

FARWELL ISD  
BOARD MINUTES

10/13/2020

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees met for a regular board meeting at 7:00 pm in the Farwell ISD Administration Building at 805 Ave G, Farwell, Texas.

Members Board present were; Jason Schilling, Ryan Williams, Ashley Nichols, Joe Jaime, Vince Smith, and Eric McElroy.

Meeting opened at 7:04 pm with prayer by Vince Smith, followed by the pledge.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Ashley Nichols, to approve the consent agenda.

Principals report given by Tonya O'Neill, Kristy White, and Coby Norman. High school at 176, JH at 121, and Elementary at 247 with the total enrollment at 544. Benchmark activities.

Athletic Director, Shane Perkins gave the athletic report. Football discussion, Cross Country, and Basketball schedule.

Maintenance director, Tim Kasel, gave update on water tank, sanitation, and water tank.

Motion made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Eric McElroy, to approve Wendy Case and Janelle Duffey, from Parmer County 4H, as adjunct faculty for the 2020-2021 school year. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Ashley Nichols, to pass a resolution giving 4H activities extracurricular status. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ashley Nichols and seconded by Vince Smith, to approve the purchase of Viewboards for the High School. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Ryan Williams, to approve the threat assessment team for the 2020-2021 school year. Motion passed all in favor.

Superintendent gave the ESL report for the current school year.

Motion made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Eric McElroy to suspend Asynchronous remote learning at the end of the second six weeks. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Ryan Williams, to approve chrome books/tablets for the elementary. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ryan Williams and seconded by Eric McElroy, to approve laptops for academic UIL. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ashley Nichols and seconded by Vince Smith, to purchase computers for the High School computer lab. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Ashley Nichols, to purchase teacher laptops. Motion passed all in favor.

Superintendent, Colby Waldrop, gave his report over COVID rules and challenges, construction, and requested next board meeting to be held on November 11 to avoid conflicts with basketball games.

Next board meeting will be November 11, at 7:00 pm.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Eric McElroy, to adjourn the meeting. Motion passed all in favor.