

**NOTICE OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING ON THE
HIDALGO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT'S 2024-2025 FINANCIAL
INTEGRITY RATING SYSTEM OF TEXAS (FIRST) ACCOUNTABILITY RATING
BASED ON SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024 DATA
MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2025 – 6:00 P.M.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE TEXAS OPEN MEETINGS ACT, CHAPTER 551.001, ET. SEQ., TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE (SECTION 551.071), THAT THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE HIDALGO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT WILL HOLD A REGULAR BOARD MEETING AND PUBLIC HEARING ON THE HIDALGO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT'S 2024-2025 FINANCIAL INTEGRITY RATING SYSTEM OF TEXAS (FIRST) ACCOUNTABILITY RATING BASED ON SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024 DATA ON THE 1ST DAY OF DECEMBER 2025 AT 6:00 P.M. IN THE HIDALGO ISD LEARNING RESOURCE CENTER, 524 SOUTH BRIDGE STREET, HIDALGO TEXAS, HIDALGO COUNTY. THE SUBJECTS FOR DISCUSSION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ARE LISTED ON THE ATTACHED AGENDA.

DATED THIS 18TH DAY OF NOVEMBER 2025

SEAL

YESENIA AYALA, PRESIDENT
HIDALGO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

**AVISO DE JUNTA REGULAR Y AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA SOBRE LA CALIFICACIÓN DE
RESPONSABILIDAD DE TEXAS (FIRST) DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE HIDALGO
PARA 2024-2025 BASADO EN LOS DATOS DEL AÑO ESCOLAR 2023-2024
LUNES, 1 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2025 – 6:00 P.M.**

AVISO DE ACUERDO CON EL REQUERIMIENTO DEL GOBIERNO DEL ESTADO DE TEXAS, CAPITULO 551.001 Y SIGUIENTES, (SECCION 551.071) DE LA ACTA DE JUNTA PUBLICA, LA MESA DIRECTIVA DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE HIDALGO SE REUNIRÁ PARA UNA JUNTA REGULAR Y AUDIENCIA PÚBLICA SOBRE LA CALIFICACIÓN DE RESPONSABILIDAD DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE DE HIDALGO PARA 2024-2025 DEL SISTEMA DE CALIFICACIÓN DE INTEGRIDAD FINANCIERA DE TEXAS (PRIMERA) BASADO EN DATOS DEL AÑO ESCOLAR 2023-2024 EL DÍA 1 DE DICIEMBRE DE 2025 A LAS 6:00 P.M. EN EL CENTRO DE RECURSOS DE APRENDIZAJE, CALLE BRIDGE, 524 SUR, EN EL CONDADO DE HIDALGO, HIDALGO, TEXAS., LA CUAL SE LLEVARÁ LA SIGUIENTE AGENDA PARA DISCUSIÓN Y POSIBLE ACCIÓN.

DOY FE CON MI FIRMA ESTE DÍA 18 DE NOVIEMBRE DEL 2025

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DE LA MESA DIRECTIVA DEL DISTRITO
ESCOLAR DE HIDALGO

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RATING BASED ON SCHOOL YEAR 2023-2024
MONDAY, DECEMBER 1, 2025
6:00 PM**

The Hidalgo Independent School District, Board of Trustees will hold a Notice of Regular Board Meeting and Public Hearing on Hidalgo Independent School District's 2024-2025 Financial Integrity Rating System of Texas (FIRST) Accountability Rating Based on School Year 2023-2024 on Monday, December 1, 2025 at 6:00 PM in the Learning Resource Center, 524 South Bridge Street, Hidalgo, Texas 78557. The items for discussion and possible action are listed on the Agenda.

AGENDA

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

☐ Yesenia Ayala, President	☐ Raymundo Martinez, Vice-President
☐ Diana Gaona, Secretary	☐ Jennifer Quintero, Treasurer
☐ Luis Trejo Jr., Member	☐ Benjamin Arjona, Member
☐ Martin Carrasco, Member	☐ Dr. J.A. Gonzalez, Superintendent
☐ Eden Ramirez, School Board Attorney	

III. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE, TEXAS PLEDGE AND OPENING PRAYER

**IV. PUBLIC HEARING ON THE DISTRICT'S FINANCIAL INTEGRITY RATING
SYSTEM OF TEXAS (FIRST) ACCOUNTABILITY RATING FOR THE FISCAL
YEAR ENDED 8/31/25**

- A. Presentation of FIRST Accountability Rating of Hidalgo ISD
Ms. G. Garza
- B. Public Comments on Hidalgo ISD FIRST Accountability Rating
- C. Discuss and Approve Texas Education FIRST Report
- D. Closing of Public Hearing

V. PUBLIC COMMENTS:

VI. ACTION TAKEN ON CONSENT ITEMS:

- A. Other:

1. Consider and take action on request for Student to travel out-of-town/
overnight:

a. The Eighth Grade GEAR UP Students are requesting permission to participate in the THLA Fall Hotel Camp at South Padre Island, Texas from December 11-13, 2025.

Mr. F. Rios

b. The Track and Field Team is requesting permission to travel to Lubbock, Texas on January 22-24, 2026, to the Texas Tech University High School Indoor Invitational. February 27-28, 2026, Wildcat Relays - Gregory Portland, Texas. If the team qualifies they will be traveling to Austin, Texas on March 26-28, 2026, Texas Relays.

Mr. J. Wheeler, Mr. E. Blanco

c. Ida Diaz Jr. High 7th Grade Students are requesting permission to travel to San Antonio, Texas on Friday, December 12, 2025. The purpose of this trip is to provide the 7th grade students an opportunity to do field lessons at the San Antonio Missions National Historic Park and the Alamo.

Mr. F. Rios

VII. ADJOURNMENT:

Agenda items may be considered, deliberated and/or acted upon in a different order than numbered above. The Board of Trustees of The Hidalgo ISD reserves the right to adjourn into Executive (Closed) Session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the items listed on this agenda as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings Act. No final action will be taken in Executive Session.

Public Input Policy: "During the meeting, the Hidalgo ISD will allow for an open public forum/ comment period. This comment period shall not exceed one-half hour (1/2) hour in length and each speaker will be allowed a maximum of three (3) minutes to speak. All individuals desiring to address the Hidalgo ISD must sign up to do so, prior to the open comment period. The purpose of this comment period is to provide the public an opportunity to address issues or topics that are under the jurisdiction of the Hidalgo ISD. For issues or topics which are not otherwise part of the posted agenda for the meeting, members may direct staff to investigate the issue or topic further. No action or discussion shall be taken on the issues or topics which are not part of the posted agenda for the meeting. Members of the public may be recognized on posted agenda items deemed appropriate by the President as the items are considered, and the same time limitation of three (3) minutes applies."

YESENIA AYALA, PRESIDENT
HIDALGO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Posted: Date _____ Time: _____
By: _____