

**Minutes of a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees  
Aspermont Independent School District  
January 21, 2026**

At a regular meeting of the Aspermont Independent School District Board of Trustees held on January 21, 2026 members Bay Hecht, Ray Bradley, Jennifer Hodges, Tres Myers, Shane Polk and Superintendent Zach Morris. Absent were Brandon Criswell and Lorenzo Calamaco. Also in attendance were Tiffany Potts, Alexis Gaspar, Jeff Hurt, and Kristin Marsh.

Superintendent Zach Morris called the meeting to order at 6:14 p.m.

Superintendent Morris led the invocation followed by the pledges.

The board of trustees were presented cards and posters from the elementary and secondary students. The trustees were recognized for their commitment to the school district.

After reviewing the consent items, Tres Myers made a motion to approve the minutes from the previous meeting held on December 22, 2025. Bay Hecht seconded the motion. Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

Bay Hecht made a motion to approve bills payable from January 2026. Tres Myers seconded the motion. Trustees Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

Bay Hecht then made a motion to approve ordering the school board elections for May 2, 2026. Tres Myers seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously with Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voting in favor.

After brief discussion, Jennifer Hodges made a motion to reject the SB 11 resolution. Shane Polk seconded the motion. Motion was carried. Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

The board of trustees then moved to TASB update 72. Tres Myers made a motion to approve the update. Jennifer Hodges seconded the motion. All trustees were in

favor. Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

Tres Myers made a motion to approve the bid property sale to Robert Johnson for \$1500.00. The property is located at 504 S Bryan. Bay Hecht seconded the motion. Motion was carried unanimously with Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, Bay Hecht, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

Principal Alexis Gaspar presented the mid-year board goals with the majority showing considerable growth.

Principal Tiffany Potts updated the board of trustees on events and happenings across the district. She recognized the congress for their achievements, the high school cheer team for their accomplishments at state, UIL updates and map growth scores. She informed the board of the upcoming book fair and the book study the high school girls had completed.

Superintendent Morris presented the budget report and investment report. He presented the attendance at 203. He delivered the budget report with most functions being around 40-50%, while 54% had been received, an investment report was given. He informed the board of the renovations going on at the baseball field and the trustees discussed bond renovations. Superintendent Morris spoke on the successes that Region 14 was seeing in our district and that Hawley ISD had sent teachers to set in on lessons that our teachers were given to students with the new curriculum.

The board of trustees moved into closed session at 6:55 pm.  
The board of trustees reconvened at 7:59 pm.

Ray Bradley made a motion to extend Superintendent Zach Morris' contract and gave him a 3% raise. Jennifer Hodges seconded the motion. Motion carried with Bay Hecht abstaining from vote. Ray Bradley, Shane Polk, Tres Myers, and Jennifer Hodges all voted in favor.

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

The meeting adjourned at 8:03 pm.

The next regular meeting will be held on February 18, 2026.

For the Board of Trustees:

  
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President

  
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Secretary