



Career and Technical Education

FACILITY NAMING PROCESS AND RECOMMENDATION

OCTOBER 15, 2018

Career & Technical Education Facility Naming Process Timeline

Date	Task/Action
August 20, 2018	School Board of Trustees agreed that the CTE property on Mumford Road was considered a <i>facility</i> and not a <i>school</i> and Board Policy CW (Local) would govern the naming process.
August 29, 2018	CTE Naming Committee members were determined.
Sept. 4-16, 2018	Public survey was launched for the community to submit nominations to name the new CTE facility.
Sept. 19, 2018	CTE Naming Committee met to review nomination results and to determine a recommended name for the CTE facility.
October 1, 2018	School Board of Trustees approved revision of Board Policy CW (Local) specific to naming a facility.
October 15, 2018	School Board of Trustees will consider approval of the recommendation from the CTE Naming Committee for the new CTE facility.

Career & Technical Education Facility Naming Process

Composition of Naming Committee

- CTE Administrators
- CTE Teachers
- CTE Students: Bryan & Rudder HS
- High School & Middle School principals
- Central Office Administrators
- Community Member
- Bryan ISD Board Member

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Public Nomination Survey Launched Sept. 4-16, 2018

Bryan ISD asked the community to submit nominations to name the CTE facility.

Media advisory released:

- The Eagle Newspaper
- WTAW News Talk Radio
- KBTX Television
- KAGS Television
- Radio Alegria
- La Voz Hispana Newspaper

Social media launched:

- Facebook
- Twitter
- Instagram

Bryan ISD Website

Parent email and text (twice)
Employee email (twice)

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Committee Decision Protocol

1. Reviewed Board Policy CW (Local)
2. Determined most important criteria for CTE facility name consideration
3. Reviewed nomination survey results individually
4. Identified top nominees based on criteria
5. Repeated process until recommended name was determined
6. Requested School Board approval of revised Board Policy CW (Local)
7. Finalized recommendation of CTE facility name

Board Policy CW (Local)

(Prior to revision on Oct. 1, 2018)

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1. Honor an individual who has made a significant contribution to the District, the local community, the state, or the nation; and
2. Reflect the ideals and high standards of the District.

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Naming Committee Recommendation

Bryan Career and Technical Education Complex

1. Office and classroom building:

The Becky Seale Building

2. Lab classroom building with four courses:

The Michael Kristynik Building

Becky Seale



Becky Seale was a proud graduate of Bryan ISD schools. She dedicated her life to improving the educational experience for students and teachers while serving the District for 47 years as a teacher and technology specialist.

As a true servant leader, Becky led by example while modeling her passion for finding joy in her work with students. She knew all students could learn and believed that they needed the right opportunity to present itself to ensure that they became lifelong learners.

Mrs. Seale was an expert at supporting teachers with technology integration. She epitomized the zest and zeal for life and learning.

Sadly, Becky passed away last May. However, her family, friends, and her colleagues are honored that her name will live on at the Bryan Career and Technical Education Complex with the Becky Seale Building.

Michael “Mike” Kristynik



Having served 27 years in Bryan ISD, Mike Kristynik was grounded in career and technical education as he launched his career as a vocational teacher in industrial co-op. He continued to support CTE in his many roles in the District. As a teacher, administrator, and Assistant Superintendent of Support Services, Kristynik added value to countless numbers of students and teachers.

From developing CTE programs such as Hammond Oliver to ensuring that the staff had adequate resources, Mike was a hands-on person dedicated to meeting the needs of students.

Known as a hard working, kind, and respectful person, Mike's main objective was to support teachers so they could provide a quality education for all students.

Now retired, Mike is humbled and honored for his name to be chosen for the Bryan Career and Technical Education Complex with the Michael Kristynik Building.

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