

**Minutes**  
**Monday, June 3, 2024**  
**Special Board Meeting at 12:00 P.M.**  
**Location of Meeting: GISD Administrative Board Room, 1615 St Lawrence St.**  
**Gonzales, Texas 78629**

**Board Members Present:** Ross Hendershot, III, President  
Justin Schwausch, Vice President  
Josie Smith-Wright, Secretary  
Gloria Torres  
Naomi Brown

**Board Member Absent:** Ashley Molina  
D'Anna Robinson

**Item #1. Call to Order**

The Board of Trustees of the Gonzales Independent School District met Monday, June 3, 2024, at the Administrative Office Board Room, Gonzales, Texas. President, Ross Hendershot, III called the meeting to order at 12:00 P.M.

A quorum was declared with 5 members present.

**Invocation, Pledge, Mission Statement**

Gloria Torres gave the Invocation, Justin Schwausch led the Pledge to the Flag, and Naomi Brown read the Mission Statement.

**Item #2: Public Comments:** There were no public comments.

**Item #3: New Business/Action Items:**

**A. Discuss and Consider Action to change the June Regular scheduled Board Meeting to June 24, 2024**

Dr. A, GISD Superintendent of Schools, asked the board to consider moving the regularly scheduled June board meeting from June 10, 2024 to June 24, 2024. Due to a prior family vacation obligation, he would be unable to attend the meeting on June 10<sup>th</sup>.

Josie Smith-Wright made a motion, with a second from Gloria Torres, to move the June regular scheduled board meeting as presented.

The motion carried 5/0.

**B. Discuss and Consider Action to Hire the Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction**

Dr. A went to the board to recommend Dr. Rachelle Ysquierdo as the Executive Director of Curriculum and Instruction.

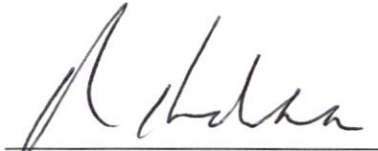
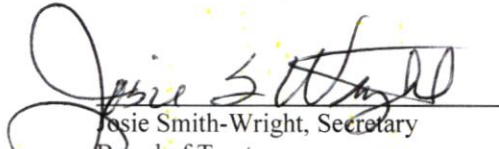
Justin Schwausch made a motion, with a second from Naomi A. Brown to name Dr. Rachelle Ysquierdo as the Executive Director of Curriculum.

Ms. Josie Smith-Wright abstained from voting. She stated that Mrs. Ysquierdo gave an excellent interview and that she does not think that she cannot do the job but the voting was between two candidates. Ms. Smith-Wright abstained from voting.

The motion carried 4/0  
1 abstained

**Item #4 Adjourn**

There being no further business, President Hendershot adjourned the meeting at 12:04 P.M.

  
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Ross Hendershot III, President  
Board of Trustees  
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Josie Smith-Wright, Secretary  
Board of Trustees