# Report of the State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board Monday, November 18, 2024

The State Board of Education Committee of the Full Board met at 1:02 p.m. on Monday, November 18, 2024, in the State Board of Education Room, #1-104, of the William B. Travis Building, 1701 N. Congress Avenue, Austin, Texas. Attendance was noted as follows:

<u>Present</u>: Aaron Kinsey, chair; Rebecca Bell-Metereau; Evelyn Brooks; Staci Childs; LJ Francis; Patricia Hardy; Will Hickman; Keven Ellis; Pam Little; Tom Maynard; Melissa Ortega; Marisa B. Perez-Diaz; Julie Pickren; Audrey Young; Leslie Recine

## **Public Testimony**

The Committee of the Full Board heard public testimony on agenda item #1. Information regarding the individuals who presented public testimony is included in the discussion of that item.

# **DISCUSSION ITEM**

1. Public Hearing Regarding Instructional Materials Submitted for Approval by the State Board of Education Under Instructional Materials Review and Approval Cycle 2024 (Board agenda page I-1)

Public testimony was provided by the following individuals:

NAME: Lisa Adams

AFFILIATION: Temple Independent School District

NAME: Mark Chancey AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Susan Pérez

AFFILIATION: Citizens for Education Reform

NAME: Jomeka Gray

AFFILIATION: Temple Independent School District

NAME: Jonathan Covey AFFILIATION: Texas Values

NAME: Margaret Hess

AFFILIATION: Temple Independent School District

NAME: Courtnie Bagley

AFFILIATION: Texas Public Policy Foundation

NAME: Brittany Minter

AFFILIATION: Temple Independent School District

NAME: Jackie Besinger

AFFILIATION: National Alliance for Education Freedom

NAME: Barbara Baruch AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Mary Elizabeth Castle

AFFILIATION: Texas Values

NAME: Francine Erickson

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Carole Haynes AFFILIATION: Haynes Consulting

NAME: Caren Edelstein AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Lisa Epstein

AFFILIATION: Jewish Federation of San Antonio

NAME: Glenn Melvin AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Megan Benton AFFILIATION: Texas Values

NAME: Mary Lowe

AFFILIATION: Families Engaged

NAME: Grace Bonilla AFFILIATION: Texas Impact

NAME: Julia Brookins

AFFILIATION: American Historical Association

NAME: Karla Gant AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Catrina Berka AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Penny Simmons AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Jeralee Smith AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Renate Sims AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Courtney Torreto

AFFILIATION: Anti-Defamation League

NAME: Cindi Castilla AFFILIATION: Texas Eagle Forum

NAME: Tammy Fogle AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Patrick Huff

AFFILIATION: Texas Truth Movement

NAME: Eric Bengs AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Alice Linahan AFFILIATION: Women on the Wall

NAME: Mark Lugo

AFFILIATION: SA Impact Ministries

NAME: Martin Fadden AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Gladys Fadden AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Cecillia Wood AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Hector Flores

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Lynn Davenport

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Amanda Tyler

AFFILIATION: Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty

NAME: Mara Bim AFFILIATION: Faith Commons

NAME: Meg Bakich AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Ann Kimura AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Robert Norris

AFFILIATION: Grandparents for Public Schools

NAME: Lisa Jacob

AFFILIATION: Baptist Joint Committee

NAME: Alfredo Ruiz

AFFILIATION: Centro Cristiano Lirio de los Valles

NAME: Shanda Hasse AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Jeana Foxman

AFFILIATION: Concerned Citizen of Texas

NAME: Liz Case AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Meagan Tehseldar

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Susan Nayak AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Katheryn Barlow- Williams AFFILIATION: Central Presbyterian Church

NAME: Susan Scruggs AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Tami Keeling AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Georgia McKee

AFFILIATION: Wilshire Baptist Church

NAME: Laura Smith

AFFILIATION: Wilshire Baptist Church

NAME: Anna Kathryn Roome

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Cindy Asmussen

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Ana Cordova AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Joseph Montalvo AFFILIATION: Discipleship Center

NAME: Sharyn Vane AFFILIATION: Individual NAME: Cynthia Estee

AFFILIATION: Wilshire Baptist Church

NAME: Kim Batchelor

AFFILIATION: Texas Christians for Reproductive Justice

NAME: Brenda Howard AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Richard Vega

AFFILIATION: Community Transformation Church

NAME: Janey Anderson

AFFILIATION: Citiznes for Educational Reform

NAME: Krish Naath

AFFILIATION: Students Engaged in Advancing Texas

NAME: Alejandra Ruiz

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Olga Elisa Vega

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Bryan Register AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Tracy Hanes AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Laura Reagan

AFFILIATION: Lubbock Area Republican Women

NAME: Maggie Morey

AFFILIATION: Baptist Joint Committee

NAME: Gay Herrin AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Calvin Miller

AFFILIATION: 1 Team 1 Fight Ministries

NAME: Abby Burnham AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Arshia Papari AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Alice Barnett AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Erin Greene AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Jonathan Davis

AFFILIATION: Baptist Joint Committee for Religious Liberty

NAME: Terry Kosobud

AFFILIATION: Grandparents for Public Schools

NAME: Cynthia Alderete AFFILIATION: Deep Grace Ministries

NAME: Kay Harris

AFFILIATION: Citizens for Education Reform

NAME: Jan Powell

AFFILIATION: Citizens for Education Reform

NAME: Martha Fierro

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Francisco Fierro

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Claudia Rodriguez

AFFILIATION: Iglesia Cristiana Palabra de Poder

NAME: Joseph Mendez

AFFILIATION: Texas Rotunda Prayer and Worship

NAME: Bonnie Wallace

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Keri Thomas AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Ginger Moore

AFFILIATION: San Angelo Republican Women

NAME: Gloria Toti AFFILIATION: Trinity Church

NAME: Carlton Johnson AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Carolina Villarreal

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Rocio Fierro-Perez AFFILIATION: Texas Freedom Network NAME: Sally Arendell AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Mary Ann Jackson

AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Veronica Rosas AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Glenn Lawrence AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Anna Menjares AFFILIATION: Individual

NAME: Anita Kegley AFFILIATION: Individual

## **ACTION ITEMS**

2. Consideration of Instructional Materials Offered for Approval Under Instructional Materials Review and Approval Cycle 2024

(Board agenda page I-2) [Official agenda item #3]

This item was postponed to the November 19, 2024, meeting of the Committee of the Full Board.

#### **MOTION AND VOTE:**

3. Approval of Updates to and Ratification of Standards- Alignment Percentages for Instructional Materials Adopted Under *Proclamation 2024* 

(Board agenda page I-4) [Official agenda item #3]

This item was postponed to the November 19, 2024, meeting of the Committee of the Full Board.

4. Approval of Proposed Quality Rubrics for Instructional Materials Review and Approval Cycle 2025 and Amendments to Existing Rubrics

(Board agenda page I-6) [Official agenda item #4]

This item was postponed to the November 19, 2024, meeting of the Committee of the Full Board.

5. Approval of Proposed Technical and Conforming Edits to the State Board of Education's Suitability Rubric

(Board agenda page I-8) [Official agenda item #5]

This item was postponed to the November 19, 2024, meeting of the Committee of the Full Board.

6. Proposed Amendment to 19 TAC Chapter 67, <u>State Review and Approval of Instructional Materials</u>, Subchapter B, <u>State Review and Approval</u>, §67.25, <u>Consideration and Approval of Instructional Materials by the State Board of Education</u> (Second Reading and Final Adoption)

(Board agenda page I-10) [Official agenda item #6]

This item was postponed to the November 19, 2024, meeting of the Committee of the Full Board.

Chairman Kinsey adjourned the meeting at 9:29 p.m.