PURPOSE	The Board of Trustees of the Channelview Independent School District met for a called meeting in the CISD Education Support Center Boardroom.
MEMBERS PRESENT	Alex Ybarra, Ramiro Granados, Hector Martinez, Shumona Collins, Lynette Breedlove, Dennis Cedillo, Steven Dennis
STAFF PRESENT	Dr. Tory C. Hill, Dr. Atina Young, LaKeisha LeBlanc, Robert Laird, Jennifer Carnathan, Kim Robbins, Taylor Lovinggood, Jennifer Tunink, Marissa Lopez, LaToya Terry, Jose Lopez, Damion Hopkins
GUEST PRESENT	Jacqueline Moreno, Chantay Hicks, David Hodgins, Phyllis Grissom, Karla Castillo
CALL TO ORDER	Mr. Ybarra, Board President, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
INVOCATION, PRAYER & PLEDGES	Mr. Dennis led the prayer and pledges.
PUBLIC COMMENTS AND/OR PRESENTATIONS	There were no public comments.
PUBLIC MEETING TO DISCUSS 2026 – 2027 BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE FOR 2026	There were no requests to participate in the public meeting.
WORKSHOP: DEAP	Mr. Hodgins with Thompson & Horton LLP presented a Board Workshop regarding Disciplinary Alternative Education Programs (DAEP) under Chapter 37 of the Texas Education Code. Mr. Hodgins reviewed DAEP requirements, including program structure, staffing, academics, and services for students with disabilities. He discussed mandatory and discretionary removals, jurisdiction and off-campus conduct, recent legislative changes, and student due process requirements. He also reviewed requirements related to long-term removals and manifestation determination reviews for students with disabilities.
PRESENTATIONS: LONG RANGE PLAN OVERVIEW, PROJECT PRICING, BOND CAPACITY, AND LEGAL GUIDANCE UPDATE	Ms. Grissom with Huckabee presented information regarding the proposed November 2026 election. The presentation included a review of the long-range planning process and community input that led to the recommendations presented to the Board. Ms. Grissom provided an overview of the proposed Maintenance and Operations funding proposition and bond propositions for facilities, equipment, safety and infrastructure, technology devices, athletic facility renovations, and a multipurpose indoor facility. She also reviewed the potential tax impact associated with the propositions and various election outcome scenarios.
POSSIBLE CISD ATHLETIC PARTNERSHIPS	Coach Hopkins presented the Channelview ISD Athletics Strategic Youth Partnership Initiative, including proposed partnerships with the Eastside Bengals and Channelview Little League. He discussed opportunities to increase community engagement, support student recruitment and retention, and develop youth athletic pipelines.
CLOSED SESSION	Adjourn to Closed Session at 8:06 p.m., as Authorized by Section §551.001 et seq. of the Government Code - A. §551.074 - Personnel - deliberate appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public employee

B. §551.076 - Deliberation regarding the deployment, or specific occasions for implementation, of security personnel or devices; or a security audit
C. §551.071 - Private Consultation with the Board's Attorney regarding any item on the agenda

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The meeting returned to open session at 9:01 p.m.

2026 - 3816
CONSIDER EMPLOYMENT OF PERSONNEL

Ms. Collins moved to authorize the Superintendent to offer a contract for employment to the candidates as presented. Mr. Cedillo seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 - 3817
CONSIDER ADOPTION OF 2026 – 2027 OFFICAL SCHOOL BUDGET AND PROPOSED TAX RATE

Mr. Granados moved to approve the Adoption of the 2026 - 2027 Official School Budget and Proposed Tax Rate as presented. Ms. Collins seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 -3818
CONSIDER AN ORDINANCE LEVYING CHANNELVIEW ISD TAX RATE FOR 2026

Ms. Collins moved to approve the Maintenance and Operations rate of $0.7168 per $100 of value. Mr. Cedillo seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

Ms. Collins moved to approve the Interest and Sinking Rate of $0.2443 per $100 of value. Mr. Granados seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

Ms. Collins moved that the property tax rate be increased by the adoption of a tax rate of $0.9611, which is effectively a 2.05 percent increase in the tax rate. Mr. Cedillo seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 - 3819
CONSIDER SUBMISSION OF THE OFFICAL 2026 CERTIFIED ESTIMATE APPRAISAL ROLL AS ANALYZED BY THE TAX ASSESSOR/ COLLECTOR PER PROPERTY TAX CODE SEC.26.04(B)

Ms. Collins moved to approve the official 2026 Certified Estimate Appraisal Roll as analyzed by the Tax Assessor-Collector. Mrs. Breedlove seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 -3820
CONSIDER ORDER CALLING FOR A VOTER-APPROVED TAX RATE ELECTION (VATRE)

Ms. Collins moved that the Board of Trustees adopt the Order Calling a Voter Approved Tax Rate Election (VATRE), as presented. Mr. Cedillo seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 – 3821
CONSDIER ORDER CALLING SCHOOL BUILDING BOND ELECTION

Mr. Cedillo moved that the Board of Trustees adopt the Order Calling School Building Bond Election, as presented. Ms. Collins seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 – 3822
CONSIDER BOARD OF TRUSTEE ELECTION

Ms. Collins moved to approve the attached Order of Election calling for an election of school board trustees to fill positions 4, 5, 6, and 7 (full

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four-year terms) on the Channelview ISD Board of Trustees and the election service agreement between Harris County and Channelview ISD relating to an election held November 3, 2026. Mr. Dennis seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

2026 – 3823
CONSIDER MEETING TO CANVASS ELECTION RETURNS OF NOVEMBER 3, 2026

Mr. Dennis requested that the recording secretary include the following statement in the minutes of the meeting: As the presiding officer of this meeting of the Channelview ISD Board of Trustees, I am calling for the canvass of the Board of Trustee election and bond election returns of the November 3, 2026, election to be held on Monday, November 16, 2026, at 7:00 p.m. in the Education Support Center Board Room at 828 Sheldon Road, upon receipt of the official canvass results from the Harris County Elections Administrator Division. Mr. Granados seconded the motion. All Trustees were in favor and the motion carried with a 7 – 0 vote.

DISCUSSION OF FUTURE MEETINGS

Dr. Hill shared these upcoming events:
August 18th - Regular Board Meeting
September 7th - Labor Day Holiday
September 15th - Regular Board Meeting

2026 - 3824
ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Dennis moved to adjourn, seconded by Mr. Granados. All Trustees were in favor and the meeting adjourned at 9:52 p.m.

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Board President Board Secretary