

**Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees
Aspermont Independent School District
October 20, 2025**

At a regular meeting of the Aspermont Independent School District Board of Trustees held on October 20, 2025, members Ray Bradley, Lorenzo Calamaco, Jennifer Hodges, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, Brandon Criswell, Shane Polk, and Superintendent Zach Morris. Also in attendance were Kristin Marsh, Tiffany Potts, Jeff Hurt, Melanie Bell, Raylie and Sallie Myers, Carey and Tessa Rabel, Tina, Brent, Kole and Sara Meador, Margaret, Sal, and Sophee Silva, Stephen and Judit Garcia, Melinda Kahunde, and Mike Hight.

President Lorenzo Calamaco called the meeting to order at 6:30 p.m.

Superintendent Morris led the invocation followed by Lorenzo Calamaco leading the pledges.

No one addressed the board in an open forum.

Tiffany Potts recognized Melanie Bell for her commitment and growth with the art program. Melanie then recognized the art students whose pieces earned medals at the West Texas Fair and Rodeo art show in Abilene, Texas. Several students placed first, second, or third place and Judit Garcia received Best of Show for her black and white drawing.

The board of trustees then moved to discuss the contract with Henthorne Construction for phase 2 of the renovations. Brandon Criswell made a motion to approve the contact while Shane Polk seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, and Bay Hecht all voted in favor of the motion.

After reviewing the consent items, Ray Bradley made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting held on September 15, 2025. Tres Myers seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, and Bay Hecht all voted in favor of the motion.

Tres Myers made a motion to approve bills payable from October 2025. Bay Hecht seconded the motion. Trustees Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk and Bay Hecht all voted in favor of the motion.

Trustees then reviewed the Early Ed Partnership Agreement with Fort Davis ISD. Brandon Criswell made a motion to approve the partnership agreement with Jennifer Hodges seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk and Bay Hecht all voted in favor of the motion.

Brandon Criswell then made a motion to approve giving the Superintendent authority to enter into early education partnerships. Tres Myers seconded the motion. All trustees, Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, and Bay Hecht voted in favor of the motion.

The board of trustees took no action on consideration of nominees for the Stonewall County Appraisal District board of directors.

Principal Tiffany Potts presented the school updates: Both boys and girls cross country had both represented well at regionals in Arlington, the football program as a whole were 18-1 for the season, FFA attending LDE invitationals and has district upcoming in November, the fall festival, red ribbon week, and the sock hop are coming up, as well as the OAP fall productions.


Superintendent Morris presented the budget report and investment report. He presented the attendance at 200 up from the previous month. He delivered the budget report with most functions being around 16%, an investment report was given and stated that the settlement check from the gym roof had been received. He touched on the auditors exit memos and informed the trustees that someone had donated the Ten Commandments for all classrooms. The board of trustees then discussed possible renovations to the PE gym.

Brandon Criswell then made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Tres Myers seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk and Bay Hecht all voted in favor of the motion.

The meeting adjourned at 7:30 pm.

The next regular meeting will be held on November 17th, 2025.

For the Board of Trustees:



President



Secretary