

Covington Independent School District

The Board of Trustees of Covington Independent School District will hold a Regular Meeting at 7:00 PM on Monday, February 2, 2026 at Covington ISD, High School Building

501 N Main St

Covington, TX 76636. THE BOARD MAY DELIBERATE OR ACT ON ANY OF THE SUBJECTS LISTED ON THE FOLLOWING AGENDA. The President may change the order of items listed for the convenience of the board.

1. Establish quorum
2. Invocation
3. Public Forum - Persons desiring to address the Board must complete a public comment card prior to the start of the meeting and submit it to the presiding officer. No presentations shall exceed 3 minutes. The board cannot deliberate on any subject that is not included on this agenda.
4. Consider action on the Financial Audit for 2024-2025 school year as presented by the district's auditor, Cameron Gulley.
5. Consent Agenda
 - A. Minutes of Meeting held on January 12, 2025.
 - B. School Accounts
 - C. Monthly Bills
6. Reports to the Board
 - A. Superintendent's report
 1. Monthly Maintenance
 2. Class Counts
 - B. Elementary Principal's report
 - C. High School Principal's report
 1. Athletics report
 2. Ag Science report
7. Action items:
 - A. Consider approving the District's Dyslexia Plan for the 2025-2026 School Year, in alignment with the Revised Texas Dyslexia Handbook (TAC §74.28) 2024.
 - B. Consider adopting a resolution affirming our constitutional and legal right to choose to pray in school and students' existing rights to religious freedom in schools while opposing SB11's State-Sponsored Prayer Policy.
 - C. Consider approving Covington's HB 2 Delay of Teacher Certification Application.
8. Executive Session in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, pursuant to **Texas Government Code Section 551.074**, to deliberate the appointment, employment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline, or dismissal of a public officer or employee.
 - A. Discuss the contracts of administrators, Leslie Hooper and Tracie Stewart and the contract for Cherish Hermes, Hill County Shared Service Arrangement Director.
 - B. Discuss employment of Bryson Blalock as half-time custodian and half-time maintenance worker.
9. Action on executive session items:
 - A. Consider action on Administrator's contracts for Elementary Principal, Leslie Hooper and Secondary Principal, Tracie Stewart.
 - B. Consider action on the administrator contract for Cherish Hermes, Hill County Shared Service Arrangement Director.
 - C. Consider hiring Bryson Blalock as half-time custodian and half-time maintenance worker.
10. Adjourn

If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in a closed meeting, the board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Govt. Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E.

The notice was posted by 4:00 p.m. on Tuesday, January 27, 2026.



Superintendent of Schools