

Minutes of Special Meeting
Monday, August 27, 2026
The Board of Trustees
SPRING BRANCH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

A Special Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the SPRING BRANCH INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT was held on **August 27, 2026**, beginning at 6:00 PM in the Wayne F. Schaper, Sr. Leadership Center, Board Room, 955 Campbell Rd, Houston, TX 77024, with the following Board members present: Walker Agnew Jr., Chris Earnest, Jennifer Hyland, David Slattery, and Ted Tredennick.

Board Vice President David Slattery called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Vice President Slattery certified that the provisions of the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code Section 551.041, had been complied with in connection with public notice of the meeting.

1. Public Comment on Agenda Items

No one signed up to speak.

2. Closed Session

Vice President Slattery recessed the Board into closed session at 6:02 p.m. in accordance with the following sections of the Texas Open Meetings Act for the purposes listed below. Because the agenda item related to the Level Three complaint brought by Ms. T.O. relates to employee issues as well as issues regarding public school students, the hearing will be held in closed session. Vice President Slattery stated that the Board will return to open session for any vote.

- A. Tex. Gov't Code Section 551.071: Consultation with Board Attorney Regarding All Matters as Authorized by Law
- B. Tex. Gov't Code Section 551.074: Deliberation Regarding Employment, Evaluation, Duties, Dismissal of Employee And to Hear a Complaint or Charge Against an Employee - Level 3 Board Policy FNG Complaint (T.O. – Stratford High School)
- C. Tex. Gov't Code Section 551.082: Deliberation Regarding Discipline of Public School Student - Level 3 Board Policy FNG Complaint (T.O. – Stratford High School)
- D. Tex. Gov't Code Section 551.0821: Deliberation Regarding Personally Identifiable Information of a Public School Student - Level 3 Board Policy FNG Complaint (T.O. – Stratford High School)

Present at the hearing were the following individuals:

Parent:

- Ms. Tricia Oakland

Administration:

- Dr. Jennifer Blaine, Superintendent
- Dr. Bryan Williams, Associate Superintendent for Administration and Talent
- Dr. Gary Henry, Executive Director for Elementary and Secondary Administrative Services
- Dr. HP Hyder III, Community Superintendent
- Dr. Lawanda Coffee, Director of Purchasing
- Mr. Raymorris Barnes, Stratford High School Principal
- Ms. Danielle Prontka, Stratford High School Assistant Principal
- Ms. Ellen Spalding, Attorney representing the Administration

Board:

- Mr. Jonathan Brush, Attorney advising the Board

3. Open Session

A. Hearing and Consideration of Level 3 Board Policy FNG Complaint (T.O. – Stratford High School)

Vice President Slattery reconvened the meeting in open session at 7:20 p.m. to proceed with the vote.

Motion made by Trustee Walker Agnew Jr. and seconded by Trustee Jennifer Hyland to affirm the Level II grievance decision.

Motion passed by a 5-0 vote.

4. Meeting Adjourned

Vice President Slattery adjourned the Special Meeting – Grievance Hearing at 7:23 p.m.

Courtney Anderson
President, Board of Trustees

Ted Tredennick
Secretary, Board of Trustees

Approved: September 28, 2026