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# Katy ISD will require teachers to report transgender students to parents after 4-3 board vote



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Tompkins High School junior Jarred Burton addresses the Katy ISD school board of trustees and meeting attendees on Monday, Aug. 28, 2023 in Katy. The Katy ISD board of trustees took public comments on how to address gender fluidity among students.

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Katy ISD staff must now inform parents whose children ask to be identified as transgender, after the board of trustees on Monday narrowly passed a new official policy containing a number of restrictions regarding students' gender identity.

Following impassioned speeches by more than 100 speakers during the meeting's public comment section, the board passed the measure with a 4-3 vote.

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