

**NOTICE OF REGULAR OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
PORT ARANSAS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
Thursday, July 23, 2026
6:00 PM**

Notice is hereby given that a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Port Aransas Independent School District will be held on Thursday, July 23, 2026 at 6:00 PM. The Board will meet in the Board Room of the Port Aransas Independent School District Administration Building
100 S Station St
Port Aransas, TX 78373.

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VI. CLOSED SESSION: The Board will Adjourn into Executive Session in Accordance with the Texas Open Meeting Act, Texas Government Code 551.071 through 551.083 to Consider the Following:	36
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If, during the course of the meeting covered by this Notice, the Board of Trustees should determine that a closed session of the Board of Trustees is required, then such closed session as authorized by the Texas Open Meetings, Act, Texas Government Coded Section 551.001 et seq., will be held by the School Board at the date, hour, and place given in this Notice or as soon after the commencement of the meeting covered by this Notice as the School Board may conveniently meet in such closed session concerning any and all purposes permitted by the Act, including, but not limited to the following sections and purposes:

Texas Government Code Section

- 551.071 Private consultation with the board's attorney
- 551.072 Discussing purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property.
- 771.073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.
- 551.074 Discuss:
 - (1) To deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee; or
 - (2) To hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee.
- 551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of security personnel or devices.
- 551.082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.
- 551.083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms, or conditions the board will follow, or will instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the school Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed session, then the final action, final decision, or final vote shall be either:

- (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon reconvening of the public meeting; or
- (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice hereof, as the School Board shall determine pursuant to applicable laws and policies.

On this , this notice was posted on a bulletin board located at a place readily accessible and convenient to the public at the Port Aransas Independent School District Administration Building, 100 S. Station Street, Port Aransas, Texas.

Respectfully submitted,

Sharon McKinney, Superintendent

CALL TO ORDER

Non-Action Item

Board President, Kristi Littleton will call meeting to order.

A. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance

PUBLIC COMMENTS

Individuals who wish to participate during the portion of the meeting designated for public comment shall sign up with the designee, Rosalie Johnson before the meeting begins as specified in the Board's procedures on public comment and shall indicate the item or topic on which they wish to address to the Board.

Should individuals elect to sign up to address the board days prior to the board meeting they should email Rosalie Johnson, rosalie@paisd.net. Include the following information in the body of the email: First Name, Last Name, phone number and indicate item or topic they wish to address.

[PUBLIC COMMENTS: BED \(LOCAL\)](#)

BOARD OF TRUSTEES' ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

Non-Action Item:

At this time, Board members may make acknowledgements and/or receive Board committee reports.

REPORTS

B. Business Reports

Presentation to the Board regarding school business information:

1. Account Balances
2. YTD Revenues & Expenditures
3. Bond Expenditures
4. Activity Account Expenditures
5. Tax Collections
6. Quarterly Investment Report

PORT ARANSAS ISD					
Account Balances					
MAY 2026 - ACCOUNT BALANCES 2025-2026					
<u>AMERICAN BANK</u>					
		GENERAL FUND		\$898,802.73	
		SCHOLARSHIP		\$932,579.30	
		FEMA		\$104,427.58	
		DEBT SERVICE		\$57,271.36	
		DONATION/DISASTER RELIEF		\$184,189.36	
		TOTAL		\$2,177,270.33	
<u>LONESTAR INVESTMENT ACCOUNT</u>					
		CONSTRUCTION-23 EMPLY HOUS		\$1,466.74	
		CONSTRUCTION BOND 2021		\$1,144,023.60	
		CONSTRUCTION BOND 2023A		\$4,755,895.36	
		GENERAL FUND		\$11,205,628.59	
		INTEREST & SINKING FUND		\$2,301,258.56	
		WORKERS COMPENSATION FUND		\$8,329.49	
		TOTAL		\$19,416,602.34	
<u>TEXAS RANGE</u>					
		General Fund		\$32,027,126.69	
		Property Value Decline		\$7,169,833.67	
		Bond Issue 2023A		\$10,541,962.78	
		FEMA/TDEM		\$958,897.67	
		TOTAL		\$50,697,820.81	
		TOTAL		\$72,291,693.48	

PORT ARANSAS I.S.D. STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES YEAR-TO-DATE

FOR MONTH ENDED		5/30/2026			Percent of the Year :			74.99%		
		GENERAL FUND			FOOD SERVICE			DEBT SERVICE		
		BUDGET	ACTUAL		BUDGET	ACTUAL		BUDGET	ACTUAL	
		(12 Months)	(12 Month)	% of	(12 Months)	(12 Month)	% of	(12 Months)	(12 Month)	% of
		2025-2026	2025-2026		2025-2026	2025-2026		2025-2026	2025-2026	
REVENUES:										
5700	Local, Intermediate & Out-of-State	41,605,414.00	40,803,847.99	98.07%	151,925.00	162,136.63	106.72%	4,628,141.00	4,414,210.82	95.38%
5800	State Program Revenues	1,005,255.00	1,534,077.12	152.61%	950.00	4003.28	421.40%	31,039.00	27786.00	89.52%
5900	Federal Program Revenues	23,690.00	0.00	0.00%	137,041.00	120123.05	87.65%	0	0	0.00%
Revenues		42,634,359.00	42,337,925.11	99.30%	289,916.00	286,262.96	98.74%	4,659,180.00	4,441,996.82	184.90%
EXPENDITURES:										
11	Instruction	5,102,140.00	3,720,098.62	72.91%						
12	Instructional Resources & Media Services	140,516.00	88,767.36	63.17%						
13	Curriculum & Instructional Staff Development	17,150.00	7818.32	45.59%						
21	Instructional Development	375,309.00	204,151.05	54.40%						
23	School Leadership	596,119.00	439,751.57	73.77%						
31	Guidance, Counseling, and Evaluation Services	226,196.00	244,921.48	108.28%						
33	Health Services	76,353.00	53,989.96	70.71%						
34	Student Transportation	159,866.00	93,328.10	58.38%						
35	Food Service	31,485.00	35,935.30	114.13%	432,559.00	352,419.60	81.47%			
36	Extracurricular Activities	704,354.00	471,505.62	66.94%						
41	General Administration	667,189.00	498,859.75	74.77%						
51	Facilities Maintenance and Operations	2,516,511.00	1,534,543.77	60.98%						
52	Security & Monitoring Services	136,980.00	155,897.94	113.81%						
53	Data Processing Services	109,328.00	95,093.18	86.98%						
61	Community Service	0	0	0.00%						
71	Debt Service	0	0	0.00%				4,659,180.00	2,511,250.00	53.90%
81	Construction - Art Lab	0	1000	0.00%						
91	Chapter 49 Payments	31,032,683.00	3,148,309.00	10.15%						
95	JJAEP	2,000.00	0	0.00%						
99	Tax Appraisal District	566,647.00	410668.16	72.47%						
6XXX	Total Expenditures	42,460,826.00	11,204,639.18	26.39%	432,559.00	352,419.60	81.47%	4,659,180.00	2511250.00	53.90%
	Other Resources and Uses	-	-	-						
7010	Other Resources	-	-	-						
8010	Other Uses	-	-	-						
Resources over Expenditures & Other Uses										

EXPENDITURES OVER \$25,000 - MAY 2026

FUND	CHECK NO.	VENDOR	AMOUNT	DESCRIPTION
698	51126	Weaver & Jacobs Constructor's, Inc.	132,683.65	Task #10 - HS/OES MEP RENO
698	51326	Weaver & Jacobs Constructor's, Inc.	82,869.19	PAY APP 21 COLE CENTER
818	85126	Coastal Office Solutions, INC.	54,700.40	New Furniture
199	54262	IRS	52,633.75	Internal Revenue Payment
199	514261	Texnet	74,758.46	Teacher Retirement Payment
199	527261	Texnet	52,207.00	Active Care Payment

MAY 2026- 699 2021 Bond Expenditures				
Fund	Check No.	Vendor	Amount	Reason
699	85110	INSIGHT PUBLIC SECTOR, INC.	\$ 2,750.00	Technology
699	85127	CDW-G	\$ 2,203.00	Technology
			\$ 4,953.00	

MAY 2026 -698 Bond Expenditures 2023 BOND

Fund	Check No.	Vendor	Amount	Reason
698	51126	Weaver & Jacobs Constructor's, Inc.	\$ 132,683.70	Task #10 - HS/OES MEP RENO
698	51326	Weaver & Jacobs Constructor's, Inc.	\$ 82,869.19	PAY APP 21 COLE CENTER
698	513262	AMAZON PURCHASES	\$ 2,528.48	MS Replacement in Cafeteria
698	85100	TK ELEVATOR CORP	\$ 955.57	District Elevator Inspection
698	85108	DEALER'S ELECTRIC	\$ 355.08	Maint Supplies...See Document
698	85111	JARED R JENDEL	\$ 185.98	Repair Washer in Maint Bldg
698	85112	LWA Architects	\$ 9,599.26	Architect Fees - Cole Center
698	85115	AMERICAN AIR QUALITY INC.	\$ 1,247.54	District AC Filters
698	85126	Coastal Office Solutions, INC.	\$ 1,280.00	replace office furniture
698	85126	Coastal Office Solutions, INC.	\$ 198.00	replace office furniture
698	85128	FLEETRITE TRUCK PARTS	\$ 576.10	Summer PM's for Dist Fleet
698	85128	FLEETRITE TRUCK PARTS	\$ 1,013.42	Summer PM's for Dist Fleet
698	85128	FLEETRITE TRUCK PARTS	\$ 634.09	Summer PM's for Dist Fleet
698	85128	FLEETRITE TRUCK PARTS	\$ 515.14	Summer PM's for Dist Fleet
			\$ 234,641.55	

MAY 2026 ACTIVITY ACCOUNT EXPENDITURES				
FUND	CHECK	VENDOR	AMOUNT	FUND DESCRIPTION
865	84940	TAYMARK	\$ 914.89	STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND
865	84948	SALTY PAWS OF PORT ARANSAS, INC.	\$ 400.00	STUDENT ACTIVITY FUND
			\$ 1,314.89	
FUND	CHECK	VENDOR	AMOUNT	FUND DESCRIPTION
461	52626	LOWE'S BUSINESS ACCT. /SYNCB	\$ 1,597.22	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
461	504261	CARD SERVICE CENTER	\$ 115.34	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
461	504261	CARD SERVICE CENTER	\$ 102.74	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
461	504261	CARD SERVICE CENTER	\$ 146.58	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
461	85104	STEVE REAVES	\$ 1,509.50	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
461	85125	UNIVERSAL CHEERLEADERS ASSOC.	\$ 2,580.00	CAMPUS ACTIVITY FUND
			\$ 6,051.38	

PAISDSCHOLARSHIPS
Transaction List by Date
June 2026

Type	Date	Num	Name	Memo	Split	Amount
Check	06/01/2026	6075	BIANCA MARTINEZ	ENROLLMENT SUMMER 2026	250075 BIANCA MARTINEZ	-300.00
Check	06/01/2026	6076	BRAYDEN CASTILLO	HOUSING MAY 2026	240054 BRAYDEN CASTILLO	-863.00
Check	06/01/2026	6077	CALLAN LANDOLT	TUITION SUMMER 2026	230129 CALLAN LANDOLT	-2,500.00
Check	06/01/2026	6078	GRACE CUNNINGHAM	BOOKS & PARKING SUMMER 2026	240099 GRACE CUNNINGHAM	-263.66
Check	06/02/2026	6079	VITTORIA FIORILLO	ENROLLMENT FALL 2026	260124 VITTORIA FIORILLO	-1,200.00
Check	06/02/2026	6080	KRISTEN SPAETH	TUITION FALL 2025 - SPRING 2026	220052 KYLER SPAETH	-4,368.40
Check	06/08/2026	6081	PRESLEY MARQUES-KEATON	ENROLLMENT FALL 2026	260122 PRESLEY MARQUES-KEATON	-950.00
Check	06/09/2026	6082	WILLIAM BRODY MILINA	HOUSING SUMMER 2026	250013 BRODY MILINA	-800.00
Check	06/09/2026	6083	BRAYDEN CASTILLO	HOUSING SUMMER 2026	240054 BRAYDEN CASTILLO	-898.00
Check	06/10/2026	6084	MADISON PETEREK	TUITION SUMMER 2026	260090 MADISON PETEREK	-718.92
Check	06/15/2026	6085	CADEN MEYER	ENROLLMENT FALL 2026	260110 CADEN MEYER	-2,500.00
Check	06/24/2026	6086	AMY NHAN	TUITION SUMMER 2026	240014 AMY NHAN	-1,519.55
Check	06/24/2026	6087	SCHREINER UNIVERSITY	TUITION FALL 2026	260107 HAZEL CALMES	-5,750.00
Check	06/24/2026	6088	AVICA BURRILL	ENROLLMENT SUMMER/FALL 2026	220116 AVICA BURRILL	-750.00
Check	06/25/2026	6089	JACK TUNNELL	ENROLLMENT FALL 2026	260120 JACK TUNNELL	-1,750.00
Jun 26						-25,131.53

Port Aransas ISD

Jurisdiction # 29

Tax Collection Report Through
5/31/2026

	Tax Year 2025	Tax Year 2024	Change from Prior Year	Percent Change
CURRENT TAX LEVY:				
Gross Tax Levy as of October 1, 2025	46,849,286.78	47,630,612.81	(781,326.03)	-1.64%
Adjustments and Transfers to Inactives	<u>(525,077.29)</u>	<u>(803,828.42)</u>	<u>278,751.13</u>	-34.68%
ADJUSTED TAX LEVY	46,324,209.49	46,826,784.39	(502,574.90)	-1.07%
Cumulative Collections this month	45,121,229.30	45,314,552.03	(193,322.73)	-0.43%
Cumulative Collections last month	<u>44,892,308.87</u>	<u>44,853,195.96</u>	<u>39,112.91</u>	0.09%
Current Collections This Month	<u>228,920.43</u>	<u>461,356.07</u>	<u>(232,435.64)</u>	-50.38%
*TAX LEVY OUTSTANDING ON 5/31/2026	1,202,980.19	1,512,232.36	(309,252.17)	-20.45%
DELINQUENT TAX LEVY:				
Delinquent Tax Roll as of September 30, 2025	1,188,984.92	1,045,091.09	143,893.83	13.77%
Adjustments and Transfers to Inactives	<u>(321,378.82)</u>	<u>(272,298.28)</u>	<u>(49,080.54)</u>	18.02%
NET COLLECTABLE	867,606.10	772,792.81	94,813.29	12.27%
Cumulative Collections this month	41,198.22	14,934.02	26,264.20	175.87%
Cumulative Collections last month	<u>19,032.24</u>	<u>(1,703.81)</u>	<u>20,736.05</u>	-1217.04%
Delinquent Collections This Month	<u>22,165.98</u>	<u>16,637.83</u>	<u>5,528.15</u>	33.23%
*TAX LEVY OUTSTANDING ON 5/31/2026	826,407.88	757,858.79	68,549.09	9.05%

TOTAL COLLECTIONS - MONTH TO DATE

Current*	228,920.43	461,356.07	(232,435.64)	-50.38%
Discount	351.40	208.07	143.33	68.89%
Delinquent*	22,165.98	16,637.83	5,528.15	33.23%
Penalty & Interest	37,119.93	62,900.36	(25,780.43)	-40.99%
Ag Rollback Taxes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Remitted to Reinvestment Zone	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Current Year: *				
Rendition Penalty	0.00	2,110.28	(2,110.28)	-100.00%
Penalty & Interest on Rendition Penalty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Appraisal Commission from Rendition Penalty	0.00	(105.55)	105.55	-100.00%
Delinquent Years: *				
Rendition Penalty	189.83	19.72	170.11	862.63%
Penalty & Interest on Rendition Penalty	23.03	4.50	18.53	411.78%
Appraisal Commission from Rendition Penalty	<u>(10.68)</u>	<u>(1.21)</u>	<u>(9.47)</u>	782.64%
Total	288,759.92	543,130.07	(254,370.15)	-46.83%

TOTAL COLLECTIONS - YEAR TO DATE

Current*	45,121,229.30	45,314,552.03	(193,322.73)	-0.43%
Discount	(820,119.81)	(821,080.03)	960.22	-0.12%
Delinquent*	41,198.22	14,934.02	26,264.20	175.87%
Penalty & Interest	246,749.14	302,307.93	(55,558.79)	-18.38%
Ag Rollback Taxes	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Remitted to Reinvestment Zone	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Current Year: *				
Rendition Penalty	0.00	7,097.13	(7,097.13)	-100.00%
Penalty & Interest on Rendition Penalty	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00%
Appraisal Commission from Rendition Penalty	0.00	(354.97)	354.97	-100.00%
Delinquent Years: *				
Rendition Penalty	5,064.21	436.15	4,628.06	1061.12%
Penalty & Interest on Rendition Penalty	381.37	76.12	305.25	401.01%
Appraisal Commission from Rendition Penalty	<u>(272.43)</u>	<u>(25.64)</u>	<u>(246.79)</u>	962.52%
Total	44,594,230.00	44,817,942.74	(223,712.74)	-0.50%

*(For purposes of this report, Collections in July, August, and September are delinquent.)

PERCENT OF NET COLLECTABLE COLLECTED - MONTH TO DATE

Current Levy / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	0.49%	0.99%	-0.49%	-49.84%
Delinquent Levy / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	0.05%	0.04%	0.01%	34.67%
Levy-Discount+P&I / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	0.62%	1.16%	-0.53%	-46.09%

PERCENT OF NET COLLECTABLE COLLECTED - YEAR TO DATE

Current Levy / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	97.40%	96.77%	0.63%	0.65%
Delinquent Levy / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	0.09%	0.03%	0.06%	178.86%
Levy-Discount+P&I / Adjusted Current Tax Levy	96.25%	95.69%	0.56%	0.58%

Quarterly Investment Report
April - June 206 for July 2026 Board Meeting

PAISD holds investments in two different investment pools, click the links below to review the quarterly reports for each pool.

[*Lone Star Investment Pool*](#)

[*Texas Range*](#)

REPORTS

B. Superintendent's Report

The Superintendent will present to the Board the following information:

1. Spring 2026 STAAR Results
2. Foreign Trade Zone Report
3. Board Meeting Dates 2026-2027
4. Campus/Department Reports

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

Foreign Trade Zone Report

Action Item:

A Foreign-Trade Zone (FTZ) is a federally designated area located within the United States where imported goods may be received, stored, assembled, manufactured, or processed under special U.S. Customs procedures before entering domestic commerce. Businesses operating within an FTZ can defer, reduce, or, in some cases, eliminate certain customs duties, making U.S. facilities more competitive in international trade. In 2023, the PAISD Board of Trustees approved an agreement with Aransas Terminal related to its Foreign-Trade Zone operations. Under that agreement, the district receives annual revenue generated through the FTZ arrangement without any financial investment or operational responsibility. The following report summarizes the revenue PAISD has received since the agreement was approved.

<i>Quarter</i>	<i>Lease Months</i>	<i>Year</i>	<i>Amount Received for Quarter</i>
1	Jan-March	2024	\$0.00
2	Apr-June	2024	\$4,974.08
3	July-Sept	2024	\$1,823.83
4	Oct-Dec	2024	\$0.00
1	Jan-March	2025	\$0.00
2	Apr-June	2025	\$3,852.15
3	July-Sept	2025	\$0.00
4	Oct-Dec	2025	\$1,794.01
1	Jan-March	2026	\$2,224.49
2	Apr-June	2026	\$0.00

Total revenue since inception: \$14,668.56

BOARD MEETING DATES

2026 – 2027 SCHOOL YEAR

MEETING DATE / TIME		PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 12, 2026	6:00 PM	REGULAR
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26, 2026	6:00 PM	PUBLIC HEARING/BUDGET
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 2026	6:00 PM	REGULAR (PHS)
WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 14, 2026	6:00 PM	REGULAR (BMS)
WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 11, 2026	6:00 pm	REGULAR (OES)
WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 9, 2026	6:00 PM	REGULAR (PHS)
WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 20, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR (BMS)
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR (OES)
WEDNESDAY, MARCH 24, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR (PHS)
WEDNESDAY, APRIL 14, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR (BMS)
WEDNESDAY, MAY 12, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR (OES)
WEDNESDAY, JUNE 9, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR
WEDNESDAY, JULY 14, 2027	6:00 PM	REGULAR

CONSENT AGENDA

Action Item:

Consent agenda shall include items of a routine and/or recurring nature grouped together under one action item. For each item listed as part of a consent agenda, the Board shall be furnished with background material. All such items shall be acted upon by one vote without separate discussion, unless a Board member requests that an item be withdrawn for individual consideration. The remaining items shall be adopted under a single motion and vote

RATIONALE: BE (LOCAL)

BUDGET: No Financial Impact

RECOMMENDATION: Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve the consent agenda as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA

Minutes of Previous Meetings

Action Item:

The Board will consider approval of the regular board meeting minutes dated June 18, 2026. The board meeting minutes listed are enclosed. If you believe there are errors, please notify Rosalie Johnson before the meeting so that the necessary corrections can be made.

RATIONALE:	According to BE (Local), minutes must be approved by the Board and entered as the legal record of Board action.
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BUDGET:	No Financial Impact
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RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve board meeting minutes as presented.
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The Board of Trustees Minutes

Port Aransas Independent School District

Port Aransas, Texas

Regular Meeting

Regular Meeting date, time and place: June 18, 2026 at 6:00 P.M. in the Board Room of the PAISD Administration Building.

Members Present: Brett Stawar, Marnie Pate, Leslie Mills, Charles Joyce and Marc Hofhiens

Members Absent: Kristi Littleton and Daniel Johnson

Administration: Dr. Sharon McKinney, Tisha Piwetz, Brittany Canales, and Larry Yarnall

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- I. The meeting was called to order by Board Vice-President, Brett Stawar at **6:00 p.m.**
A. Moment of Silence and Pledge of Allegiance was led by Assistant Superintendent, Tisha Piwetz
- II. COMMENTS
A. Public Comments – NONE
B. Board of Trustee's Acknowledgements: Brett Stawar congratulated the board on their 100 % participation at TASB SLI and recognized Charles Joyce for completing Texas Trustee Institute.
- III. DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION ITEMS
A. **Marnie Pate** made a motion, second by **Leslie Mills** to accept the superintendent's recommendation that the board approve a financing plan for the issuance of Unlimited Tax School Building Bonds, Series 2026; authorizing staff and consultants to proceed with document preparation as presented.

Kristi Littleton, President	Absent	Brett Stawar, Vice President	Yes
Daniel Johnson, Secretary	Absent	Marnie Pate, Board Member	Yes
Charles Joyce, Board Member	Yes	Leslie Mills, Board Member	Yes
Marc Hofhiens, Board Member	Yes		

Consent Agenda items passed and approved by roll call: 5 - For / 0 - Against / 0 - Abstained

- IV. PUBLIC HEARING: ESSA Consolidated Grant presented by Tisha Piwetz
- V. BUDGET WORKSHOP – presented by Dr. Sharon McKinney
- VI. PRESENTATIONS
A. Legacy of Excellence Champions – presented by Dr. Sharon McKinney
B. Jerry McDonald Award Winners – presented by Dr. Sharon McKinney
C. Port Aransas Education Foundation – presented by Dr. Sharon McKinney
D. Food Service Update – presented by Suzane Horine, Food Service Director
- VII. REPORTS
A. Business Reports presented by Brittany Canales
1. Account Balances
2. YTD Revenues & Expenditures
3. Bond Expenditures
4. Activity Account Expenditures
5. Tax Collection

- B. Superintendent Reports presented by Dr. Sharon McKinney
 - 1. Enrollment/Attendance
 - 2. Special Programs Report
 - 3. Construction Update

VIII. CONSENT AGENDA

Marc Hofhiens made a motion, second by **Leslie Mills** to accept the consent agenda as presented.

Kristi Littleton, President	Absent	Brett Stawar, Vice President	Yes
Daniel Johnson, Secretary	Absent	Marnie Pate, Board Member	Yes
Charles Joyce, Board Member	Yes	Leslie Mills, Board Member	Yes
Marc Hofhiens, Board Member	Yes		

Consent Agenda items passed and approved by roll call: 5 - For / 0 - Against / 0 - Abstained

- A. The board accepted the superintendent's recommendation to approve the board training meeting minutes dated May 6, 2026 and the regular board meeting minutes dated May 13, 2026.
- B. The approve the superintendent's recommendation to approve Local TASB Policy update 127 as presented.

- IX. CLOSED SESSION: The board adjourned into executive session at **7:52 p.m.** in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code 551.071 thru 551.083 to consider the following:
 - A. Public Officer: Deliberate the Appointment, Evaluation, Reassignment and Duties
 - B. Personnel: Deliberate the Appointment, Employment, Evaluation, Reassignment, Duties, Discipline or Dismissal of an Employee.
 - C. Discuss Educator Contract(s)

- X. OPEN SESSION: The board reconvened into open session at **8:18 p.m.**

- A. **Marc Hofhines** made a motion, second by **Charles Joyce** to accepted the superintendent's recommendation for the renewal for five years and approval of amendments and deletions to the PAISD District of Innovation Plan as presented.

Kristi Littleton, President	Absent	Brett Stawar, Vice President	Yes
Daniel Johnson, Secretary	Absent	Marnie Pate, Board Member	Yes
Charles Joyce, Board Member	Yes	Leslie Mills, Board Member	Yes
Marc Hofhiens, Board Member	Yes		

Agenda items passed and approved by roll call: 5 - For / 0 - Against / 0 - Abstained

- B. **Marnie Pate** made a motion, second by **Leslie Mills** to accepted the superintendent's recommendation to extend educator contracts to:
 - Isaac Wollam, Dual-Assignment First Year Probationary Contract
 - Jacob Porter, First Year Probationary Contract
 - Sascha Castle, First Year Probationary Contract
 - and Crystal Radtke, First Year Probationary Contract for the 2026-2027 school year.

Kristi Littleton, President	Absent	Brett Stawar, Vice President	Yes
Daniel Johnson, Secretary	Absent	Marnie Pate, Board Member	Yes
Charles Joyce, Board Member	Yes	Leslie Mills, Board Member	Yes
Marc Hofhiens, Board Member	Yes		

Agenda items passed and approved by roll call: 5 - For / 0 - Against / 0 - Abstained

XI. ADJOURN: There being no further business meeting adjourned at 8:29 p.m.

Board President

Board Secretary

July 22, 2026
Date Approved

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CONSENT AGENDA

Consider/Take Action to Designate Employee/Officer to Calculate Tax Rate

ACTION ITEM:

As part of the budget adoption process, the governing body is required to designate the person responsible for calculating the 2026 No-New Revenue & Voter-Approval Tax Rate Calculations. Dr. Sharon McKinney will calculate and prepare the 2026 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax Rates for Port Aransas ISD. Dr. McKinney will work with Brittany Canales and also the Nueces County Tax Assessor-Collector's office in preparing this information.

Board Policy CCG (Legal): LOCAL REVENUE SOURCES - AD VALOREM TAXES (tasb.org)

After the district's assessor submits the appraisal roll to the board, an officer or employee designated by the board shall calculate the no-new-revenue tax rate and the voter-approval tax rate for the district.

RATIONALE:	Board Policy CCG (Legal)
BUDGET:	None
RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to designate Dr. Sharon McKinney to calculate and prepare the 2026 No-New Revenue and Voter-Approval Tax Rates for Port Aransas ISD.

CONSENT AGENDA

Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve Delegation of Authority to Superintendent to Obligate PAISD Under Chapter 49

ACTION ITEM:

Port Aransas ISD is subject to the provisions of Chapter 49 (previously Chapter 41) for 2026-2027 school year. All agreements for the purchase of attendance credits are to be submitted to TEA before January 15, 2027.

As in prior years, PAISD chooses to submit the Option 3 contract for the purchase of attendance credits. These documents can be submitted by the superintendent through the Excess Local Revenue system on the online FSP System. The following statement must be approved and recorded in the board minutes for the superintendents to have the authority to obligate the school district:

For the 2026-2027 school year, we delegated contractual authority to obligate the school district under Texas Education Code (TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) to the superintendent, solely for the purpose of obligating the district under TEC, §48.257 and TEC, Chapter 49, Subchapters A and D, and the rules adopted by the commissioner of education as authorized under TEC, 49.006. This authority includes approval of the *Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit*.

Letter from TEA:

[https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Ug3kRDDKeOTfH7IcKcUAZUt3Vu1be_jr/view?usp=drive link](https://drive.google.com/file/d/1Ug3kRDDKeOTfH7IcKcUAZUt3Vu1be_jr/view?usp=drive_link)

For more information, visit

<https://tea.texas.gov/finance-and-grants/state-funding/excess-local-revenue>

RATIONALE:	TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) and TEC, §48.257 and TEC, Chapter 49, A & D
BUDGET:	Chapter 49 excess local revenue recapture payments
RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to delegate contractual authority to obligate the school district under Texas Education Code (TEC) §11.1511(c)(4) to the superintendent, solely for the purpose of obligating the district under TEC, §48.257 and TEC, Chapter 49, Subchapters A and D, and the rules adopted by the commissioner of education as authorized under TEC, 49.006. This authority includes approval of the <i>Agreement for the Purchase of Attendance Credit</i> .

CONSENT AGENDA

Consider/ Take Possible Action to Set Public Hearing for 2026-2027 Budget and Proposed Tax Rate

ACTION ITEM:

As part of the budget adoption process, the governing body is required to conduct a public hearing prior to adoption of the budget for 2026-2027.

The budget must be adopted before the start of the new fiscal year on September 1, 2026.

Administration recommends setting the date/time for public hearing on the budget for Port Aransas ISD on Wednesday, August 26, 2026 at 6:00 P.M.

RATIONALE:	Texas Education Code 44.004
BUDGET:	None required. This is a public meeting for the proposed budget and proposed tax rate.
RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to set the date/time for public hearing on budget and proposed tax rate for Port Aransas ISD to be held on Wednesday, August 26, 2026 at 6:00 P.M.

Consent Agenda

Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve the PAISD 2026-2027 District Professional Development Plan

Action Item:

SB 1267 requires the local school board to approve annually the district's professional development plan. This plan must include those trainings listed on the State Board of Educator Certification (SBEC) training clearinghouse noting any differences from that list and any other training the district will require.

Here is a link to the PAISD 2026-2027 Professional Development Plan for review and approval.

[2026-2027 Professional Development Plan](#)

Rationale:	Board Policy DMA (Local)
Budget:	Cost of professional development programs.
Recommendation:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve the PAISD 2026-2027 Professional Development Plan as presented.

CONSENT AGENDA

Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve Aransas County Extension Service Requests

Action Item:

The Aransas County Extension Service, which is part of the Texas A&M Agrilife Extension, has requested for the Board to consider and approve an Adjunct Faculty Agreement from Aransas County, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension 4-H, for Port Aransas ISD Board approval for the 2026-2027 school year.

RATIONALE: These agreements allow PAISD students to participate in 4-H as an extracurricular activity.

BUDGET: No additional funding needed.

RECOMMENDATION: Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve the Adjunct Faculty Agreement and Resolution with Aransas County, Texas A&M AgriLife Extension 4-H for the 2026-2027 school year as presented.

EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS REQUEST

Request for Extracurricular Status For 4-H

ARANSAS COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

892 Airport Road, Rockport, TX 78382

Email: aransas-tx@tamu.edu

Phone: 361-790-0103 Fax 361-729-3937



Date: July 9, 2026

Dr. Sharon McKinney
Superintendent
100 S. Station
Port Aransas, TX 78373

the attached resolution, be sanctioned as an extracurricular activity. We request the enclosed RESOLUTION be presented for consideration at the next scheduled meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Port Aransas ISD. We further request that questions regarding this RESOLUTION be directed to us in a timely manner so that we may prepare and present an appropriate response so as not to delay action on this request.

Finally, we request that a signed copy of this RESOLUTION, along with a copy of the minutes of the Board meeting, be forwarded to us for our files.

Thank you and members of the Board of Trustees for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Katie Clark".

Katie Sjolander Clark, M.S.
County Extension Agent-Ag/NR

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Megan Glidden".

Megan Glidden, M.Ed.
County Extension Agent-FCH

Attachment: Resolution for Extracurricular Status of 4-H Organization

EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS REQUEST

Resolution Requesting Extracurricular Status For 4-H

RESOLUTION

EXTRACURRICULAR STATUS OF 4-H ORGANIZATION

Be it hereby resolved that upon this date, the duly elected Board of Trustees of the

PORT ARANSAS INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

meeting in public with a quorum present and certified,
did adopt this resolution that recognizes the

ARANSAS

County Texas 4-H Organization as approved for recognition and eligible
for extracurricular status consideration under 19 Texas Administrative Code,
Chapter 76.1, pertaining to extracurricular activities.

Participation by 4-H members under provisions of this resolution are subject
to all rules and regulations set forth under the 19 Texas Administrative Code
as interpreted by this Board and designated officials of this school district.

Texas A&M AgriLife Extension will request academic eligibility for all 4-H
competitive activities, regardless if a school absence is or is not required,
and for non-competitive purposes when an absence is required.

Approved this _____ day of _____, 2026.

Board of Trustee

Superintendent

ADJUNCT FACULTY REQUEST

Cover Letter Requesting Adjunct Faculty Status

ARANSAS COUNTY EXTENSION SERVICE

892 Airport Road, Rockport, TX 78382

Email: aransas-tx@tamu.edu

Phone: 361-790-0103 Fax 361-729-3937



Date: July 9, 2026

Dr. Sharon McKinney
Superintendent
Port Aransas ISD
100 S. Station
Port Aransas, TX 78373

On behalf of the Aransas County Extension Staff, We whereby respectfully request approval of the attached Adjunct Faculty Agreement with the Port Aransas ISD.

The State Board of Education passed an amendment to 19 TAC§129.21 (j). Requirements for Student Attendance Accounting for State Funding Purposes allows public school students to be considered "in attendance" when participating in off-campus activities with an adjunct staff member of the school district. Section 3 of the Student Attendance Handbook states:

(1) The student is participating in an activity that is approved by the local board of school trustees and is under the direction of a member of the professional or paraprofessional staff of the school district, or an adjunct staff member who:

(A) has a minimum of a bachelor's degree; and

(B) is eligible for participation in the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

Aransas County Extension Staff requests the agents listed on the enclosed Adjunct Faculty Agreement be awarded adjunct staff member status for the period of time indicated on the agreement.

We hope Port Aransas ISD will accept this request. Please let me know if you would like to schedule an appointment to discuss the amendment and request or if you need further information.

Thank you and members of the Board of Trustees for your consideration of this request.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Katie Clark".

Katie Sjolander Clark, M.S.

County Extension Agent-Ag/NR

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Megan Glidden".

Megan Glidden, M.Ed.

County Extension Agent-FCH

Attachment: Resolution for Extracurricular Status of 4-H Organization

ADJUNCT FACULTY REQUEST

Adjunct Faculty Agreement

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF NUECES

On this date, at a regularly scheduled and posted meeting, came the Board of Trustees of the Port Aransas ISD, hereinafter referred to as "District." A quorum having been established; the Board proceeded to consider the appointment of the herein named individual(s) as an adjunct member of the District.

Upon consideration and vote of _____ in favor, Katie Sjolander Clark and Megan Glidden are hereby named as adjunct faculty member(s) of the District subject to the following considerations and provisions of such appointment to wit:

1. This appointment shall commence on the _____ day of _____, 20 ____ and remain in effect until the _____ day of _____, 20 ____.
2. This appointment will include the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service employees listed below:

NAME	TITLE	DEGREE	INSTITUTION	DATE
Katie Sjolander Clark	County Extension Agent-Ag/NR	B.S. Agriculture	Texas A&M University - Kingsville	2023
		M.S. Agriculture Science	Texas A&M University - Kingsville	2025
Megan Glidden	County Extension Agent-FCH	B.A. General Studies, Teacher Education	Schreiner University	2008
		M.Ed. Teacher Leadership	Lamar University	2011

3. Adjunct faculty member(s) will receive no compensation, salary, or remuneration from the District.
4. Adjunct faculty member(s) is and shall remain an employee, in good standing, of the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service.
5. Adjunct faculty member(s) is and shall remain under the direct supervision of the District Extension Administrator of District 11 Extension Director.
6. Adjunct faculty member(s) shall receive all group insurance benefits, workman's compensation insurance benefits, unemployment insurance, and any and all other plans for the benefit of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service employees. The District shall have no responsibility for any of such benefits or plans.

Adjunct faculty member(s) shall direct the activities and participation of students at the school district in sponsored and approved activities as designated from time to time by adjunct faculty members for which notice shall be given to School District administrative personnel. Adjunct faculty members' activities and participation with students of the School District are directed, supervised, and controlled by and through supervisory personnel of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service pursuant to the supervisory authority of the District Extension Administrator or County Extension Director. Adjunct faculty member(s) is not the employee of the School District, and School District does not nor shall not supervise, direct, or control the activities and/or participation of such Aransas County Extension Agent(s) who have/has been herein designated as an adjunct faculty member.

This appointment is made by the District by and through the Board of Trustees of said district for the benefit of allowing voluntary student participation in programs conducted by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service in recognition of the educational benefits arising from such participation and activities and/or directed by the Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service. This appointment is made in accordance with the provisions of Section 129.21 (j)(1) of the Texas Administrative Code authorizing the school to deem such participating students in attendance for foundation school program purposes.

This appointment of the herein named Aransas County Extension Agent(s), are not intended nor shall be construed as a waiver of any claim or defense of sovereign or governmental immunity from liability now possessed by the District or any of its employees, agents, officers, and/or board members in the performance of governmental functions.

Signed this ___ day of _____, 2026.

Port Aransas ISD

By: _____
Print Name

Title: _____

Signature: _____

CONSENT AGENDA

Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve District Auditor.

ACTION ITEM:

In accordance with Texas Education Code, Section 44.008, the board shall have a district's fiscal accounts audited annually at district expense by a certified or public accountant holding a permit from the State Board of Public Accountancy. The district is currently contracted with the firm of Gowland, Morales & Smith, PLLC. All services have been performed accurately, professionally and timely by Gowland, Morales & Smith, PLLC over the past 20 years. The audit engagement letter with GM&S is attached. Fees will include additional audit test work and reporting on schedules to incorporate GASB requirements, TEA requirements, implementation of GASB 87 for leases and GASB 96 for subscription-based information technology arrangements (SABITA), and federal funds expended over \$1,000,000.

[Audit Engagement Letter](#)

RATIONALE:	CFC(LEGAL) & BAA(LEGAL)
BUDGET:	General Fund Budget (Cost of the Audit) - the 2025 cost was \$34,310.
RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve Gowland, Morales & Smith, PLLC to conduct the annual audit for the year ending August 31, 2026.

CLOSED MEETING

ACTION ITEM:

The Board will Adjourn into Executive Session in Accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code 551.071 thru 551.083 to Consider the Following:

- A. Personnel: Deliberate the Appointment, Employment, Evaluation, Reassignment, Duties, Discipline, or Dismissal of Employee(s).
- B. Discuss Educator Contract(s).

DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION ITEM

ACTION ITEM:

- A. Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve Hiring of a Certified Educator.

DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION ITEM
Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve the Student Code of Conduct
for the 2026-2027 School Year

Action Item:

The Student Code of Conduct is established to foster, protect and manage students in all school settings, both on and off of campus. The code addresses conduct, discipline and defines processes established for addressing misconduct. The Student Code of Conduct is the district's response to the requirements of Chapter 37 of the Texas Education Code. The Student Code of Conduct is distributed to all students via paper or web access at the beginning of the school year. Acknowledgement of receipt/access is required of both student and parent.

The Student Code of Conduct is patterned after the prototype established by Texas Association of School Boards that provides annual legal review to determine that all current laws are included.

The Student Code of Conduct is applicable to all students in grades PreK through 12 at all PAISD schools.

PAISD 2026-2027 Student Code of Conduct

RATIONALE:	FO(LEGAL), FO(LOCAL)
BUDGET:	No additional funding needed.
RECOMMENDATION:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to adopt the 2026-2027 Student Code of Conduct as presented.

Consider/Take Possible Action to Approve SB-12 Annual Certification of Certain Laws

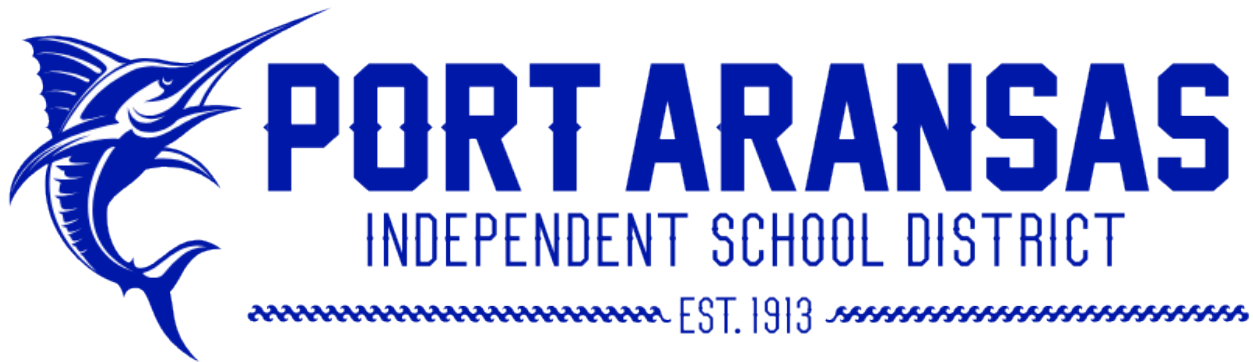
Action Item:

Senate Bill 12 (89th Texas Legislative Session) requires that the school board annually certify that the district is complying with certain laws (according to Texas Education Code 39.008).

For more information, please view this communication from the Texas Education Agency:

<https://tea.texas.gov/taa-letters/senate-bill-12-annual-certification-compliance-certain-laws>

Rationale:	SB 12 requires this annual certification to be approved by the school board.
Budget:	No cost savings were realized due to this new legislation. No direct costs to implement this new administrative requirement, indirect costs include personnel time to meet this new requirement.
Recommendation:	Accept the superintendent's recommendation to approve the SB-12 Annual Certification of Certain Laws as presented.



TEC §39.008: Certification of Compliance with Certain Laws Required

Section 1: School System Information

Name of School District or Charter School: Port Aransas Independent School District

County-District Number (CDN): 178908

Superintendent/CEO Name: Dr. Sharon McKinney

Certification School Year: 2026-2027

Section 2: Description of Required Policies and Procedures

Provide a description or attach a copy of the policies and procedures required by TEC, §§11.005(c) and 28.0022(h) and describe how employees and contractors were notified of these policies and procedures.

BJCF(LOCAL) — Superintendent: Nonrenewal	Engaging or assigning DEI duties, as well as instructional activities prohibited by law, were included in the list of reasons the superintendent's contract may be nonrenewed.
BT(LEGAL) — Prohibition on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Activities	This new legal framework addresses SB 12's prohibition on DEI activities. Definitions and prohibited activities and certification requirements are included.
CJ(LEGAL) and (LOCAL) — Contracted Services	Adopted new provisions reflect that contractors may not engage in or assign instructional activities prohibited by law or DEI duties under SB 12. Violations will result in termination of the contract.

DF(LEGAL) — Termination of Employment	The legal framework was revised to address the prohibition on DEI and prohibited classroom instruction.
DFBB(LOCAL) — Term Contracts: Nonrenewal	Engaging or assigning DEI duties, as well as instructional activities prohibited by law, were included in the list of reasons a term contract employee may be nonrenewed.
DH(LOCAL) — Employee Standards of Conduct	Sections on Prohibited Classroom Instruction or Activities and Prohibited Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Duties were added.

All PAISD board policies are available to the public via our website: https://www.paisd.net/216782_2

Employees were notified of these policies through the dissemination of the 2026-2027 Employee Handbook (evidenced by Employee Handbook Receipt) and our electronic distribution of policies (evidenced by Acknowledgment of Electronic Distribution of Policies form). Contractors were notified of these policies through provisions in our vendor registration packet, including notice that vendors are responsible for complying with all Board policy and administrative regulations.

Section 3: Policy or Program Changes

Were any existing policies, programs, procedures, or trainings altered to ensure compliance with TEC, §§39.008, 11.005, and 28.0022? ☒ Yes ☐ No

If yes, describe or attach a copy of the changes below.

BJA(LEGAL) — Superintendent: Qualifications and Duties	The legal framework was updated to include information regarding the required certifications to TEA.
BT(LEGAL) — Prohibition on Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Activities	This new legal framework addresses SB 12's prohibition on DEI activities. Definitions and prohibited activities and certification requirements are included.
CDC(LEGAL) — Other Revenues: Gifts and Solicitations	A district may not accept private funding for the purpose of developing a curriculum, purchasing or selecting curriculum materials, or providing teacher training or professional development related to a concept listed in Education Code 28.0022(a)(4)(A).

CJ(LEGAL) and (LOCAL) — Contracted Services CMD(LEGAL) — Equipment and Supplies Management: Instructional Materials Care and Accounting CQA(LEGAL) — Technology Resources: District, Campus, and Classroom Websites DG(LEGAL) — Employee Rights and Privileges	Adopted new provisions reflect that contractors may not engage in or assign instructional activities prohibited by law or DEI duties under SB 12. Violations will result in termination of the contract. In providing instructional materials for each subject in the required curriculum and each grade level, the district protects students from obscene or harmful content as necessary for compliance with Education Code 28.0022. The list of required website postings was updated to reflect that a district must post notice at least seven days before the date on which a meeting is held to discuss the certification of compliance with Education Code 11.005 and 28.0022. Teachers may not be compelled to discuss a widely debated and currently controversial issue of public policy or social affairs and may not be subject to discipline for an allegation that they did so if they are using SBOE-approved instructional materials and teaching with fidelity.
EMB(LEGAL) — Miscellaneous Instructional Policies: Teaching About Controversial Issues	The legal framework at this code was updated with the information from Education Code 28.0022.
FOA(LEGAL) — Student Discipline: Removal by Teacher or Bus Driver	A teacher may not remove a student from class based on a single incident of behavior if the student is reasonably discussing certain
	debated and controversial topics subject to Education Code 28.0022.

Section 4: Cost Savings

Were there any cost savings resulting from actions taken to comply with TEC, §39.008? ☐ Yes ☒ No

Total cost savings: \$ N/A

If yes, describe or attach a copy of the cost savings.

N/A

Section 5: Board Approval

Date of Board/Governing Body Meeting: July 23, 2026

Meeting notice was posted on LEA website at least seven days in advance: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Public testimony opportunity provided during meeting: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Certification approved by majority vote: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Section 6: Certification Statement

By signing below, the undersigned certifies that the information contained in this document is true and correct and that the district or charter school is in compliance with the requirements of Texas Education Code §§39.008, 11.005(c), and 28.0022(h).

Superintendent/CEO Signature: _____

Date: _____

SWORN TO AND SUBSCRIBED before me on this _____ day of _____, 20____.

Notary Public, State of Texas

ADJOURNMENT

Action Item

There being no further business, Board President will adjourn the meeting.