

La Vega I.S.D. Board of Trustees Minutes of the Regular Meeting June 17, 2025

**BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT** – Mildred Watkins, Henry C. Jennings, Myron Ridge, and Brenda Rocha

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT - Rev. Larry Carpenter, Randy Devorsky, Raymond Koon

<u>SCHOOL PERSONNEL PRESENT</u> – Dr. Sharon M. Shields, Dr. Charla Rudd, Jaime Shaver, Sandra Gibson, Chief Kerry Blakemore

<u>OTHERS PRESENT</u> – Mr. Maurea Crain, Mr. Todd Durham, Mrs. Jane Durham, Mr. Corey McAdams, Mrs. McAdams

<u>**CALLED TO ORDER**</u> – Board President Myron Ridge established a quorum and brought the board meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

**<u>OPENING CEREMONY</u>** – The Pledges of Allegiance to the United States Flag and the Texas Flag were led by Mrs. Sandra Gibson, Assistant Superintendent for Curriculum and Instruction.

<u>APPROVED LISTING OF AGENDA ITEMS</u> – Motioned by Mrs. Brenda Rocha and seconded by Mr. Henry Jennings, the Board unanimously approved the listing of agenda items.

**<u>RECOGNITION ITEMS</u>** – None

## **PUBLIC PARTICIPATION** - None

<u>SPECIAL REPORTS</u> – Board Members received the Superintendent's Report,: Legislative Updates on Public School Funding, HB2 (Teacher Retention Allotment, Special Education Funding, Early Childhood Education) School Vouchers, Senate Bill 10, Senate Bill 11, Senate Bill 12, Library Materials, and Student Discipline. Building construction update completed the reports. Dr. Sharon M. Shields introduced the La Vega High School Principal, Mr. Corey McAdams and his wife to the Board of Trustees. Mr. McAdams relayed his appreciation for the opportunity to serve in the role of principal and his determination to lead the campus to reach the board goals.

<u>APPROVED CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS</u> - Motioned by Mr. Jennings and seconded by Mrs. Rocha, the Board unanimously approved the following consent agenda items: • the minutes for the May 20, 2025, regular board meeting · Food Service Management Company Renewal (FSMC) · monthly tax collection recap and report · budget amendments. La Vega Independent School District Minutes of the Regular Meeting – June 17, 2025 Page 2

<u>ACTION AND DISCUSSION ITEMS</u> - The following items were considered, discussed, and/or approved by the Board of Trustees. Approved the Monthly Budget Analysis Report provided by Ms. Jamie Shaver. On a motion by Mr. Jennings and seconded by Mrs. Rocha. Consideration of the Addition of a Bilingual Aide for La Vega Primary School, Phil Bancale Campus – Motion made by Mrs. Rocha and seconded by Mrs. Watkins. Teacher and Professional Employee Contract Recommendations –Motioned by Mrs. Watkins and seconded by Mr. Jennings, the Board of Trustees unanimously approved the contract recommendations.

## CLOSED MEETING – None

<u>ADJOURNMENT</u> - On a motion by Mrs. Watkins and seconded by Mrs. Rocha, the Board of Trustees unanimously agreed to adjourn the meeting at 6:53 p.m. on June 17, 2025.