



IDEA Public Schools
2115 W. Pike Blvd.
Weslaco, Texas 78596

School Health Advisory Council Meeting Minutes
April 23, 2026

Committee Members Present: Abigail Saldaña Mendez, Marisol Castro, Diana Pesina, Maribel Leos, LaShawnda Moore, Mimi Kalgge, Moises Arjona, Pablo Mejia, Amanda Krippel, Fernando Aguilar, Dr. Joëlisse Galarza-Davis, Eva Rodriguez, Layne Fisher.
Mimi Kalgge joined the meeting at 6:06 PM CST.

Committee Members Not Present: Jaqueta Clyburn

Staff Present: Amanda Garza, April Seidensticker, Eren Kirksey, George Whatley, Elizabeth Valades.

Audience Present: None

Welcome and Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Eva Rodriguez, VP of Student Health and Wellness, at 6:02 PM CST.

Business Meeting

- A. Eva Rodriguez, VP of Student Health and Wellness, presented the first item on the agenda, which was to approve the previous SHAC Meeting Minutes. The Committee passed a motion to approve the March 31, 2026, SHAC Meeting Minutes.

Motion by: Moises Arjona

Second by: Marisol Castro

Motion passed unanimously.

- B. Next, Pablo Mejia, Sr. VP of Program Innovation, and Subcommittee Chair, Mimi Klagge, presented the Subcommittee Updates on the Physical Education and Health Education Curriculum. Mr. Mejia shared that the Subcommittee began discussion on the process of curriculum review and focus.

- C. Eva Rodriguez continued with a presentation on Health and Wellness at IDEA that included an overview of the program and services provided.
- D. Next, George Whatley, Assistant Director of Safety and Security, and Amanda Garza, School Safety Compliance Manager, shared a presentation on School Safety 101. The Safety and Security team shared information on Emergency Response Protocols, the Campus Crisis Team, and best practices regarding parent involvement.
- E. The next item on the agenda was to discuss the Annual SHAC Report, and it was presented by Eva Rodriguez. The Committee passed a motion to recommend the 26-27 Annual SHAC Report to the Board of Directors.

Motion by: LaShawnda Moore
Second by: Marisol Castro
Motion passed unanimously.

Adjourn

Eva Rodriguez adjourned the meeting at 6:50 PM CST.

I certify that the foregoing are the true and correct minutes of the School Health Advisory Council Meeting held on April 23, 2026

Ed Rivera, Board Secretary

Date Signed