

Advocacy Advisory Committee

November 18, 2024 Meeting Minutes

The Advocacy Advisory Committee (AAC) met via Zoom on November 18, 2024, from 5:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.

The following attended the meeting:

<u>AAC members:</u> Sandy Dochen, Gabriel Estrada, Heidi Langan, Sarah Levithan Daniels, Linzy Foster, Piper Nelson, Angel Vales Lara, Bardo Montelongo, Amari Pandian, and Joshua Jeon

AISD Trustees and Staff: Trustee Lynn Boswell and Edna Butts,

The meeting was called to order by Co-Chair Angel Vales Lara at 5:03 p.m. There was no public comment.

After the committee members present introduced themselves, Trustee Boswell and Edna Butts provided an update on legislative priorities to be considered and voted on by the Board of Trustees at its November 21, 2024.

Edna Butts provided a summary of the results of the November 5 election and the composition of the upcoming 89th legislature. Ms. Butts shared that pre-filing of bills began November 12 and that 80 bills have been filed thus far. She also provided an update on possible changes in education on the federal level as a result of the election.

The meeting adjourned at 6:12 p.m.