

Regular Meeting

Monday, May 19, 2025 6:00 PM

Aledo ISD Administration Board Room, 1008 Bailey Ranch Rd, Aledo, TX 76008

I. Call To Order- 6:02 p.m.

Presenter: Forrest Collins, President

II. **Determine a Quorum-** There was a quorum of Board members present including Trustees: Collins, Harris, Tarrant, Pruett, Scott, Taylor, and Lear.

III. **Pledge of Allegiance to the United States and Texas Flags-** Annetta Elementary School Bearcat Ambassadors shared what being an ambassador is. The students lead the Board and community in the pledge of allegiances.

IV. Moment of Silent Prayer or Reflection

Presenter: Forrest Collins, President

V. Swearing In of School Board Trustees

- **Forrest Collins, Place 4**
- **Lynn Morgan, Place 5**

Trustee Jennifer Taylor was honored for her years of service on the Board of Trustees. Forrest Collins and Lynn Morgan were sworn in to their three year term as Aledo ISD Trustees.

VI. Board Member Reports

VI.A. President's Report- Trustee Collins celebrated the staff and parents in the audience and thanked them for their involvement in their child's education. Trustee Collins also shared the accomplishments of various student groups.

Presenter: Forrest Collins, President

VI.B. Superintendent's Report- Superintendent Dr. Susan Bohn thanked the community for making it a great school year. She also shared the volunteer and mentor hours for the year and thanked the community for their participation in the district.

Presenter: Susan K. Bohn, Superintendent

VI.C. Strategic Partners - Aledo Education Foundation, Aledo ISD PTO, AdvoCats Report- Trustee Pruett shared an update on each of the district's strategic partners: the Aledo Advocats, Aledo ISD PTO, and Aledo Education Foundation.

Presenter: Jeremy Pruett, Trustee

VI.C.1. Donation from the Aledo Education Foundation- Jack Huxel and Board members from the

Aledo Education Foundation presented a donation to the school district.

VI.D. Legislative Subcommittee Report- Trustee Lear shared an update on the work of the ongoing state legislative session and discussed various proposed bills that would impact public education. **Presenter:** David Lear, Vice President

VII. **Campus Presentation - Annetta Elementary School-** Principal of Annetta Elementary School Holly Elgin introduced students James Blair, Sutton Lawler, Ansley Blake, and Everett Geis who shared what it means to be a Character House Leader and what they have learned about leadership throughout the year. **Presenter:** Holly Elgin, Principal of Annetta Elementary

VIII. **Commendations-** The Board celebrated various student and staff groups on their recent accomplishments.

VIII.A. Featured Collaborative Team: Aledo Middle School Vertical Math Team: Kailea Click, Elizabeth Shifflett, Skye Lindgron, Emily Lyle, Grace McCurdy, Macy Cantu, Kaitlyn Winn

VIII.B. Bearcats of Character: Purpose- Hudson Hackfeld, Aledo High School/Daniel Ninth Grade Campus; Frida (Camila) Huerta, Aledo Learning Center; Scout Newman, Aledo High School/Daniel Ninth Grade Campus; Kendall Bricker, Aledo Middle School; Henry Hardwick, McAnally Middle School; Deacon Kirk, Annetta Elementary School; Wren Smith, Coder Elementary School; Wyatt Palmer, McCall Elementary School; Adrian Rios, McKinney Elementary School; Olivia Rubino, Stuard Elementary School; Ruben Cabral, Vandagriff Elementary School; Perri Whipple, Walsh Elementary School; Thiago Rodriguez-Avila, Early Childhood Academy

VIII.C. Circle of Greatness Honorees- Tim Rogers, Professional; Andrea Winkfield, Auxiliary; Lauren Melanson, Paraprofessional; Monica Adams, Campus Guest Teacher

VIII.D. First for Aledo High School CTE Aviation 2 FAA Commercial Drone Pilots -Tyler Anton, Audrey Apetz, Cooper Charrier, Orlando Churion, Carsyn Cox, Owen Fox, Michael Kimball, Kaden Martin, Matthew Nestor, Trent Newton, Noah Pepper, Justin Nguyen, Peyton Prichard, Kale Roberson, Jaxon Robinson, Zachary Rosenhoover, Bowie Royal, Henry Williams

VIII.E. UIL Journalism Interscholastic League
Press Conference-Aledo High School; JJ Araiza, Kyle
Krall, Daryn Rice, Ryan Lotter, Faith Masseur,
Drake Hadley, Ella Flowers, Ian Black; Daniel Ninth
Grade- Christian Carver. Aledo Ledoian: Gold Star
Yearbook winner

VIII.F. Visual Art Scholastic Event (VASE): Gold
Seal Award and State Champion-Ariana Storms

VIII.G. UIL Class 5A State Golf Qualifier-Emily
Crick

VIII.H. UIL Class 5A State Tennis Tournament
Qualifier-Lila Satterfield

VIII.I. Texas High School Coaches Association
(THSCA) Class 5A Girls Swim and Dive Super Elite
Team - Haley Roberson, Aledo High School

VIII.J.
Texas High School Coaches Association (THSCA)
Academic All State Athletes-Aledo High School

- Team Tennis-Patrice Loftin-Elite; Eleanor
Jack-1st Team; Boys Track and Field-Braylon
Brown-2nd Team; Luke Schabel-2nd Team; Adam
Averett-2nd Team
- Boys Soccer-Cole Crawford-1st Team; Kaden
Callaway-2nd Team; Sean Michel-2nd Team;
Adrian Solis, Austin Randriamahefa, Elliot
Smith-Honorable Mention
- Softball-Taylor Mckean-1st Team, Marina
Taveras-2nd Team, Addie Perry-2nd Team
- Baseball-Ethan Hodo-1st Team, Deacon
Schneider-2nd Team, Braden
Montgomery-2nd Team, Brooks
Burdine-2nd Team, Blake Burdine-Honorable
Mention, Luke Trager-Honorable Mention,
Devin Miller-Honorable Mention, Grayson
McKelvey-Honorable Mention

VIII.K. Robotics Team 20325- 10th Place Finish
State Championship- Aledo High School; Omar
Cervantes, Jake Fergus, Ryan Hajj, Jackson Hamner,
Benjamin McCain, Landon McNiel, Brayden Richardson,
Cameron Robbins, Cooper Simpson, Alex Steward,
Finley Van Dyk

VIII.L. Health Occupations Students of America
(HOSA) State Qualifiers, Aledo High School; Avery
Green - Clinical Nursing - State Gold Medalist;
Aspen Gardner - Extemporaneous Writing; Brooke
Timms - Health Career Display; Emma Cox - Health
Career Display; Sadie Williams - Nursing Assisting;

Kennedy Dudley - Health Career Display; Kennedy Fleck - Health Career Display

VIII.M. UIL Class 5A State Track and Field Qualifiers-Adam Averett - 300 Hurdles; Braylon Brown - Pole Vault; Trey Warner, Jace Lay, Lincoln Tubbs and Adam Averett - 4X400 Relay; Molly Garrison 1,600 - State Bronze Medalist, and 3,200; Daniel Ninth Grade- Emma Ralph - Pole Vault

IX. **Public Comment on Non-Agenda Item-** 7 speakers shared their comments with the Board. **Presenter:** Forrest Collins, President

X. **Public Comment on Agenda Item-** None. **Presenter:** Forrest Collins, President

XI. **Consent Agenda-** Trustee Tarrant made a motion to approve the consent agenda as presented and Trustee Harris seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0. **Presenter:** Forrest Collins, President

XI.A. Consider Approval of Board Minutes

XI.B. Consider Approval of Monthly Financial Reports

XI.C. Consider Approval of Audit Firm Engagement Letter for 2024-2025 Fiscal Year District Audit

XI.D. Consider Approval of Purchase of Cheerleader and Dance Uniforms for Aledo High School and Cheerleader Uniforms for Aledo Middle School and McAnally Middle School

XI.E. Consider Approval of McCall Elementary Ed-Flex Title I Schoolwide Waiver

XI.F. Consider Approval of Foreign Exchange Student Waiver

XII. **Communication Items**

XII.A. District Instructional Focus- Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction Dr. Amber Crissey shared the updated district daily impact walk data. Math Coordinator Deanne Torres provided a math update. **Presenter:** Amber Crissey, Assistant Superintendent of Curriculum & Instruction; Deanne Torres, Math Coordinator

XII.A.1. Daily Impact Walk Data

XII.A.2. 2024-2025 Math Update

XII.B. Revisions to DEC (LOCAL)- Compensation and Benefits: Leaves and Absences- Deputy Superintendent Kim Raymond discussed potential changes to Board Policy DEC (Local).

Presenter: Kim Raymond, Deputy Superintendent

XII.C. Extension of Bank Depository Contract- Chief Financial Officer Earl Husfeld discussed extending the district's bank depository contract.

Presenter: Earl Husfeld, Chief Financial Officer

XIII. Action Items

XIII.A. Consider Approval of Purchase of Really Great Reading Products- Director of Assessment and Accountability Candace Summerhill sought Board approval to purchase Really Great Reading Products. Trustee Pruett made a motion to approve the agenda item, and Trustee Lear seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.

Presenter: Candace Summerhill, Director of Assessment and Accountability

XIII.B. Consider Approval of Purchase of NWEA's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth- Ms. Summerhill sought Board approval to purchase NWEA's Measure of Academic Progress (MAP) Growth. Trustee Lear made a motion to approve the agenda item, and Trustee Scott seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.

Presenter: Candace Summerhill, Director of Assessment and Accountability

XIII.C. Consider Approval of IXL Learning Language Arts, Math & Real-Time Diagnostic- Ms. Summerhill sought Board approval to purchase IXL Learning Language Arts, Math & Real-Time Diagnostic. Trustee Pruett made a motion to approve the agenda item, and Trustee Tarrant seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.

Presenter: Candace Summerhill, Director of Assessment and Accountability

XIII.D. Consider Approval of New Staffing Recommendations for 2025-2026 School Year- Ms. Raymond sought Board approval of additional staff positions for the 2025-2026 school year. Trustee Collins made a motion to approve the agenda item, and Trustee Lear seconded the motion. The motion passed 7-0.

Presenter: Kim Raymond, Deputy Superintendent

XIV. Executive Session- 8:25 p.m.

Presenter: Forrest Collins, President

XIV.A. Section 551.074 - Personnel Matters- The Board will discuss the appointment, employment,

evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of public employees or officials. (This may involve consultation with attorney as permitted under Section 551.071)

XIV.A.1. Superintendent Performance Update

XIV.A.2. Discuss Board Officer Organization

XIV.B. Section 551.071 & 551.129 - Consultation with Attorney- The Board will discuss and receive legal advice from its attorney on matters which should be confidential under Texas Government Code Section 551.071

XIV.C. Section 551.072 - Deliberation Regarding Real Property- The Board will discuss the purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property. (This may involve consultation with attorney as permitted under section 551.071)

XIV.D. Section 551.0821 - School Board- The Board will discuss personally identifiable information about a public school student.

XV. **Consider Approval of Board Officer Nominees-**
Trustee Pruett nominated Trustee Collins to serve as Board President. The Board approved this nomination by a vote of 7-0. Trustee Pruett nominated Trustee Lear to serve as Board Vice President. The Board approved this nomination by a vote of 7-0. Trustee Harris nominated Trustee Tarrant to serve as Board Secretary. The Board approved this nomination by a vote of 7-0.

XVI. Trustee Comments/Acknowledgments- Various Trustees shared their comments about the Board meeting.	Presenter: Forrest Collins, President
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XVII. Adjourn- 10:33 p.m.	Presenter: Forrest Collins, President
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Board Secretary