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Coming to a School Near You – SFDR Organizes Parent Information Meetings on the TRE

San Felipe Del Rio CISD has begun its quest to inform local groups and organization about the upcoming Tax Ratification Election (TRE). Beginning next week, parents and local citizens will have an opportunity to attend an informal, yet importantly critical meeting at their neighborhood school to help them understand the facts about the TRE.

School board members and Administration have paired up to explain how voter approval in this election would increase the state revenue that helps pay for the maintenance and operations of our schools, such as teacher salaries and insurance benefits, costs to improve safety in our schools and costs for programs and services. The predominant message in the TRE presentations is that there is no increase to the overall school tax rate. If the TRE is approved property owners, including those who are aged 65 and over, will continue to pay the same current tax rate of \$1.1598 per \$100 valuation of their property.

Parent Information Meeting Schedule:

Tuesday, Oct. 9	9:15 a.m.	Irene C. Cardwell Elem. (Library Conference Room)
Thursday, Oct. 11	12:30 p.m.	Dr. Lonnie Green Elem. (Library)
Friday, Oct. 12	11:00 a.m.	Lamar Elem. (Library Conference Room)
Tuesday, Oct. 16	11:30 a.m.	North Heights Elem. (Room A306)
Friday, Oct. 19	2:00 p.m.	Buena Vista Elem. (Teacher's Lounge)
Tuesday, Oct. 23	12:30 p.m.	Garfield Elem. (Library Conference Room)
Wednesday, Oct. 24	2:00 p.m.	Ruben Chavira Elem. (Cafeteria)
Thursday, Oct. 25	8:30 a.m.	Calderon Elem. (Cafeteria)
Thursday, Oct. 25	2:00 p.m.	Del Rio Middle School (Library Viewing Room)
Friday, Oct. 26	1:00 p.m.	Blended Academy (Cafeteria)
Monday, Oct. 29	10:00 a.m.	Del Rio Freshman (Library)
Tuesday, Oct. 30	10:00 a.m.	Laughlin STEM Magnet (Cafeteria)
Thursday, Nov. 1	10:00 a.m.	San Felipe Memorial Middle School (Cafeteria)
Thursday, Nov. 1	12 noon	Del Rio High School (TBD)
Friday, Nov. 2	9:00 a.m.	Early College High School (Commons Area)