The Board of Trustees of Denton Independent School District, State of Texas, met in a regular meeting at the Denton ISD Central Services building, 1307 N. Locust St., Denton, Texas, on Tuesday, November 18, 2008 at 6:08 PM. The meeting was called to order by president Charles Stafford who announced that a quorum was present.

Board Members Present:	Alexander, Harris, Price, Ramsey, Rodriguez, Smith, and Stafford
Board Members Absent:	
Arrived Late:	
Left Early:	
School Personnel Present:	Braswell, Rutherford, Wilson, Stripling, Monschke, Stephens, Cox and Stevenson.
Others:	Brittany Tabor, <i>Denton Record Chronicle</i> ; DEA; Randy Stout, Attorney; and staff.
Team of Eight Training	The continuing education required under the Texas Education Code, §11.159, applies to each member of an independent school district board of trustees. The entire board, including all board members, shall annually participate with their superintendent in a team building session. The purpose of the team building session is to enhance the effectiveness of the board-superintendent team and to assess the continuing education needs of the board-superintendent team.
	Dr. Mike Mattingly, Asst. Superintendent provided an overview of the student assessment systems currently used within the district as well as the instructional leadership professional development used to assist campus administrators.
	Mr. Ernie Stripling, Information Technology Officer presented a summary of the technology department's responsibilities for the district computer systems, hardware and software support.
	Several presentations were made by secondary and elementary departments which demonstrated the various student interactive learning components utilized in the classroom and on-line.
Adjournment:	The meeting adjourned at 9:50 p.m.
	President
	Secretary