

Board Workshop
Monday, April 27, 2026 6:30 PM Central

FISD Boardroom
402 Laurel Dr.
Friendswood, TX 77546

Beau Egert: Present
Rebecca Hillenburg: Present
Ralph Hobratschk: Absent
Tony Hopkins: Present
David Montz: Present
Niki Rhodes: Present
Laura Seifert: Present
Present: 6, Absent: 1.

1. Call to Order at 6:30pm

The meeting was called to order at 6:30pm.

2. Establish Quorum

Trustee Rhodes, Trustee Seifert, Trustee Montz, Trustee Egert, and Trustee Hopkins were all present on the dais. Trustee Hobratschk was absent. Trustee Egert left the dais from 7:36pm to 7:38pm. Trustee Seifert left the meeting at 7:54pm.

3. Audience Participation

No one requested to speak during audience participation.

4. Recognitions and Celebrations

4.1. Retirement Celebration

The Board honored individual staff members that are retiring at the end of this school year. Mr. Roher introduced each retiree and the Board presented them with a small token of appreciation.

5. Action Items

5.1. Consider Approval of New Personnel Units for 2026–2027

I recommend approval of the new personnel units for 2026-2027 as presented. This motion, made by Beau Egert and seconded by David Montz, Carried.

Ralph Hobratschk: Absent, Beau Egert: Yea, Rebecca Hillenburg: Yea, Tony Hopkins: Yea, David Montz: Yea, Niki Rhodes: Yea, Laura Seifert: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Ms. Foley discussed some needs for additional units to lower the class sizes and prepare for growth.

5.2. Consider Approval of New Personnel Contracts for 2026-2027

I recommend the approval of contracts for the 2026-2027 school year as presented. This motion, made by Rebecca Hillenburg and seconded by Laura Seifert, Carried.

Ralph Hobratschk: Absent, Beau Egert: Yea, Rebecca Hillenburg: Yea, Tony Hopkins: Yea, David Montz: Yea, Niki Rhodes: Yea, Laura Seifert: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

6. Information Items

6.1. Budget Discussion

Executive Director of HR, Lindsey Foley, discussed several budget options and gave the Board salary schedules for various positions. She was available to discuss stipends, salary schedules, and 26-27 projections. The Board will discuss budget and personnel more at the May Board meeting.

7. Recess to Executive Session

7.1. Recess to Executive Session

The Board recessed to Executive Session at 7:39pm. The Board reconvened to open session at 8:22pm.

8. Reconvene to Open Session

9. Adjourn

9.1. Adjourn

I recommend to adjourn this workshop. This motion, made by David Montz and seconded by Beau Egert, Carried.

Ralph Hobratschk: Absent, Laura Seifert: Absent, Beau Egert: Yea, Rebecca Hillenburg: Yea, Tony Hopkins: Yea, David Montz: Yea, Niki Rhodes: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 2

The Board adjourned the meeting at 8:22pm.

Minutes prepared by Tammy Locklear

Minutes approved by

Tony Hopkins, President

Laura Seifert, Secretary