

Notice and Agenda
Meeting of the Board of Directors of ARISE, Inc.
Thursday, August 24, 2023, at 4:00pm

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Directors of ARISE, Inc. will be held on August 24, 2023. The Board will convene the meeting in Open Session at 4:00pm. The Board will meet at 302 N. Town East Blvd., Sunnyvale, TX 75182.

It is the intent of the Board to have a quorum physically present at the above address. Board members not physically present may participate by live two-way video and audio feed in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act. If a quorum of the Board cannot be physically present at the above address, it is the intent to have the presiding officer physically present at the above address.

Items will not necessarily be discussed or considered in the order they are printed on the agenda below. If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in an executive or closed session, the Board will convene in such executive or closed session as permitted by and in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Chapter 551.

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- A. Roll Call; Establishment of Quorum; Call to Order
 - B. Public Comments (At each regular meeting, the Board will allot 20 minutes to hear persons who desire to make comments to the Board generally during public comment and shall allot time to hear persons who desire to make comments to the Board both generally and on specific agenda items. Persons who wish to participate in this portion of the meeting shall sign up with the presiding officer or designee before the meeting begins and shall indicate the topic about which they wish to speak. Each person who signs up shall be allowed to address the Board one time for no more than 3 minutes. Delegations of more than five persons are encouraged to appoint one person to present their views before the Board. If there are no public communications or comments, the board will proceed to other business. Please be advised that Board Meetings are meetings open to the public, not public meetings. The presiding officer reserves the right to set a time limit for public comments and other reasonable restrictions in accordance with applicable law.)
 - C. Receive and approve Minutes of previous meeting(s).
 - D. Review, discuss and possible action to....
 - a. Superintendent's Report
 - i. New Laws and Bills Update

- ii. Charter FIRST Rating
 - iii. Charter FIRST Rating Appeal
 - iv. Legal Update
 - b. STAAR Scores
 - c. A-F Rating
 - d. Campus Improvement Plans
 - e. Enrollment Update
 - f. Guardian Program Update
 - g. Board Training
- E. Closed Session: The Board may adjourn into Closed Session on any item listed above or below as appropriate to that item pursuant to the Texas Open Meetings Act.
- F. Reconvene into Open Session and Take Action, if any, on Items Discussed in Closed Session.
- G. Consent Items
 - a. Board Member Candidate
 - b. Financial Report
 - c. 2022-2023 Amended Budget
 - d. 2023-2024 Budget
 - e. Auditor and CPA
 - f. Region 11 Interlocal Agreement
 - g. Region 11 Services
 - h. Region 10 Services
 - i. TEKS Certification
 - j. Emergency Operations Plan (EOP)
 - k. 2023-2024 Superintendent Contract
 - l. Personnel
 - m. Authorized Officials and/or Designees
 - n. Board Member Resignations

H. Adjourn

In accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act (Subchapters D and E of Ch. 551, Tex. Gov't Code), the Board may enter closed meeting to deliberate any subject authorized by Subchapter D that is listed on the Agenda for this meeting.

Any final action, decision, or vote on a subject deliberated in closed meeting will be taken in an open meeting held in compliance with the Texas Open Meetings Act.

This notice was posted by 3:00pm, August 21, 2023.