

MIDLAND ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL

Board of Trustees

HELD Meeting

February 26, 2026

The Board of Trustees of Midland Academy Charter School met for a regular board meeting Thursday, February 26, 2026. The meeting began at approximately 12:00 p.m. in the Conference Room #210 of the school, 500 N. Baird St., Midland TX. The following were present:

Chris DeAnda, President

Stephen Ordoyne, Vice President

Leslie Tomlin, Secretary

Kelli Jenkins, Assistant Dean of Students

Jennifer Currie, Dean of Students

Kent Coker, Superintendent

A COPY OF THE AGENDA FOR THIS MEETING IS ATTACHED AS EXHIBIT A AND INCORPORATED HEREIN.

Meeting was called to order at 12:02 p.m.

1. Call to Order by the President
 - 1.1 Members Present - 3/3
 - 1.2 Guests - None
2. Pledge of Allegiance
3. Open Forum
4. Student Recognition: Mrs. Brown
 - 4.1 Introduction of MathCounts students who will be representing MACS at State in Dallas on March 7, 2026
5. Approval of Consent Agenda Items
 - 5.1 Minutes of January 15, 2026, Regular Midland Academy Board Mtg.
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to accept minutes as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
 - 5.2 January Check Register
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to accept check register as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
 - 5.3 January Financials
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to accept financials as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
6. Discussion and Action: 2025-2026 District Improvement Plan Presented by Kent Coker
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to accept District Improvement Plan as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0

7. Discussion and Action: 2026-2027 School Year Calendar
Motion by Trustee Ordoyne seconded by Trustee Tomlin to accept 2026-2027 School Year Calendar as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
8. Discussion and Action: 2026-2027 Texas Essential Knowledge of Skills (TEKS) Certification
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to approve signatures for the Texas Essential Knowledge of Skills (TEKS) Certification
9. Discussion and Take Possible Action: Proposed board resolution and associated policy related to a period of prayer and reading of the Bible or other religious text, in accordance with Section 25.0823 of the Texas Education Code.
Motion made by Trustee Tomlin "I move that on, February 26, 2026, the governing body of Midland Academy Charter not adopt a resolution nor corresponding policy that would require a period of prayer and reading of the Bible or other religious text, as permitted under Senate Bill 11 from the 89th Texas Legislative Session, which took effect September 1, 2025."
Seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to not adopt the resolution and associated policy as presented
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
10. Discussion and Action: Grant Superintendent Hiring Authority for the 2026-2027 School Year
Motion by Trustee Tomlin seconded by Trustee Ordoyne to grant the Superintendent hiring authority for the 2026-2027 school year
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
11. Discussion and Action: Plan to Address Uncertified Teachers (HB2)
Motion by Trustee Ordoyne seconded by Trustee Tomlin to approve Plan to Address Uncertified Teachers (HB2)
All in Favor Pass: 3-(Trustee DeAnda, Trustee Ordoyne, Trustee Tomlin)/0
12. Discussion and Action: Budget Amendment (none at this time)
13. Curriculum Report (most recent iReady scores)- Mrs. Jenkins
 - 7.1 General Education
 - 7.2 Special Populations
14. Dean of Students Report - Ms. Currie
 - 14.1 Upcoming Activities
 - 14.2 Benchmark Testing Dates
 - 14.3 Upcoming iReady Testing Dates

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15. Superintendent's Report

15.1 Student Numbers & Attendance % - 430 students 98%

15.2 Maintenance Report - Roll up door added to the Gym

15.3 Staffing Updates - 3 teachers on extended leave

15.4 Budget Reports

15.5 Income Statement & Balance Sheet as of January 31, 2026

15.6 Special Education Cyclical Monitoring Report

16. Executive Session: Closed meeting (TC 551.074)

16.1 Hiring, Resignations, Etc.

17. Take Appropriate Action on Items Deliberated in Closed Session

18. Future Business

18.1 Next Regular Board Meeting - March 24, 2026 at Noon

19. Adjournment

President DeAnda announced adjournment of the regular board meeting at approximately 1:08 p.m.

Chris DeAnda, President

Leslie Tomlin, Secretary