



BOARD BRIEFS

Meet the Board Members

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Board Recognitions

The Board recognized the following student reps for the month of November

Laney Farrell, senior at Samuel Clemens High School:



Devin Moore, senior at Byron P. Steele High School:



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Board Meeting Highlights/November 2021

New Trustees Elected

The election that saw two new school board members elected, one incumbent re-elected and another new member running unopposed was canvassed and certified at a called meeting held on November 15, 2021.

Amy Thomas defeated incumbent Gary Inmon in Place 5 while Belinda Evans won her election against Tony Lehman for Place 7 in the vote to replace outgoing President Amy Driesbach. Ed Finley held on to his seat in Place 4 over challenger Dudley Wait and Dan Swart ran unopposed for the vacancy created by the retirement of David Pevoto in Place 6.

New Board Officers

SCUC ISD reorganized its officers, installing Jerry Perkins as President, Mr. Ed Finley as Vice-President, Mrs. Leticia Sever as Secretary, and Mrs. Belinda Evans as Assistant Secretary at the regular meeting held on November 16, 2021. The law requires a school board to reorganize by electing a president and secretary at the first meeting after an election and qualification of trustees.

Outgoing Trustees Amy Driesbach, David Pevoto and Gary Inmon were thanked for their years of service on the school board. They were given an opportunity to address the Trustees, Superintendent Dr. Clark Ealy and members of the community in attendance. Dr. Ealy then presented each departing Trustee with a years of service award as a small measure of thanks for their commitment to the education of the children in the SCUC ISD community.

New Director of Marketing & Community Engagement

SCUC ISD Trustees approved the recommendation of Mrs. Deanna Jackson as the district's new Director of Marketing & Community Engagement. Mrs. Jackson has been serving as principal at Max & Lutrell Watts Elementary School since February of 2017. She will assume her new role on January 3, 2022.

Other Actions

Trustees accepted the Superintendent's report on budgeted purchases over \$50,000, which included seven new buses, laptops for district employees and three new trucks for the Maintenance Department.