

TMEA Region XIX
Orchestra Division
Saturday, August 16, 2008

- I. Call to Order
- II. Old minutes reviewed and approved
- III. New Business
 - a. New teachers introduced – Adrian Washburn (Bonnette/Deer Park); Lauren Chauvin (Queens); Lyndon Wang (South Houston Int.); Brad Jacobs (Jackson); Sara Ymbert (Schneider MS)
 - b. Congratulations to Creekwood MS and Ken Buck named TMEA Junior High Full Honor Orchestra
 - c. Volunteer sign-up passed around
 - d. Website changes – Tanner Ledford host; regionxiorchestras.com
 - e. All fees remain unchanged
 - f. Region audition
 - i. Tanner Ledford motioned to change the by-laws to reflect the deadline be 15 days prior to the 1st contest, Ken Buck seconded, motion passed. Date will be Oct. 5
 - ii. Discussion of HS options – Philharmonic (no All-State) Symphony (path to All-State)
 - g. All Region positions are filled for this year
- IV. Date changes
 - a. Online enrollment 10/03
 - b. JH Wind and Perc auditions Bonnette JH
 - c. Ana Payne motioned to move the JH chair auditions from 01/15 to 01/13 due to early dismissal and a 4-day holiday in Pasadena ISD, still to be held at Bondy Int. Ken Buck seconded. Motion passed.
- V. All-State judging
 - a. Ana and Stephen Payne, Guy Harrison
- VI. Sight Reading Clarification
 - a. Shirley Astwood motioned to maintain and open door policy for Region XIX Sight Reading. Stephen Payne seconded. Motion passed.
- VII. Region XIX State vice president nomination – none
- VIII. Adjourn to JH and HS divisions

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra Shaffer