

Notice of Safety and Security Committee Meeting of the Garland Independent School District

Notice is hereby given that on **Tuesday, August 4, 2026**, the Security Department of the Garland Independent School District will hold a **Safety and Security Committee Meeting** at **11:30 AM** at the administrative offices of Garland Independent School District, 601 S. Jupiter Road, Garland, TX 75042.

The subjects to be discussed are listed on the agenda. Items listed on the agenda do not have to be taken in the order shown. If, during the course of the meeting covered by this notice, the Security Dept. should determine that a closed or executive meeting or session is required, then such closed or executive meeting or session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq., will be held 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 Security Dept. may conveniently meet in such closed or executive meeting or session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section:

551.71 Discussing pending/contemplated litigation, settlement offer(s), or matters concerning privileged and unprivileged client information deemed confidential by Rule 1.05 of the Texas Disciplinary Rules of Professional Conduct.

551.72 Deliberating the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.

551.73 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.

551.74 Deliberating the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment duties, discipline, or dismissal of an elected officer or employee.

551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices.

551.82 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.

551.0821 Deliberating a matter regarding a student if personally identifiable information about the student will necessarily be revealed.

551.83 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms, or conditions the Board will follow, or will instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.

551.84 Excluding witnesses from a hearing.

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

- (a) in the open meeting covered by this Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting, or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting upon notice thereof; as the Security Dept. shall determine.

Posted: July 29, 2026 at 10:55 a.m.

Garland Independent School District
Safety and Security Committee Meeting

Tuesday, August 4, 2026

Agenda

11:30 AM

- I. Call to Order and Determination of Quorum
- II. Public Forum: Members of the public who wish to make comments may complete a Public Comment Participation Request in person at Harris Hill Administration Building prior to the start of the meeting indicated in the posting notice. Comments must be limited to issues that can be presented in a public forum and are directly related to the posted and noticed agenda items. Complaints about student discipline, specific student issues or personnel must be addressed through appropriate administrative channels, in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act and Board policy. For more information about public comment procedures, please review the Board Policy for Public Comment accessible at the following link:
<https://pol.tasb.org/Policy/Code/364?filter=BED>
- III. **Introduction of New Committee Members - Mark Quinn**
- IV. **Security Department Update - Mark Quinn**
- V. **Armed Officer Update - Mark Quinn**
- VI. **Operations Update - Michael Smith**
- VII. **Systems Update - Brian Calhoun**
- VIII. **TEA Intruder Detection Audit Overview - Mark Quinn**
- IX. Executive Session: Executive session will be held for purposes permitted by Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.001 et seq.
 - A. Pursuant to Texas Government Code 551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices.
 1. TEA Intruder Detection Audit Report - **Mark Quinn**
- X. Topic of Discussions for Future Meetings - **Mark Quinn**
- XI. Closing Comments - **Dr. Ricardo Lopez**
- XII. Adjournment - **Mark Quinn**