

WITNESS LIST

Education

September 13, 2012 9:00 AM

Interim Charge #4

Panel 1: Research and Background

ON:

Givens, Anita Associate Commissioner, Standards and Programs (Texas Education Agency), Austin, TX

Lindsey, Jan Assistant Director, Federal and State Education Policies (also providing written testimony) (Texas Education Agency), Austin, TX

Smith, Thomas Director and Professor (also providing written testimony) (National Center on Scaling Up Effective Schools Vanderbilt University), Nashville, TN

Wofford, Molly Executive Director (also providing written testimony) (Texas Partnership for Out of School Time (TxPOST)), Austin, TX

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Panel 2: School Turnaround & Dropout Prevention

FOR:

Watson, Rodney Chief HR Officer (also providing written testimony) (HISD), Houston, TX

ON:

Chavarria, Sandra G. President and CEO (also providing written testimony) (Communities in Schools), Dallas, TX

King, Daniel Superintendent (also providing written testimony) (Parr-San Juan-Alamo ISD (PSJA)), Pharr, TX

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Panel 3: College & Career Readiness At-Risk Student

ON:

Nelson, Jim Executive Director/CEO (also providing written testimony) (AVID Center), Austin, TX

Zipkes, Steven Principal Manor New Tech (also providing written testimony) (Manor New Tech, Manor ISD), Round Rock, TX

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Panel 4: Learning Time

ON:

Alexander-Mitchell, Lona Project Director Tx 21st CCLC grant (also providing written testimony) (Beaumont ISD), Beaumont, TX

Altobelli, Joan President Texas Afterschool Association (also providing written testimony) (Organization), Cedar Park, TX

Griffith, Michael Senior Policy Analyst (also providing written testimony) (Education Commission of the States)

Infante, Eduardo Superintendent (also providing written testimony) (Lyford CISD), Lyford, TX

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Public Testimony

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Heimrich, LBJ School, Carolyn Sid Richardson Professor of Public Affairs (also providing written testimony) (Univ. of Texas, LBJ School), Austin, TX

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FOR:

Aidman, Barry Executive Director (also providing written testimony) (Breakthrough Austin), Austin, TX

Armendariz, Monica President (Central Texas After School Network), Austin, TX

Litton, Todd C. Executive Director (Citizen Schools), Houston, TX

Marini, Terri Vice President of Programs (Dallas After School Network), Dallas, TX

McRoberts, Mary Executive Director (also providing written testimony) (Texas Alliance of Boys and Girls Clubs), Dripping, TX

Stewart, Melissa M. COO and Executive Director of The Bettive; President of SETAA (South East Texas Afterschool Association), Houston, TX

Thompson Caruthers, Lisa Director, Cooperative for After School Enrichment (Harris County Dept. of Ed.), Houston, TX

ON:

Justice, Shirlene President, Texas Partnership for Out of School Time (Texas Partnership for Out of School Time), Austin, TX

Kimball, Mandi Director of Public Policy + Govt Affairs (also providing written testimony) (CHILDREN at RISK), Houston, TX

Quinzi, Patty Legislative Counsel (also providing written testimony) (TX - AFT (American Federation of Teachers)), Austin, TX

Registering, but not testifying:

AGAINST:

Schwager, Candice President/CEO (Attorneys for Special Needs Children + Schwager Law Firm), Seabrook, TX

Schwager (10), Zachary Son/ Candice Schwager ((no reaction needed)), Seabrook, TX

ON:

Bacak, Brittany (Self), Austin, TX

Grey, John Government Relations Specialist (Texas State Teachers Association), Austin, TX

Guilbeaux, Megan Student (-), Austin, TX

Lind, Ariel (Self), Austin, TX

Padron, Elizabeth Student (Self), Austin, TX

Padron, Jossette Student (-), San Marcos, TX

Quartemaine, Alexander Student Texas State University (Self), Austin, TX

Rosales, Stephanie TX State Univ Soc Wk (Self), NB, TX

Travis, Raphael Assistant Professor (Self), Austin, TX

Valladares, Susana (Self), Elgin, TX

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Wagner, Jennifer (Tx State Social Work), Austin, TX

Zetino, Vanessa Student (-), San Marcos, TX

Providing written testimony:

FOR:

Van Beck, Scott Executive Director (Houston A+ Challenge), Houston, TX