

Minutes of Regular Meeting

The Board of Trustees Decatur ISD

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Decatur ISD was held Monday, May 11, 2026, beginning at 6:00 PM in the DISD Administration Building, 307 S Cates St, Decatur, TX 76234.

1. Call to Order and Establish Quorum

The meeting was called to order at 6:00 pm. The following members were present: Stan Shults, Sandra Schneider, Nate Bayless, Delvon Campbell and Cynthia Alvarez. Matt Joiner and Jeremy Duncan were absent.

2. Bond Election Information

2.A. Consideration and approval of an order canvassing the returns and declaring the results of a bond election.

Recommended the board approve the order canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the May 2, 2026 bond election. This motion, made by Nate Bayless and seconded by Cynthia Alvarez.

Motion Passed 5-0

3. Board Election Information

3.A. Consider and take possible action with respect to canvassing the May 2, 2026, Board of Trustees.

Recommended the board approve the order canvassing the results of the May 2, 2026 board election. This motion, made by Nate Bayless and seconded by Delvon Campbell.

Motion Passed 5-0

3.B. Issue Certificate of Election, Administer Statement of Elected Officer, and the Oath of Office. Issued to Sandra Schneider and Meagan Hood.

4. Closed Session—Pursuant to Tex. Govt Code 551.074, consider and discuss possible Board Officers-6:14 pm

4.A. TEC 11.061(c) and Policy BDAA(LOCAL) dictate that the Board, in the meeting following any election, must select:

Open Session-6:11 pm

- A Board President-Delvon Campbell recommended Stan Shults **6-0**
- A Board Vice-President-Nate Bayless recommended Matt Joiner **6-0**
- A Board Secretary-Delvon Campbell recommended Sandra Schneider **6-0**

5. Closed Session-6:14 pm

6. Reconvene Regular Meeting-6:52 pm

7. Invocation given by Nate Bayless

8. Pledge of Allegiance — Led by Flag Corp-McCarroll Middle School

9. Recognition

DHS-Valedictorian

DHS-Salutatorian

Gifted and Talented Students and Teacher

Decatur High FFA

10. Public Forum-Non-Agenda-Brandi Shisler

11. Superintendent Report

A. Student Achievements and District Events

12. Consent Agenda

Recommended the board approve the consent agenda except for 12D. This motion, made by Delvon Campbell and seconded by Cynthia Alvarez.

Motion Passed 6-0

12.A. Minutes of April 20, 2026, Regular Meeting

12.B. Budget Amendment(s)

12.C.Purchase(s) Greater Than \$25,000

12.D. Accounting Treatment for Capitalization-**Pulled from Consent**

12.E.Consider All Matters Incident and Related to the Adoption of a Resolution Expressing Official Intent to Reimburse Costs of Projects.

13. Discussion

13.A. UIL Homeschool Participation of Students Outside of DISD.

13.B. 2026-2027 Calendar Start Times for McCarroll Middle School and STEM Elementary.

14. Action Items

14.A. Consider and take possible action regarding Senate Bill 546 on Three-Point Seat Belts.

Recommended the district does not retrofit the current buses because of insufficient funds. This motion, made by Sandra Schneider and seconded by Delvon Campbell.

Motion Passed 6-0

14.B. Consider and take possible action regarding School Resource Officer (SRO) agreement.

Recommended the board approve the SRO agreement. This motion, made by Nate Bayless and seconded by Sandra Schneider.

Motion Passed 5-0, Delvon Campbell abstained.

14.C. Consider and take possible action regarding Request for Qualifications (RFQ) for a Construction Architect.

Recommended the board approve the Request for Qualifications for a Construction Architect. This motion, made by Sandra Schneider and seconded by Nate Bayless.

Motion Passed 6-0

14.D. Consider Consider and take possible action regarding hiring of Professional Personnel for the 2026-2027 school year.

Recommended the board approve the hiring of Professional Personnel for the 2026-2027 school year. This motion, made by Cynthia Alvarez and seconded by Delvon Campbell.

Motion Passed 6-0

14.E. Consider and take possible action regarding Athletic Director/Head Football Coach.

Recommended the board approve the hiring of Cliff Watkins as the Athletic Director and Head Football Coach. This motion, made by Nate Bayless and seconded by Sandra Schneider.

Motion Passed 6-0

14.F. Consider and take possible action for delegating hiring authority for contractual personnel to the Superintendent from May 12th to September 30th, 2026.

Recommended the board extend the hiring authority for contractual personnel to the superintendent from May 12th to September 30, 2026. This motion, made by Nate Bayless and seconded by Delvon Campbell.

Motion Passed 6-0

15. Information

- 15.A. Staffing Study Report
- 15.B. Preliminary Steps of Construction and Bond Sales
- 15.C. Financial Information
 - 15.C.1. Monthly Financial Statements
 - 15.C.2. Tax Collection Report
 - 15.C.3. TexPool Monthly Statement of Accounts
 - 15.C.4 Payment of Bills

16. Adjournment at 8:26 pm

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Approved June 15, 2026

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Board President

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Board Secretary