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# PLANO ISD NAMES NEW CHIEF FINANCIAL OFFICER

Jonathan "Johnny" Hill Joins Plano ISD's Superintendent's Cabinet



New Plano ISD CFO Johnny Hill at the November 3 Plano ISD School Board Meeting

**PLANO, TX, November 3, 2021** – At tonight's meeting of the Plano ISD Board of Trustees, Johnny Hill was announced as the district's new Chief Financial Officer (CFO). Mr. Hill is replacing CFO Randy McDowell, who is retiring after a 35-year career in public education (<u>read related press release</u>).

Mr. Hill's significant experience in financial management includes six years as a public accountant and 26 years in public schools leading financial and other departments. Mr. Hill has served as business manager for Dimmitt and Perryton ISDs, CFO for Seminole ISD, assistant superintendent of financial, business and auxiliary services at Lake Travis ISD, and most recently, CFO for Allen ISD. During his career, he has been involved in passing five successful bond elections, two tax ratification elections and

an attendance credit election. With prior experience working with property wealthy districts like Plano ISD, Mr. Hill is familiar with maneuvering the financial complexities these districts face.

Holding certifications as a Registered Texas School Business Administrator and a Certified Public Accountant, Mr. Hill hopes to make a valuable contribution in this new role. "Plano ISD is known for offering a quality educational program," Mr. Hill said. "I look

forward to playing a part in providing excellent educational experiences for young people through strong financial leadership."

Mr. HIll earned a Master of Business Administration from West Texas A&M University and a Bachelor of Business Administration from Texas Tech University. He has participated on multiple leadership committees and has presented at various leadership events and workshops, allowing him to build strong relationships with other professionals in educational associations, state and local governments, as well as other high performing school districts.

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### **About Plano Independent School District**

The Plano Independent School District (Plano ISD) (www.pisd.edu) endeavors to foster the highest level of student learning. Plano ISD is located 20 miles north of Dallas, Texas and serves the residents of approximately 100 square miles in southwest Collin County, including 66 square miles in the city of Plano, northern portions of the cities of Dallas and Richardson and parts of the cities of Allen, Parker and Murphy. Plano ISD employs more than 7,000 staff members who serve more than 50,000 students in 72 schools and 11 service facilities. Mission: Our Plano ISD learning community will educate, inspire and empower every student to activate their unique potential in a dynamic world.