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Nichols meets with local superintendents

Montgomery -- Sen. Robert Nichols (R-Jacksonville) met with local superintendents from Montgomery County. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss education issues in preparation for the 85th Legislature which convenes in January.

"The Legislature faces many challenges this session, and we cannot make good decisions unless we are listening closely to those we represent," said Nichols. "Education is and always will be one of the most important issues we face as a state."

Before each legislative session Nichols meets with each of the school district Superintendents in Senate District 3 to listen to their priorities and discuss issues facing the local education community.

"This meeting was a productive opportunity to discuss the many issues facing public education in the Great State of Texas," said Dr. Beau Rees, Montgomery ISD Superintendent and host of the meeting. "From the Boardroom to the Classroom, we appreciate Senator Nichols' effort to make informed decisions and understand the impact those decisions have on boys and girls in public schools within his Senate District."

Senate District 3, which includes over 100 school districts throughout 19 counties, encompasses the greater part of East Texas and Montgomery County.

"These meetings help me to understand how decisions in Austin impact local schools," stated Nichols. "I appreciate the opportunity to meet with superintendents and discuss how we can continue improving our education system. Our combined goal is to ensure children have the educational tools they need to be successful."

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