A, First Guaranteed Maximum Price (GMP)
The Board will consider approving the first Guaranteed Maximum Price for the Safety and Security Project in the amount of $3,638,912.

VII. Chief of School Leadership and Student Support Services

A. Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Research
The Board will consider approving the resolution that 4-H will be considered as an extracurricular activity and that the Board will recognize the Extension agents as adjunct staff.

B. Affiliation Agreement with Lone Star College System and Spring Independent School District
The Board will consider approving the Affiliation Agreement with Lone Star College and Spring Independent School District for college students to assist nurses in conducting vision and hearing screenings.

C. Credit-by-Examination (CBE) Audit Process EHDC Exhibit
The Board will consider approving the administration’s Credit-by-Examination (CBE) audit process for exams that are internally developed.

VIII. Chief Financial Officer

A. 2018 Appraisal Roll Certification
The Board will ratify the 2018 Appraisal Roll Certification.
B. 2018 Tax Rate
The Board will consider approving a tax rate of $1.51 for the 2018 tax year.

C. Request for Proposals (RFP) #19-005 – Art Supplies, Furniture and Equipment
The Board will consider awarding the contract for Art Supplies, Furniture and Equipment to the providers recommended by the administration.

D. Request for Proposal (RFP) # 19-006 – Fire Alarm Inspections, Parts, and Services
The Board will consider awarding the contract for Fire Alarm Inspections, Parts, and Services to the providers recommended by the administration.

E. Request for Proposal (RFP) # 19-007 – Fire Sprinkler Inspections, Parts, and Services
The Board will consider awarding the contract for Fire Sprinkler Inspections, Parts, and Services to the providers recommended by the administration.

F. Taxpayer Refunds
The Board will consider ratifying refunds exceeding $500.

G. Report of Purchasing Cooperative Purchases Exceeding $50,000
The Board will review the report to be aware of purchasing cooperative orders processed during the period referenced in the report.

IX. Closed Session
There will be a closed session in accordance with Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et. seq.

A. Under Section 551.071 - For the purpose of a private consultation with the Board’s attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized, including any item posted on this agenda

B. Under Section 551.072 - For the purpose of discussing the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property

C. Under Section 551.074 - For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee
   1. The Board will deliberate regarding the Superintendent’s evaluation
   2. The Board will deliberate on employees nominated for special recognition
   3. The Board will deliberate on a recommendation for the termination and finding of no good cause for an employee’s abandonment of contract
   4. The Board will deliberate on the issuance of school district teaching permits for noncore career and technology courses
   5. The Board will deliberate on employee resignations, recommendations to withdraw prior actions taken, recommendations to void employee contracts, recommendations for the proposed termination of employees on probationary and/or term contracts, and final orders for employees on term and probationary contracts previously proposed for termination and/or nonrenewal

D. Under Section 551.076 - To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices

X. Action on Closed Session Items
The Board may take action on items discussed in closed session.

XI. Adjournment
The Board President will adjourn the meeting.
Closed Session Authorization

If during the course of the meeting covered by this notice the board should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session of the board should be held or is required regarding an item posted on the Agenda, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by Chapter 551 of the Texas Government Code (the Open Meetings Act) will be held by the board at the date, hour, and place given in this notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this notice as the board may conveniently meet in such closed or executive session concerning any and all subjects and for any and all purposes permitted by Section 551.071 through Section 551.084 inclusive of said Open Meetings Act including, but not limited to:

Section 551.071 – For the purpose of a private consultation with the board's attorney on any or all subjects or matters authorized;

Section 551.072 – For the purpose of discussing the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property;

Section 551.073 – For the purpose of discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations to the District;

Section 551.074 – For the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee or to hear complaints or charges against a public officer or employee;

Section 551.076 – To consider the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices, or a security audit;

Section 551.082 – For the purpose of considering discipline of a public school child or children, or to hear a complaint or charge brought against a school district employee by another school district employee;

Section 551.0821 – For the purpose of deliberating a matter regarding a public school student if personally identifiable information about the student will necessarily be revealed by the deliberation;

Section 551.083 – For the purpose of considering the standards, guidelines, terms, or conditions the board will follow, or instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups in connection with consultation agreements provided for by Section 13.901 and/or Section 11.151(b) of the Texas Education Code; and

Section 551.084 – For the purpose of excluding any witness or witnesses from a hearing during the examination of another witness.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive session, then such final action, final decision, or final vote shall be at either:

a. the open meeting covered by this notice upon the reconvening of this public meeting; or

b. a subsequent public meeting of the board upon notice thereof, as the board shall determine.

This notice was posted in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act on October 1, 2018.

Rodney E. Watson, Ph.D.
Superintendent of Schools