

(COPY OF MINUTES APPEARING OF RECORD IN THE MINUTE BOOK  
OF THE LAREDO INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT)

ORDER OF ELECTION

The State of Texas )  
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County of Webb )  
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Laredo Independent School District)

Whereas, the following is a certified copy of an excerpt from the Minutes of the State Board of Education meeting held in Austin, Texas, on August 19th, 1946:

Whereas, in accordance with Article 2815h of the Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, a petition bearing the signatures of 948 persons praying for an election in the Laredo Independent School District to create and establish a municipal junior college district to be known as the Laredo Municipal Junior College District and comprising all of the territory contained in the City of Laredo in Webb County, Texas, and also authorizing and empowering the Board of School Trustees for the government, administration, and control of said municipal junior college district, if established, to levy a tax upon all taxable property in said municipal junior college district at a rate not to exceed 20¢ on each \$100.00 valuation for the support and maintenance of said Board of School Trustees at Laredo, Texas, of the Laredo Independent School District; and

Whereas, the Laredo Independent School District is a district having the same metes and bounds as the City of Laredo; and of the qualified tax-paying voters of the City of Laredo and Laredo Independent School District; and

Whereas, the Laredo Independent School District has an assessed taxable property valuation considerably in excess of \$12,000,000.00; and

Whereas, during the next preceding school year it had a qualified high school with an average daily attendance greatly in excess of 400 students in the last four years of said high school; and

Whereas, there is a great need for a junior college in the geographic area surrounding the City of Laredo; and

Whereas, the Board of School Trustees has checked the legality and genuineness of said petition, and in said Board's opinion, such petition is legal and genuine in all respects;

Therefore, be it resolved by the State Board of Education of Texas, that the above mentioned petition praying for an election in the Laredo Independent School District for the purpose of creating and establishing a municipal junior college district to be known as the Laredo Municipal Junior College District and comprising all of the territory contained in the City of Laredo in Webb County, Texas, and also authorizing and empowering the Board of School Trustees for the government, administration, and control of said municipal junior college district, if established,

to levy a tax upon all taxable property in said municipal junior college district, is, in the opinion of the said Board of Education of Texas, legal and genuine; and

Be it further resolved that the said petition above mentioned, is in all respects approved, and the Board of School Trustees of the Laredo Independent School District is hereby authorized to order an election as requested in said petition, and to enter such further orders and take such further procedure as may be provided by law in the establishment of said municipal junior college district.

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I, L. A. Woods, State Superintendent of Public Instruction and ex officio Secretary of the State Board of Education do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of excerpts from the minutes of the meeting of the State Board of Education held on August 19, 1946, as same appear on record in the Minute Book of said Board on file in the office of the State Department of Education, Austin, Texas.

GIVEN under my hand and seal of office this 28th day of August, 1946.

(Signed) L. A. Woods  
State Superintendent of Public  
Instruction and Ex Officio  
Secretary, State Board of  
Education

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