



Corsicana Independent School District  
Dr. Kent Rogers CISD Administration Building

April 20, 2026

The Board of Trustees of the Corsicana Independent School District met in a Board Meeting at 5:30 PM on April 20, 2026 at the Dr. Kent Rogers CISD Administration Building. The meeting was called to order by Brad Farmer, President of the Board of Trustees.

**Board Member Roll Call**

Brad Farmer, President-Present	Dr. Seth Brown, Vice President-Present
Kamar Chambers, Secretary-Present	Jamie Roman, Trustee-Present
Cathy Branch, Trustee - Absent	Melissa Castillo, Trustee-Present
Chris Meankins, Trustee - Present	

**Call to order:**

The meeting was called to order at 5:30 PM by Board President Brad Farmer. A quorum was determined present.

**Audience for Guests**

Ron Capehart presented the Superintendent and Board of Trustees with a check for \$28,331.36 from tax sales proceeds.

Randall Land – American Roofing addressed the Board with questions on how he can be included in the bidding process for upcoming roofing projects.

**Announcement of Board Training Credits**

Board President Brad Farmer made the following board training credit announcement:

Under State Board of Education Rule, completing required continuing education each year of service is a basic obligation and expectation of any sitting board member.

As Board President, I am required to announce the name of each member who as of that member's anniversary of election or appointment to the board:

- Has completed the required continuing education;

- Has exceeded the required continuing education; and
- Is deficient in meeting the required continuing education.

The requirements for training are measured as of the first anniversary of the date of the trustee's election or appointment or two-year anniversary of his or her previous training, as applicable.

There are seven training areas for board member continuing education:

1. Local District Orientation
2. Orientation to the Texas Education Code
3. Team Building
4. Additional Continuing Education
5. Evaluating Student Academic Performance and Setting Goals
6. Identifying and Reporting Abuse, Trafficking and Other Maltreatment of Children

To the extent applicable to each board member, I will announce the completion or deficiency as to required training.

For members who still have time remaining to complete required training, I will announce those board members who have scheduled timely training and those who have not yet scheduled the training.

At the conclusion of this announcement, I will announce any board member's training in excess of the continuing education requirements.

### **LOCAL DISTRICT ORIENTATION**

No new board members were required to complete local district orientation training for the time period covered by this announcement.

### **INTRODUCTION TO THE TEXAS EDUCATION CODE**

No new board members were required to complete local district orientation training for the time period covered by this announcement.

### **POST LEGISLATIVE UPDATE**

The following board members have completed Post-Legislative Update to the Texas Education Code:

Jamie Roman, Cathy Branch, Brad Farmer, Kamar Chambers, Melissa Castillo, Christopher Meankins, Dr. Seth Brown.

### **TEAM BUILDING**

The following board members have completed the annual team-building training:

Jamie Roman, Cathy Branch, Brad Farmer, Kamar Chambers, Melissa Castillo, Christopher Meankins, Dr. Seth Brown.

### **Evaluating Student Academic Performance and Setting Goals**

NOTE: This training must be completed every two years.

The following board members have completed the Evaluating and Improving Student Outcomes training;

Jamie Roman, Cathy Branch, Brad Farmer, Kamar Chambers, Melissa Castillo, Christopher Meankins, Dr. Seth Brown.

### **Identifying and Reporting Abuse, Trafficking and Other Maltreatment of Children**

NOTE: This training must be completed every two years.

The following board members have completed the biennial training on Identifying and Reporting Abuse and Trafficking and Other Maltreatment of Children: Cathy Branch, Kamar Chambers, Christopher Meankins, Jamie Roman, Brad Farmer, Dr. Seth Brown and Melissa Castillo.

**School Safety**

The following board members have completed the biennial training on school safety: Jamie Roman, Cathy Branch, Brad Farmer, Kamar Chambers, Dr. Seth Brown, Melissa Castillo, Christopher Meankins.

**EXCEEDING REQUIRED CONTINUING EDUCATION**

Board Member Jamie Roman exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 20.75 additional hours.

Board Member Cathy Branch exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 18 additional hours.

Board Member Brad Farmer exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 36.75 hours.

Board Member Seth Brown exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 21.50 hours.

Board Member Christopher Meankins exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 14.50 hours.

Board Member Melissa Castillo exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 16 hours.

Board Member Kamar Chambers exceeded the required amount of continuing education training by 13.50 hours.

**Roofing**

On a motion by Melissa Castillo and seconded by Chris Meankins, the Board of Trustees voted to approve the roof replacement projects at Collins Intermediate, Navarro Elementary, Fannin elementary and Carroll Elementary using bond funds. The Board of Trustees voted as follows:

Brad Farmer – Yay	Dr. Seth Brown – Yay	Kamar Chambers – Yay
Jamie Roman – Yay	Christopher Meankins – Yay	Melissa Castillo – Yay

The motion passed unanimously.

**Bond Update**

Ken Reece with Friends Consulting Group and Mary O’Brien with WRA Architects gave an update on progression on the bond projects.

**Consent Agenda**

On a motion by Dr. Seth Brown and seconded by Melissa Castillo, the Board of Trustees voted to approve the Consent Agenda which consisted of:

1. Previous Meeting Minutes

The Board of Trustees voted as follows:

Brad Farmer – Yay

Dr. Seth Brown – Yay

Kamar Chambers – Yay

Jamie Roman – Yay

Christopher Meankins – Yay

Melissa Castillo – Yay

The motion passed unanimously.

**Adjournment**

The open meeting was adjourned at 6:28 PM.

**Closed Session**

The Board of Trustees began closed session at 6:32 PM.

The Board of Trustees adjourned closed session at 7:23 PM.

**Action Taken as a Result of Closed Session**

On a motion by Dr. Seth Brown and seconded by Mel Castillo the Board of Trustees voted to approve the Probationary Teacher Contracts as presented. The Board of Trustees voted as follows:

Brad Farmer – Yay

Dr. Seth Brown – Yay

Kamar Chambers – Yay

Jamie Roman – Yay

Christopher Meankins – Yay

Melissa Castillo – Yay

The motion passed unanimously.

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Board President

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Board Secretary