REPORT FROM THE SUPERINTENDENT

Office of Superintendent of Schools
Board of Education Meeting of September 8, 2011

SUBJECT: BOARD MONITORING SYSTEM–GOAL 3: PROVIDE A SAFE ENVIRONMENT

At the March 2007 meeting, the Board of Education implemented a revised Board Monitoring System in order to efficiently maintain and measure Houston Independent School District’s (HISD) goals and core values. The monitoring system was designed to give district administrators clear direction on how to meet the board’s expectations in these crucial areas.

Board Policy AE(LOCAL) requires that “[T]he administration shall report to the Board of Education on each goal and core value using the specific method and timing set out . . .”

In reference to the district’s Goal 3: Provide a Safe Environment, the attached report provides information regarding Section A. Increase Emphasis on Providing a Safe Environment for All Who Are at District Schools and Facilities or Attending District-Related Events. The policy states that “[T]he District shall create a safe environment conducive to learning for all students and provide safety and security measures at District schools and facilities, and while attending District-related events.”

This report provides the information requested for the 2010–2011 school year.