

Blanket ISD
Special Called Board Meeting
October 16th, 2025
6:30 P.M.

Members Present: Steve Schulze, Autumn Hood
Scott Russell, Robert Rodgers

Members Absent: Beth Bowyer, James Richardson, Edwin Davis

Administration: Mr. Whisenhunt, Mr Branham

Guests: Cameron Gulley

- I. Steve Schulze called the Meeting to Order and established a quorum at 6:30 pm.**
 - A. Invocation**
 - B. Pledge of Allegiance**

II. Public Participation: None

III. Administrative Report(s)

Principals Report

- a. Update on student population and activities. Enrollment: 147**
Our attendance rate is 94%. We are using the Bluebonnet math curriculum with mostly positive reviews. The math coaches come from the ESC every Thursday to assist our teachers.
- b. Benchmark testing update.** We had our first benchmark testing. We are making adjustments and should see improvements on the next test.

Superintendent's Report

- a. Update on school finance.** We have received some of the money from the state. We should receive more next month. We received our first tax deposit of this fiscal year.
- b. Update on projects - Parking lot, handrails.** Our technology updates are complete. We still need to fix the handrails in the bleachers at the football field. .
- c. TASB/TASA Convention Update (Board Members) -**
It was suggested to maybe just attend the conference every other year, and not attending at Houston anymore.

IV. Consideration/approval of consent items

A. Approval of minutes of prior meeting.

A motion was made by Scott Russell to approve the minutes from the prior meeting, seconded by Robert Rodgers.

For: 4

Against: 0

B. Acceptance of Bills paid.

A motion was made by Scott Russell to accept the bills paid as presented, seconded by Robert Rodgers. Check # 005272 - # 005367

For: 4

Against: 0

V. Presentation / Discussion Regarding Action Items

a. Consider/Action to approve the 2024-2025 Financial audit presented by Cameron Gulley.

Robert Rodgers made a motion to approve the audit as presented by Cameron Gulley, seconded by Scott Russell.

For: 4

Against: 0

b. Consider/Action to vote on Comanche Appraisal District Board Member No Action taken.

c. Consider/Action to discuss/review Safety plan/audit update by Joe Branham (Safety Director)

No action taken. Mr Branham discussed the upcoming District Vulnerability Assessment coming up on December 3rd. The doors continue to be an issue, but improvements have been made. Door checks are done weekly. We will be putting a hydraulic system on the gate near the cafeteria to help ensure that it closes and locks every time.

VI. Date of Next Regular Board Meeting – November 10, 2025 at 6:30 pm

VII. Concerns for Future Board Meeting

- a. Safety and security issues.
- b. ESSA and Title Grant Funds.


A motion to adjourn was made by Robert Rodgers , seconded by Scott Russell
at 8:09 pm.

For: 4

Against: 0



Board President



Date



Board Secretary



Date