**OFFICIAL MINUTES**
**BOARD OF TRUSTEES**
**NORTHWEST INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT**
**August 11, 2026**
**SPECIAL MEETING**

## CALL TO ORDER

The meeting was called to order at 4:30 P.M. by President Jennifer Murphy in the board room at the Northwest ISD Administration Building, 2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76177.

Leslie Odom addressed the Board with a timeline of events for their grievance.

## CLOSED SESSION

Pursuant to Texas Government Code Sections 551.071, 551.082, and 551.0821, the Board convened into Executive Session at 4:42 P.M. in the Northwest ISD Board Conference Room, 2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76177. Executive session ended at 5:15 P.M.

## OPEN SESSION

The special meeting resumed at 5:15 P.M. in the Northwest ISD Board Room, 2001 Texan Drive, Fort Worth, Texas 76177.

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| **SPECIAL MEETING MEMBERS PRESENT:** | Ms. Murphy, Dr. Rauch, Ms. Copp Mr. Schluter, Ms. Hatfield, Mr. Sprowls and Mr. Dearing |
| **MEMBERS ABSENT:** | None |
| **OTHERS PRESENT:** | Dr. Foust, Ms. Hobbs, Dr. Griffin, Ms. Carter and Ms. Cabanski. |

**NO. 8703 LEVEL III APPEAL DECISION:** It was moved by Mr. Dearing and seconded by Dr. Rauch to deny the Level Three Appeal; thereby upholding the Level Two decision of the Level Two hearing officer. Motion carried unanimously 7-0.

**NO. 8704 ADJOURN:** It was moved by Dr. Rauch and seconded by Ms. Hatfield to adjourn at 5:16 P.M.
Motion carried unanimously 7-0.

Jennifer Murphy
Board President



Jodey Copp
Board Secretary