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### **Statement from Goliad ISD Regarding Staff Resignation**

Goliad ISD became aware of concerns involving alleged misconduct by a Goliad Middle School employee related to a former student on March 6, 2026. Upon receiving this information, district administration immediately placed the employee on administrative leave and initiated a review consistent with district policy and applicable state reporting requirements.

As part of the district's preliminary review, no evidence was identified indicating that the employee engaged in misconduct with the individual while enrolled as a student at Goliad Middle School or prior to graduation from Goliad High School.

Out of an abundance of caution, GISD administration reported the allegations to Texas Education Agency and law enforcement within 24 hours of being made aware of the concern. No district communication was released because claims could not be substantiated with the information reported.

The employee has since voluntarily resigned from their position with the district, and the resignation was accepted effective March 13, 2026.

The Goliad ISD Board of Trustees and administration take matters involving staff conduct very seriously and hold all employees to the highest standards of professionalism and ethical behavior. While social media and anonymous postings can sometimes contribute to speculation or incomplete information, the district remains committed to addressing concerns responsibly and in accordance with the law and facts.

Because this matter involves personnel considerations and student privacy protections, the district cannot provide additional details at this time. However, GISD will continue to investigate all concerns and is committed to student safety.