

Covington Independent School District
Thursday, August 28, 2025

The Board of Trustees of Covington Independent School District held a Special Meeting on Thursday, August 28, 2025 at Covington ISD, High School Building

501 N Main St
Covington, TX 76636.

Present: Chris Lidster, President, Shane Johnson, Vice President, Jean Martin, Secretary, Georgia Whittington, Kevin Ray, Dusty McLain, Andy Lopez, and Superintendent Dr. Christopher Heskett. Absent:

Guests present:

The meeting was called to order at _____.

1. Establish quorum
2. Invocation
3. Public comment on proposed budget and tax rate for the 2025-2026 school year.
4. Consider action on a board Resolution Adopting the Budget for the Fiscal Year 2025-2026.
5. Consider action on a board resolution Setting the Ad Valorem Tax Rate and I&S Tax Rate for 2025-2026.

6. Consider action on final budget amendments to close out Fiscal Year 2024-2025.
7. Consider action on a board Resolution Extending Depository Contract for funds of Covington ISD for two years.
8. Consider action on board Resolution to remove Authorized Signatory, Dr. Christopher Heskett, from all Depository Accounts of Covington ISD with Pinnacle Bank and a Resolution to Designate Authorized Signatory, Joel Blalock, on all Depository Bank Accounts of Covington ISD with Pinnacle Bank.
9. 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. Consider action to hire Tracie Stewart for the secondary principal position.
 - B. Consider accepting the resignation of Tracie Stewart as a teacher.
10. Adjourn

MEETING ADJOURNED at _____.

President, Chris Lidster

Secretary, Jean Martin