IOLA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
SCHOOL BOARD MINUTES

April 20, 2026
Monday: immediately following public hearing IOLA ISD ELEMENTARY CAFETERIA

The Board of Trustees of the Iola Independent School District met in regular session on April 20, 2026 in the Elementary Cafeteria, Iola, Texas.

Members Present: Alec Pointer, Sierra Betancourt, Tammy Harvey, Jody Evans, Todd Kay and Brian VanDyck

Member Absent: Mark Cunningham

1. Call to order: Alec Pointer

2. Invocation: Tammy Harvey

3. Recognition of visitors: Public Forum

4. Consideration of consent agenda
   a. minutes of previous meeting
   b. monthly disbursements
   c. student membership
   d. SRO report
   e. tax report
   f. financial report

A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to approve the minutes with corrections.
Second: Brian VanDyck Vote carried 6-0

5. Campus and administrative report
   a. elementary school student & staff activities: Hollie Guilbeau
   b. high school student & staff activities: Jeff Dyer for Brian Fowler
   c. superintendents report: Jeff Dyer

6. Consideration of Engineering Foundations CTE Courses proposal
   A motion was made by Alec Pointer to approve the Engineering Foundations CTE Courses proposal
   Second: Jody Evans Vote carried 6-0

7. Personnel
   a. teacher contracts: A motion by Sierra Betancourt to employ the Elementary Teacher Contracts for the 2026/2027 school year. Second: Jody Evans Vote carried 6-0
A motion was made by Brian VanDyck to employ the Secondary Teacher Contracts for the 2026/2027 school year. Second: Todd Kay Vote carried 6-0
   b. employment:
A motion was made by Tammy Harvey to employment for the 2026/2027 school year; Amy Sullivan, Madison Mackey, Brittney Hecox, Natalie Morris and Brandon Kauver: Second: Todd Kay
Vote carried 6-0
   c. resignation: Leighton Brackin: Amotion was made by Jody Evans to accept the resignation of Leighton Brackin and Cathy Wheaton. Second: Alec Pointer Vote carried 6-0

8. Closed Session: Texas Government Code Sections 551.071 (Attorney Consultation), 551.074 (Personnel Matters), 551.082 (Student Discipline Matters), 551.072 (Purchase of Real Property) 551.076 (Student Safety) 551.087 (Deliberations regarding Economic Development Negotiations)
The Board of Trustees met in Closed Session at 7:15 pm under 551.074 and returned to regular meeting at 7:51 pm.

9. Adjourn: A motion was made by Alec Pointer to adjourn. Second: Todd Kay Vote carried 6-0

Alec Pointer, President

Tammy Harvey, Secretary