Minutes of Special Meeting

The Board of Trustees
Leander Independent School District

STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF WILLIAMSON

A meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Leander Independent School District was held on Thursday, July 17, 2025, beginning at 6:18 PM in Cedar Park Middle School Library, 2100 Sun Chase Blvd., Cedar Park, TX 78613. The following members were present: Anna Smith, Sade Fashokun, Trish Bode, and Paul Gauthier. Paul Gauthier left the meeting at 6:27 PM. Francesca Romans arrived at 6:32 PM. Gloria Gonzales-Dholakia and Nekosi Nelson were absent.

The Board of Trustees took a recess at 6:27 PM

The Board of Trustees reconvened at 6:32 PM

1. **CALL TO ORDER AND DECLARATION OF QUORUM**
2. **CITIZEN COMMENTS**

   Four citizens addressed the Board of Trustees.
3. **BOARD WORKSHOP**

   A. Leading Professional Learning Communities (PLC) at Work Districtwide: From Boardroom to Classroom
4. **CLOSED SESSION**

   The Board or Trustees went into closed session at 8:23 PM after the Board President announced the right to do so under:

   A. Texas Government Code 551.074: deliberation and consideration of employment of Cedar Park Middle School Principal

   The Board of Trustees returned from closed session at 9:01 PM.
5. **ACTION PURSUANT TO CLOSED SESSION**

   A. Consider Employment of Cedar Park Middle School Principal

   I move that the Board of Trustees accept the recommendation of Magdalena Jistel for Principal at Cedar Park Middle School 1-year probationary employment contract for personnel addition(s) as presented in accordance with the salary scale, policies and contract of Leander Independent School District for the 2025-26 school year. This motion made by Trish Bode, seconded by Sade Fashokun, passed four in favor, none opposed.

   Trish Bode: In favor, Sade Fashokun: In favor, Francesca Romans: In favor, Anna Smith: In favor, Paul Gauthier: Absent, Gloria Gonzales-Dholakia: Absent, and Nekosi Nelson: Absent.

6. **BOARD MEETING DEBRIEF**
7. **ADJOURNMENT**

THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES, HAVING NO FURTHER BUSINESS, ADJOURNED THE MEETING.

Time: 9:02 PM

These minutes were read and approved by the Board of Trustees on the 31st day of July 2025.

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President Secretary

Copies of Board information referred to are attached to the official minutes or filed in the office indicated.