

FARWELL ISD  
BOARD MINUTES

2/5/2025

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; Ryan Williams, Joe Jaime, Brandon Foster, Eric McElroy, Vince Smith, Mario Vidaurri, and Ashley Nichols.

Meeting opened up at 7:00 pm with a prayer by Ashley Nichols, followed by the pledge.

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

Principals reported on upcoming activities and enrollment of 595.

Motion made by Ashley Nichols and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve TASB update 124.  
Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Ashley Nichols to order an election for the Farwell ISD board of trustees in the month of May. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Brandon Foster and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to have a joint election with the City of Farwell. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Mario Vidaurri and seconded by Vince Smith to approve the HB3 board goals.  
Motion passed all in favor.

Vince Smith moved and seconded by Ashley Nichols, that the board approve the Agreement for Architectural/Engineering services with Huseman Consulting Engineers, LLC dba Flex Engineers, to provide professional services related to the District's Concession Stand and Restroom Projects, as presented, and authorize the superintendent to execute the Agreement on the District's behalf. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the purchase of a new suburban from Caldwell Country Chevrolet through Buyboard. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ashely Nichols and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the purchase a new Ford Transit Van from Rockdale Country Ford through Buyboard. Motion passed all in favor.

Entered into closed session at 7:50 pm. 551.074

Returned from closed session at 9:00 pm.

Motion made by Mario Vidaurri and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the Elementary Principals contract for Judd Cathey. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Eric McElroy and seconded by Ashley Nichols to approve the Junior High Principals contract for Kristy White. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ashley Nichols and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve the High School Principals contract for Kyle Conatser. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve the Assistant Principals contract for Kendra Almanza. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Brandon Foster and seconded by Eric McElroy to approve the Pre-K through 6 counselors' contract for Heather Conatser. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Brandon Foster and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve the secondary counselors' contract for Lorre Haseloff. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Ashley Nichols and seconded by Brandon Foster to approve the Technology Directors contract for Eric Chadwick. Motion passed all in favor.

Motion made by Vince Smith and seconded by Mario Vidaurri to approve Derrick Shelton as the new Head Football coach and science teacher. Motion passed all in favor.

Next board meeting will be on March 10, 2025.

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