Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees Asperment Independent School District September 15, 2025

At a regular meeting of the Aspermont Independent School District Board of Trustees held on September 15, 2025, members Ray Bradley, Lorenzo Calamaco, Jennifer Hodges, Tres Myers, Brandon Criswell, Shane Polk, Ray Bradley, and Superintendent Zach Morris. Bay Hecht was absent. Also in attendance were Allison and Willis Martin, Autumn & Chris Pena, Laryssa & Jacob Manske, Charla Leonard, Tiffany Potts, Alexis Gaspar, and Jeff Hurt.

President Lorenzo Calamaco called the meeting to order at 6:33 p.m.

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

No one addressed the board in an open forum.

Mrs. Gaspar presented the elementary student of the month award to JJ Pena. JJ was recognized for always being ready to work and being kind.

Mrs. Laryssa Manske was awarded the elementary teacher of the month award. She was praised for her positive attitude, always smiling, and willingness to try anything.

Mrs. Potts awarded Preslee Paul the student of the month award on the secondary campus. Preslee was recognized for being a leader, helpful, and being confident. Kenadee Shugart was recognized as the secondary teacher of the month. Ms. Shugart was praised for her growth as a teacher, working hard, and always being willing to do anything is asked.

After reviewing the consent items, Brandon Criswell made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting held on August 28, 2025. Tres Myers seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk all voted in favor of the motion.

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

Trustees then reviewed the budgets for 240 and 599 funds. Brandon Criswell then made a motion to approve the 25-26 AISD 240 and 599 budget. Shane Polk seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk all voted in favor of the motion.

After brief discussion, Tres Myers made a motion to approve the 2025-2026 AISD Safe and Supported School Program Team. Ray Bradley seconded the motion. All trustees, Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley and Shane Polk voted in favor of the motion.

The board of trustees then went on to review the AISD transfer policy documents. Tres Myers made a motion to approve the policy as presented. Ray Bradley seconded the motion. Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk all voted in favor of the motion.

Ray Bradley then motioned to approve the depository agreement with First National Bank of Aspermont-Hamlin. Tres Myers seconded the motion. Trustees Brandon Criswell, Tres Myers, Jennifer Hodges, Lorenzo Calamaco, Ray Bradley, Shane Polk all voted in favor of the motion.

Principal Tiffany Potts presented the school updates: Cross Country had 3 runners medal in Munday, the highschool football team is 3-0 for the season thus far, JH football has been able to pick up a few additional games for the B team to play, volleyball district will start October 7th, September 26th is the end of the first six weeks. Greenhand Day, Graduate Sales and a staff prep day are all upcoming in the following weeks.

Superintendent Morris presented the budget report and investment report. He presented the attendance at 198. He informed the board that he had hired a new paraprofessional. The permanent school fund is gaining consistently. The sound system is being installed in the gym. AISD scored an A on the 2025-2026 financial report.

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

The meeting adjourned at 7:06 pm.

The next regular meeting will be held on October 20th, 2025.

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