



Regular Meeting Minutes LVISD Board of Trustees

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of Lago Vista ISD was held on Monday, July 13, 2026, beginning at 6:00 p.m. in the MAC at Lago Vista High School, 5185 Lohman Ford, Lago Vista, Texas 78645.

LVISD Board Members

Kevin Walker
Isai Arredondo
David Scott
Brian Caller
Sara Jane Cantwell
Michele Coronis
Richard Raley

Also Present

Dr. Mindy Curran, Superintendent
Jason Stoner, CFOO
Holly Hans Jackson, Communications Coordinator
Russell Maynard, Director of Technology

1. *Determination of quorum, call to order, pledges of allegiance*

Kevin Walker called the meeting to order @ 6pm and led in pledges to the American Flag and the Texas Flag.

2. *Welcome visitors/Student Recognition/Public participation*

The following people signed up to speak on item #3-Participation of Non-Enrolled Students in UIL Activities:
J. Younger, A. Younger, G. Adamo, Orin, G. Simpson, R. Flores, V. Osterbind, C. Norris, J. Malmberg, P. Osterbind, A. Huff, S. Osterbind

3. *Participation of Non-Enrolled Students in UIL Activities*

Isai Arredondo moved that LVISD opt out of allowing non-enrolled students to participate in UIL activities; Sara Jane Cantwell seconded; after much discussion the vote was as follows: Cantwell-Yea, Coronis-Nay, Arredondo-Yea, Raley-Nay, Caller-Nay, Scott-Nay, Walker-Nay
Motion not carried 2-5

Kevin Walker moved and Sara Jane Cantwell seconded to limit non-enrolled student participation to those students residing in the Lago Vista ISD boundaries.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

4. *TASB Policy Update 127*

David Scott moved and Isai Arredondo seconded to approve TASB Policy Update 127 as presented.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

5. *Budget Update*

Jason Stoner briefly updated the board noting that since he prepared a preliminary budget 2 weeks ago, the template has changed and as of today, the district is about \$380K in the hole. He will continue to monitor the templates and update. Mr. Stoner added that unknown variables that are not reflected in the budget are certified values that are scheduled to be released at the end of July. Preliminary values indicated about a 2% decline in values, which are reflected in the presented budget. The preliminary budget will most likely change if those certified values change.

6. *Cafeteria Prices for 26-27 School Year*

Jason Stoner noted that adult pricing will not be available until later in the month so that will be brought back for approval at the August meeting.

Sara Jane Cantwell moved and Michele Coronis seconded to approve the cafeteria pricing as presented.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

7. *2026-2027 Compensation Plan*

Jason Stoner noted that after reviewing our teacher salary rates as compared with surrounding districts, LVISD is very competitive, especially from year 8. The compensation packet being recommended essentially freezes salaries for SY 2627. While not what we had hoped to propose, he reminded all that in school year 2526 teachers received a substantial raise; 84% of LVISD teaching staff are 5 yrs + so about 3/4 of district staff received an \$8,000 raise last year, which equates to 10-12 years of step raises, depending on where the teacher falls. Mr. Stoner also indicated that the district has expanded their TIA eligibility so all staff will be eligible for the allotment. Although the district is unable to contribute more to the compensation package currently, all teachers may now be eligible for a TIA allotment and potentially increase their salary. SY 2627 will be a data collection phase for staff and be eligible for payout in SY 2728. Arredondo asked what measures the district can take to make sure the district can offer more compensation in the future. Stoner responded by indicating that increased enrollment, attendance, property values, and thoughtful staffing models all are factors in seeing LVISD provide more locally funded compensation in the future.

Rich Raley moved and David Scott seconded to approve the compensation package as presented.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

8. *Amendment to District of Innovation Plan (DOI)*

Item not introduced

9. *4-H Adjunct Faculty and Extracurricular Activities*

Rich Raley moved and Isai Arredondo seconded to approve 4-H Adjunct Faculty and recognize 4H for Extracurricular Activities.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

10. *Endorsement of Representative for TASB Board of Directors Region 13 (B)*

Sara Jane Cantwell moved and Rich Raley seconded to endorse Edward Navarette for TASB Board of Directors Region 12.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Abstain, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 6-0

11. *Consent Agenda*

- a. 2026-2027 Student Code of Conduct
- b. Monthly Financial Reports
- c. Minutes of Previous Meetings: Regular Meeting, June 8, 2026

David Scott requested that the Student Code of Conduct be removed from the consent agenda for separate discussion.

David Scott moved and Isai Arredondo seconded to approve the consent agenda.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

Dr. Curran noted that the model Code of Conduct did not have any changes but the district Dress Code included as an appendix was updated in the 2026-2027 Code of Conduct.

David Scott moved and Rich Raley seconded to approve the 2026-2027 Student Code of Conduct, subject to the removal of a duplicate sentence in section 8, page 50.

The vote was as follows: Arredondo-Yea, Cantwell-Yea, Caller-Yea, Coronis-Yea, Raley-Yea, Scott-Yea, Walker-Yea

Motion carried 7-0

12. Superintendent Report

Dr. Curran reminded all that there will be a Public Hearing and Special Meeting on August 31st to approve the budget and tax rate.

At 7:41pm Kevin Walker announced a short break and the board went into closed session at 7:52pm

13. Closed Session

The board reconvened in open session at 9:00pm

14. Open Session

15. Adjourn

There being no more business, the meeting adjourned at 9:00pm.



Presiding Officer

Date

8/10/24

