

MULTI-ETHNIC COMMITTEE (MEC)

MEETING MINUTES

DATE	08/26/2024	TIME	6:30 P.M	CALL TO ORDER	Timothy Robinson
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ATTENDEES		
GISD Representatives	MEC Committee Members	MEC Student Members
Dr. Lakisha Culpepper	Mr. Timothy Robinson, MEC Chairman	LCHS
	Dr. Bonnie Martinez, MEC Vice-Chairman	RHS
	Dr. Patrick Cook, MEC Secretary	NFHS
	Ms. Pauline Sias	GHS
	Ms. Vanessa Vanpelt	NGHS

AGENDA

TIME	ITEM	OWNER
5 minutes	Call to Order	Mr. Timothy Robinson
5 minutes	Invocation and Pledge of Allegiance	Mr. Timothy Robinson
5 minutes	Approved Meeting Minutes	MEC Board Members
60 minutes	Review of Order Presentation Kinkeade Report Activity	Dr. Patrick Cook Dr. Martinez
10 minutes	MEC Election of Officers - President Elect - Secretary	Dr. Lakisha Culpepper
10 minutes	Garland ISD Updates and NAACP Updates	Dr. Lakisha Culpepper
5 minutes	Adjournment	Mr. Timothy Robinson

Meeting Minutes

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m., by MEC Chairman Tim Robison
2. MEC Chairman opened the meeting with a warm welcome, followed by the invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance.
3. Committee members reviewed of the minutes from the previous meeting, and MEC Secretary Dr. Patrick Cook moved that the minutes be accepted, and MEC Vice-Chairman Dr. Martinez seconded the motion.
4. Dr. Culpepper then provided an orientation of the website and show the new and return minutes where the minutes are posted
5. MEC Chairman, MEC Vice-Chairman, and MEC Secretary presented a training on the 1970 Desegregation Order starting with an introduction of the MEC committee and student members.
6. After the training session, proposed meetings and membership information were presented, with the packet including a procedural handbook and a QR code for feedback and comments.
7. The election of officers took place, with Dr. Patrick Cook nominating Dr. Bonnie Martinez as MEC Chairperson for the 2024–2026 term, and Vanessa Vanpelt nominating Dr. Patrick Cook as MEC Vice-Chairman, and Dr. Patrick Cook then nominated Vanessa Vanpelt to serve as MEC Secretary for the up-coming term.
8. The meeting adjourned at 7:35.