



# College Station Independent School District

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## MEMORANDUM

To: Dr. Valerie Jochen, Board President

From: Dr. Clark Ealy, Superintendent of Schools

Date: February 16, 2017

Subject: Consideration, discussion and possible action related to naming the third middle school in CSISD Wellborn Middle School

Agenda Item: E-2

Board Priority/  
District Goal: Priorities A & B; Goals 1, 2 & 3

### Background

As a part of the November 2015 bond issue, College Station ISD is building its third middle school. Construction has begun, and students will arrive in August 2018.

A portion of College Station Independent School District Board Policy CW (Local) states

In naming school buildings or other facilities in the District, the following guidelines shall be used:

1. Facilities may be named after any local, state, or national geographic area or landmark.
2. Facilities may be named for the street on which the school is located or the subdivision surrounding it.
3. Facilities or portions of facilities shall not be named after any person.

CSISD's two current middle schools A&M Consolidated Middle School and College Station Middle School are basically named for the school district. The A&M school district was chartered by the Texas Legislature in 1909 and began with students in 1920. We became the A&M Consolidated School District with the 1928 consolidation that added Rock Prairie, Shiloh, Union Hill and Wellborn common school districts. Our current district boundaries were set in 1949 when we consolidated with Minter Springs and Peach Creek common school districts. In 1980, our district changed our name to College Station ISD.



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CSISD's third middle school resides in the heart of what was once Wellborn Common School District, and the administration feels that naming this campus after the Wellborn community is a fitting recognition of our district's history.

## **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the Board of Trustees of College Station Independent School District adopt the name Wellborn Middle School for the district's third middle school.