

ROCKDALE INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

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Agenda of Regular Meeting
Board of Trustees
Rockdale Independent School District
January 21, 2026

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of ROCKDALE I.S.D. will be held January 21, 2026, beginning at 5:00 PM in the Rockdale ISD Conference Center, 1205 Murray Avenue, Rockdale, Texas 76567.

The subjects to be discussed or considered or upon which any formal action may be taken are as listed below. Items do not have to be taken in the order shown on this meeting notice.

Unless removed from the consent agenda, items identified within the consent agenda will be acted on at one time.

AGENDA

I. CALL TO ORDER AND ESTABLISH QUORUM

II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

III. INVOCATION

IV. PUBLIC FORUM: All persons who wish to speak or address the Board at this time may do so by completing a registration form before the meeting begins.

V. RECOGNITION

- A. Student Recognition - Elementary/Intermediate Academic UIL *
- B. Student Recognition - Junior High Academic UIL *
- C. Student Recognition - Junior High One Act Play Medalists *
- D. Staff Recognition - January R.O.A.R. Recipients
- E. School Board Recognition Month 2026

VI. SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- A. Rockdale ISD Balanced Scorecard Priority 1: Excellence in Student Achievement *
 - Annual Discipline Report
 - Course Guide and Graduation Requirements
 - Certification Updates

VII. CONSENT AGENDA

- A. Approval of minutes of the December 15, 2025 regular board meeting
- B. Approval of application to TEA for 2026-2027 Staff Development Minutes Waiver
- C. Approval of 2026 High School Early Graduate(s) *

VIII. BUSINESS ITEMS

- A. Discussion and possible action on approval of School Trustee Order of Election and Notice for May 2, 2026, election
- B. Discussion and possible action on approval of the election agreement and contract for election services for the May 2, 2026, election and resolution authorizing the Superintendent to enter into all Joint Election agreements and contracts, to amend all election orders and notices and take any other steps necessary to put changes into effect for the May 2, 2026 Joint Election
- C. Discussion and possible action on approval of 2026-2027 Rockdale High School Academic Standards Guide (course offerings) *
- D. Consider and possible exchange regarding the exchange of real property for property surface rights, including possible Resolution Authorizing the Exchange of Real Property with additional delegation of authority as set out in the resolution, for a portion of the unimproved property located at the Rockdale Intermediate School approximately 2.7 acres out of all that certain 14.892 acre tract of land situated in Milam County, Texas, recorded in Volume 1031, Page 269-275 of the Official Records of Milam County, Texas (Milam County Property ID #11836).
- E. Discussion and possible action on acceptance of financial reports for December 2025

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- F. Discussion and possible action on approval of budget amendment(s)
- G. Discussion and possible action on approval of Quarterly Investment Report
- H. Report on Committee Meetings: Board Facilities Committee, Bilingual Steering Committee, Distinguished Alumni Committee
- I. Discuss and review upcoming board meetings and event dates

IX. CLOSED SESSION

- A. Discussion regarding personnel matters (Texas Government Code Section 551.074)
- B. Discussion and possible action on employment of Assistant Principals at Rockdale Junior High School and Rockdale High School (Texas Government Code Section 551.074)
- C. Pursuant to Texas Government Code Section 551.072, deliberate the purchase, exchange, lease, or value of real property related a portion of the unimproved property located at the Rockdale Intermediate School as more fully described in the open session item.
- D. Discussion and review of employment applications for the superintendent search process (Texas Government Code Sections 551.074)

X. RECONVENE TO OPEN SESSION FOR ACTION ON CLOSED SESSION MATTERS

- A. Action, if any, regarding closed session matters listed above

XI. ADJOURN

* Academic Focus

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, Texas Government Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E or Texas Government Code section 418.183(f). Before any closed meeting is convened, the presiding officer will publicly identify the section or sections of the Act authorizing the closed meeting. All final votes, actions, or decisions will be taken in open meeting. [See BEC (LEGAL)]

§551.071 Private consultation with the Board's attorney.

§551.072 Discussing purchase, exchange, lease or value of real property.

§551.073 Discussing negotiated contracts for prospective gifts or donations.

§551.074 Discussing personnel or to hear complaints against personnel.

§551.076 Considering the deployment, specific occasions for, or implementation of, security personnel or devices.

§551.082 Considering discipline of a public school child, or complaint or charge against personnel.

§551.0821 To deliberate a matter regarding a public school student if personally identifiable information will be revealed.

§551.083 Considering the standards, guidelines, terms or conditions the Board will follow, or will instruct its representatives to follow, in consultation with representatives of employee groups.

§551.084 Excluding witness from a hearing.

Should any final action, final decision, or final vote be required in the opinion of the School Board with regard to any matter considered in such closed or executive meeting or session, then the final action, final decision, or final vote shall be either: (a) in the open meeting covered by the Notice upon the reconvening of the public meeting; or (b) at a subsequent public meeting of the School Board upon notice thereof; as the School Board shall determine.

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