



# THE DISTRICT

EASTWOOD HIGH SCHOOL

Eastwood High School  
Student Activities Center  
2430 McRae Blvd.  
El Paso, Texas 79925

Ms. Terry Hamm  
State Director  
Texas Association of Student Councils  
1833 South IH-35  
Austin, Texas 78741

Dear Ms. Hamm:

We, Eastwood High School, enthusiastically submit this letter of candidacy to run for the office of parliamentarian of the Texas Association of Student Councils. We believe that our platform, Rise Above to Share the Love, which deals with teen homelessness relief. Will have the potential to positively impact the lives of teens across Texas, when taken to the state level. We hope to address the problem of teen homelessness and bring more awareness towards this issue by providing online resources and project ideas to student councils.

Eastwood has been involved in District IX and TASC for several years and attended the TASC State Conference and Summer Leadership Workshops as well as supporting state projects year after year. We feel our experience as a District IX officer school has prepared us for this position and we are ready to do our part in making TASC the best it can be. Eastwood High School has consistently been a sweepstakes school receiving the distinction for more than twenty years.

Student representative, Paloma Palmer, and advisor, Ms. Ashley Oropeza, have been active and outgoing members of TASC. They are excited to contribute new ideas to take TASC to the next level.

Sincerely,

*David Boatright*  
Mr. David Boatright  
Principal

*Ashley Oropeza*  
Ms. Ashley Oropeza  
Student Council Advisor

*P. Palmer*  
Paloma Palmer  
Student Representative



## Intent to Run for TASC State Office

School	Eastwood High School
Position Sought	Parliamentarian
Advisor's Name (person who will serve on the Board if elected to office)	Ashley Oropeza
School Address	2430 McRae
School City, State, Zip	El Paso, Texas, 79925
Advisor's School Email	aoropeza1@yisd.net
Advisor's School Phone <small>(Ensure that cell phone is listed on advisor profile on website.)</small>	915-434-4000
Principal's Name	David Boatright
Student Representative (Student who will serve on Board if school is elected to office)	Paloma Palmer
<p><b>Platform:</b> What is your issue, and what are you proposing that TASC as an association or TASC member schools do to address this? (Please see TASC guidelines if there is a cost to this platform.)</p>	<p><b>Rise Above to Share the Love!</b> Eastwood High School believes that TASC can address and aid in relief of teen homelessness. Many people are unaware of the fact that almost 40% of all homeless in America are under 18. By establishing on-line resources and providing project ideas to help teens in need, we believe TASC can help in solving this issue.</p>

**Qualifications of school, advisor, and student representative:** Please attach the school resume (see form) to this intent to run. (Do not include personal contact information such as cell phone, home address, etc.)

**Advisor, principal and student must initial each item below.**

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC State Steering Committee in June.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC July Board Meeting.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC November Board Meeting.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be expected to attend the TASC Annual Conference in April.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be responsible for some expenses related to optional travel (i.e. travel to NASC Conference).

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, both advisor and student representative will be encouraged to attend the NASC Conference. (TASC will pay registration, pre-trip activities and hotel for student representative.)

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand, if elected, our school will be responsible for presenting information at the Advisors Workshop, the Middle Level Annual Conference, and the HS Annual Conference.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

We understand all TASC officer schools (to include the advisor and student representative) are expected to support and attend TASC activities including Summer Leadership Workshop, and Advanced Workshops as well as District events.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
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We have read and understand the specific responsibilities of the office in which we are running.

Advisor AO  
Principal AB  
Student P.P.

If elected, we agree to serve the full term of our office.

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\*Please note that the school runs for the office. One student representative and one advisor are named by the school per office to sit on the Board. At the written request of the school, those representatives may be changed at any time. The TASC Board of Directors may remove a student or an advisor for a violation of TASC policy. A school may be removed from office by the TASC Board of Directors for failure to fulfill duties of office.

Principal's Signature David Boatright

Advisor's Signature Ashley Cropp

Student's Signature P. Palmer

\*If student representative has not been selected by the time of initial filing, please resubmit form with student's initials and signature by date of final Officer Candidate Filing. If the student representative changes, resubmit the form as soon as possible.

Date Submitted January 25, 2019

\*This form is not complete without a letter of intent to run for office and the school resume.

\*Please submit this form with your letter of intent to run for office and your school resume.

## Candidate School's Resume

**School Name:** Eastwood High School

**Candidate for which office:** Parliamentarian

School's Qualifications	2018	2017	2016
1. Did your school earn Sweepstakes	X	X	X
2. Did your school earn Outstanding Student Council	X	X	X
3. Did your school Pride and Patriotism recognition	X	X	X
4. Did your school earn Energy and Environment recognition	X	X	X
5. Did your school earn Community Service recognition	X	X	X
6. Did your school earn Top 10 Projects recognition			
7. Did your school earn Top 10 Video recognition		X	
Did your school attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Leadership Workshop?	X		
Did your school attend the TASC HS Annual Conference?	X	X	X
Did your school attend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop?	X	X	X
Has your school held a TASC district office?	X	X	
Has your school hosted a TASC district conference?			
	Year	Year	Year
Has your school ever served as a TASC state officer school? Please list the 3 most recent years served.			
Has your school ever served as the TASC HS Annual Conference coordinator school?	2006		
<b>Advisor's Qualifications</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Did advisor attend the TASC Advisors' Workshop		X	
Did advisor present at the TASC Advisors' Workshop			
Did advisor attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Leadership Workshop			
Did advisor attend the TASC HS Annual Conference	X	X	X
Did advisor attend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop		X	X
Did advisor serve on staff at a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop			
Has the school held a TASC district office under this advisor?	X	X	
Has the school hosted a TASC district conference under this advisor?			
<b>Student Representative's Qualifications</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
Did the student attend Lakeview/Mo Ranch TASC Advanced Workshop	X		
Did the student attend the TASC HS Annual Conference	X	X	
Was the student a Table Talk Presenter at the TASC HS Annual Conference		X	
Did the student attend a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop	X	X	
Did the student serve as a JC at a TASC Summer Leadership Workshop?			
Has the student held a TASC district office			
Has the student held an officer position in student council	X	X	

Additional Comments: List (This can be any additional information you wish to share regarding qualifications, experience, etc.

**School:**

- **Eastwood High School has hosted District IX Fall socials most recently in 2015 and 2016**

**Advisor:**

- **Advisor was chosen as 2019-2020 Teacher of the Year**
- **2017-2018 District IX Treasurer**
- **2016-2017 District IX Secretary**

**Student Representative:**

- **Student has served as a JC at the District IX winter retreat in 2017 and 2018**
- **Student will be serving as a JC at Mo Ranch advanced workshop in 2019**
- **Student will be serving as a JC at TASC summer leadership workshop in 2019**