



**Austin Independent School District
Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee
Meeting Agenda
September 24, 2025**

The September 24, 2025 AISD Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee meeting will be held in person at the Outdoor Wonder and Learning Center (formerly Metz Elementary, 84 Robert T Martinez Jr St., Austin, TX 78702), from 5:30-7:30pm. Meeting minutes will be posted [online](#) after the meeting. The public may also [provide comments](#) before 12pm on September 24, 2025.

Committee Charge

The purpose of the Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee (ESAC) is to engage AISD students, staff, parents, and community members in advancing environmental education and sustainable operations that enhance learning and support resilient, healthy, and equitable school communities. The ESAC serves as an advisory body to the Superintendent, who is responsible for administrative decisions and for providing administrative and policy recommendations to the Board for approval. For more information, visit: www.austinisd.org/advisory-bodies/esac.

Agenda Item	Speaker	Time
I. Outdoor Wonder & Learning Center Tour	Colleen Garland & Mandi Golman	5:30-5:45
II. Welcome & Connect	Catherine Martinez	5:45-6:00
III. Public Comments* & Announcements	Darien Clary, Citizens, Members	6:00-6:15
IV. Strategic Planning Meeting Recap	Lavanya Selvam Alli	6:15-6:30
V. District Updates	Darien Clary, Catherine Martinez	6:30-6:50
VI. Working Group Pitches	Working Group Leaders	6:50-7:10
VII. Working Group Activity	Working Group Leaders	7:10-7:25
VIII. Final Remarks & Closing	Lavanya Selvam Alli	7:25-7:30

The Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee may take action during the meeting as it clearly and directly relates to any agenda item, as determined by the presiding co-chairs.

***Public Comments:** The AISD Environmental Stewardship Advisory Committee is committed to providing the public the opportunity to comment, per [district committee communications guidelines](#). Public comments can be provided to the committee in writing through the Austin ISD Let's Talk tool. [Provide your written comment](#) or visit tinyurl.com/ESACcomments. Up to two minutes of each comment will be read aloud during the meeting for a maximum of 10 minutes for all comments. Public comment must be received by 12 p.m. on September 24th. All comments will be provided to the committee in their entirety.

Catherine Martinez and Lavanya Selvam Alli are the ESAC Co-Chairs.