

FARWELL ISD  
BOARD MINUTES  
1/11/2023

The Farwell ISD Board of Trustees met for a regular board meeting at 6:00 pm in the Farwell ISD Administration Building at 805 Ave G, Farwell, Texas.

Members Board present were; Vince Smith, Ashley Nichols, Eric McElroy, Brandon Foster, and Mario Vidaurri.

Meeting opened up at 6:00 pm with a prayer by Ashley Nichols, followed by the pledge.

Guest present was; Les Ball.

No public comment.

Public hearing on the TAPR, Texas Academic Performance Reports. Kristy White and Kyle Conatser, gave the TAPR report for each campus. Les Ball asked about science scores from last year and current Biology teacher.

Motion made by Brandon Foster and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve the TAPR for the 2021-2022 school year.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the consent agenda. Motion passed all in favor.

Tim Kasel, Maintenance Director, gave updates on water leaks, garage door replacement at bus barn, clearing of playground equipment at elementary, and transportation is in good shape.

Kyle Conatser, High School principal, reported on State UIL congress, basketball, and livestock shows. Coach Kelly has been asked to speak at a Coaches clinic.

Kristy White, Junior High and Elementary Principal, discussed robotics, STAAR tutorials.

Total enrollment is 602.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve a resolution regarding multiple representation by Walsh, Gallegos, Trevino, & Kyle, P.C. and relating to the drafting and execution of an inter-local agreement for special education shard services. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Mario Vidaurri and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the inter-local agreement with West Texas Food Services. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Vince Smith to approve the amendment to implement secure act and other law changes for the 457 plan. Motion passed all in favor.

Closed session at 6:37 pm. Code 551.074

Returned 6:45 pm

Colby Waldrop, Superintendent, gave his report. Increase funding for CTE. Applications are starting to come in for the Elementary principal's job. Will do TAPR again next month. Trash cans are finally back at school.

Next board meeting will be on February 13, 2023, at 7:00 pm.

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