

Board Workshop
Monday, February 23, 2026 6:30 PM Central

FISD Boardroom
402 Laurel Dr.
Friendswood, TX 77546

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

1. Call to Order at 6:30pm

Meeting called to order at 6:30PM.

2. Establish Quorum

Trustee Hobratschk, Trustee Hopkins, Trustee Hillenburg, Trustee Egert and Trustee Rhodes were present on the dais. Trustee Montz joined the dais at 6:33pm. Trustee Seifert was absent. Trustee Hillenburg was absent from the dais from 6:46 to 6:47pm.

3. Audience Participation

4. Recess to Executive Session

4.1. Recess to Executive Session

The Board recessed to Executive Session at 8:05pm. They reconvened at 9:05pm.

5. Reconvene to Open Session

6. Information Items

6.1. Annual Review of College, Career, and Military Readiness (CCMR)

Mr. Ryan Kopp, Ms. Ashley Birmingham, Ms. Lexi Kopp, and Ms. Nancy Lockhart presented on the annual College, Career, and Military Readiness. Ms. Lockhart reviewed AP scholars, National Merit Achievements, and our Dual Credit enrollment. All AP, National Merit, and Dual Credit numbers have steadily increased. Enrollment trends in these program also continue to rise. Ms. Lockhart also reviewed the collaborative programs with UT On Ramps and Collegiate HS with College of the Mainland. Ms. Lexi Kopp then reviewed the CTE data. She reviewed the CTE certifications from last year and also highlighted future certifications with CTE. Ms. Birmingham discussed various testing options and the data from Friendswood High School. She reviewed the ACT, SAT and TSIA data. She highlighted that on a particular cohort of students over three years have shown to be over the benchmark for college readiness in Friendswood High School. They have shown growth year over year. Mr. Kopp reviewed the current FHS CCMR overall benchmark score and how it was achieved. They were available for questions.

6.2. Board Training - Election Ethics

Sarah Permenter with Huckabee gave the Board a presentation on Bond Election ethics. She discussed the Board's role during the election period and how to effectively and ethically communicate. She reviewed many laws for trustees during elections and went over several scenarios.

6.3. 2026-2027 Budget Priorities

Superintendent Roher asked the Board to be thinking about budget items they would like for the administration to take a look at for the March Board workshop.

7. Action Items

7.1. Consider Approval of Millennium Project Solutions, Inc. as the Construction Manager at Risk for the Foundation Projects at Friendswood High School and Friendswood ISD Administration Building

I recommend approval of Millennium Project Solutions, Inc. as the Construction Manager at Risk for the Foundation Projects at Friendswood High School and Friendswood ISD Administration Building as presented. This motion, made by Tony Hopkins and seconded by Beau Egert, Carried.

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

Mr. Correa discussed the Construction Manager at Risk for foundation projects at FHS and Admin. VLK reviewed the bids in January 2026. Step 2 was in February 2026. FISD Admin and VLK recommend Millennium Project Solutions as CMR. A Guaranteed Maximum Price will be back to the Board for approval.

7.2. Consider Approval of Remote Homebound Instruction Waiver for General Education Student

I recommend that the Board of Trustees approve submission of the Remote Homebound Instruction Waiver for a general education student to the Texas Education Agency. This motion, made by Beau Egert and seconded by David Montz, Carried.

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

We have a student in a hospital setting for an extended period of time. The student needs to minimize exposure to germs and the location of the facility is inside Houston. This waiver would be to allow for us to service this student remotely.

7.3. Consider approval of proposed library book purchases

I recommend approval of the proposed library purchases. This motion, made by Rebecca Hillenburg and seconded by Niki Rhodes, Carried.

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

Dr. Guzzetta talked to the Board about the proposed library book purchases. The campus media integration specialists have reviewed all books.

8. Adjourn

8.1. Adjourn

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

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

Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

The meeting was adjourned at 9:08pm.