

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD DECLINING TO ADOPT A POLICY AUTHORIZING EVERY CAMPUS OF THE DISTRICT TO HIRE A CHAPLAIN UNDER TEXAS EDUCATION CODE SECTION 33.002

WHEREAS, under Senate Bill 763 (“SB 763”), passed by the 88th Texas Legislature, a school district may employ a chaplain instead of a school counselor to perform the duties of a school counselor under Texas Education Code Chapter 33; and

WHEREAS, under SB 763, each board of trustees of a school district shall take a record vote between September 1, 2023, and March 1, 2024, on whether to adopt a policy authorizing a campus of the district to employ or accept as a volunteer a chaplain under Texas Education Code Sections 33.002 and 48.115.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Board of Trustees of Edgewood Independent School District hereby declines to adopt a policy authorizing every campus of the district to hire a chaplain under Sections 33.002 and 48.115, Education Code, as added by SB 763.

Adopted this 24th day of October 2023 by the Board of Trustees.

Martha Castilla
Board President:
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Board Secretary:




