



2019 Citizens Advisory Committee

Meeting #7

Tuesday, December 3, 2019

Friendswood ISD Board Room

402 Laurel Drive, Friendswood, TX 77546

Meeting Content

- Welcome
 - **Thad Roher, Superintendent**
- Address new questions and comments from previous meeting
 - **Thad Roher, Superintendent**
- Safety & Security and Technology needs and proposed projects
 - **Erich Kreiter, Executive Director of Operations**
 - **Tonia Meadows, Executive Director of Technology**
- Review committee charge and decision making
 - **Thad Roher, Superintendent**
- Six-Table Bond Construction activity
 - **Anna Chenier, PBK; all**
- Tables report developed bond packages to committee
 - **Anna Chenier, PBK; all**
- Large-group decision making
 - **Anna Chenier, PBK; all**
- Offer questions, comments and feedback

Questions & Answers

Q: Is assumed property value growth based off historical valuations?

A: Yes, assumptions on growth are conservative and based off of historical property value growth Friendswood ISD has experienced over many years.

Q: Is the cost of technology upgrades affected if a new Cline Elementary Major Project is selected?

A: That possibility was taken into consideration when the budget was drafted, and the amount shown can be applied to an existing Cline or new Cline project.

Q: Are the Technology and Safety & Security project costs a separate bond proposal or are they part of the same bond amount for facility upgrades?

A: They are part of one bond proposal to the Board. The Decision Matrix includes an option to select that scope of work as part of the grand total.

Q: Are the Technology and Safety & Security voted on together or separately?

A: They can be proposed separately.

Q: If we choose to not select the Safety & Security item, are we putting ourselves at risk for anything?

A: No. The existing systems will still work, and parts will be replaced as needed.

Q: Is any part of the final bond proposal giving faculty or administrators any heartache?

A: When called upon, Faculty, Administrators, and Students individually and unanimously expressed approval and excitement for the bond's proposed scope of work.

Q: When will existing debt be paid off?

A: Friendswood ISD's existing debt is scheduled to be paid off February 15, 2037.

Notes

The committee participated in a deliberation and voting process to determine projects to be included in a 2020 bond recommendation. A Bond Recommendation was determined by a full consensus of the committee.