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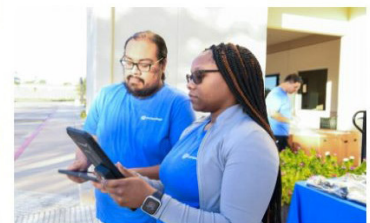
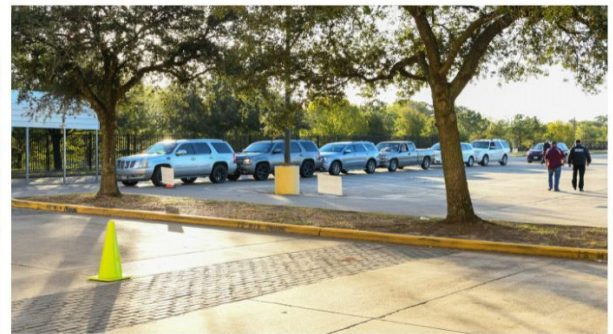
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## Bridging the Digital Divide

**Houston, TX:** At the November 14<sup>th</sup> Board of Trustees Meeting, Galena Park ISD (GPISD) recognized Compudopt for providing nearly 400 free computers to families throughout the district. As a one-to-one device district, all GPISD students have the option to obtain a school-issued computer for educational use and, which are returned when students graduate. These computers were issued directly to families for educational and personal use and are theirs to keep. GPISD families registered, were randomly selected, and received a free computer.

Compudopt's Executive Director, Consuella Whipple said, "This was our largest school district distribution. That is an indication of a very productive partnership, so we will return to GPISD for another distribution in the very near future!" In addition to providing free computers to families throughout the Houston area, Compudopt also offers work-force aligned technology education programs, digital literacy classes, and internet connectivity solutions in an effort to empower youth and their communities.

Thank you ,Compudopt, for serving the families of GPISD!



Pictured: Compudopt and Galena Park ISD Volunteers

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