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TASA Announces Regional Nominees for 2019 Outstanding School Board

AUSTIN – Thirteen Texas school district boards of trustees have been selected as regional nominees for the 2019 Texas Association of School Administrators (TASA) School Board Awards. The regional nominees for 2019 Outstanding School Board of the Year are:

Texas Education Service Center Region	School District	Nominating Superintendent
1	Harlingen CISD	Art Cavazos
2	Beeville ISD	Marc Puig
2	Premont ISD	Steve VanMatre
4	Pasadena ISD	DeeAnn Powell
5	Bridge City ISD	Todd Lintzen
7	Tyler ISD	Marty Crawford
10	Rockwall ISD	JJ Villarreal
11	Denton ISD	Jamie Wilson
12	Copperas Cove ISD	Joe Burns
13	Giddings ISD	Roger Dees
16	Canyon ISD	Darryl Flusche
17	Frenship ISD	Michelle McCord
20	Boerne ISD	Thomas Price

Texas school superintendents who are TASA members and meet other criteria may nominate their boards of trustees for the TASA School Board Awards. Committees of TASA members organized by Texas' regional education service centers review the nominations and select up to two school boards for consideration for the state-level awards: one with fewer than 1,000 students and one with 1,000 or more students.

TASA's School Board Awards Committee will meet in late July to select up to five of the nominated boards to be recognized as Honor Boards. Those finalists will be interviewed at the TASA/TASB Convention in Dallas September 20-22, and one will be named Outstanding School Board of the Year during that event.

The TASA School Board Awards Program was established in 1971 to recognize the dedication and service of school boards that make a positive impact on the schoolchildren of Texas.

TASA is the professional association for Texas school superintendents and other administrators. The mission of the organization, which focuses on professional learning, advocacy and member engagement, is to promote, provide and develop leaders who create and sustain student-centered schools and develop future-ready students.