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Spring and Klein ISD Student Summit Turns out More Than 60 Students

*Students Provide Valuable Information on Their Vision for FM 1960 to
Renaissance 1960 Corporation Representatives*

Houston—More than 60 Spring and Klein ISD high school students and 20 school administrators, parents and community representatives gathered at Klein Forest High School on October 10 for a Student Summit lead by Renaissance 1960 Corporation, a not for profit Texas Corporation, (applying for 501(c)3 status). The purpose of the summit was to educate students about the Projects of Renaissance 1960 and have an open discussion about their vision for the future of the area.

Mary Davis, Executive Director of Renaissance1960, gave an overview of the evening's agenda after the students were welcomed by members of the Spring and Klein ISD administrations. Students were given the opportunity through their breakout groups to provide input in several areas of concern including finance, safety and security, urban planning, civic services, the arts, environment, education and market research.

“The partnership of the Klein and Spring school districts is overwhelming,” said Davis. “The students came together and gave us wonderfully insightful ideas about what they would like the area to become. These ideas will help guide the future of the 1960 area.”

Renaissance 1960 Corporation is working with the school districts in order to incorporate the organizations projects into their individual community service curriculum.

“These students have a great opportunity to become involved in the community,” said Davis. “These projects are intimately involved with the future success of our community as are the students who gathered here tonight.”

The next Renaissance 1960 general meeting will be held at Klein High School October 25 at 6:00 p.m. in the teaching theatre. For more information on Renaissance 1960, visit www.Renaissance1960.org.

Renaissance 1960 is a volunteer-based organization focused on the revitalization of the 1960 area, specifically between I-45 and HWY-249. The organization has tasked itself with implementing community improvements and educating the surrounding communities on sign blight, crime prevention & awareness, urban planning and many other issues that affect the area's quality of life. For more information please visit www.Renaissance1960.org.

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