

**COOPER INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR MEETING
BOARD OF TRUSTEES
Monday, February 16, 2026
5:30 PM
Cooper ISD Administration Office
759 FM 1528
Cooper , Tx 75432**

AGENDA

Members Present: **Thomas Darden, President** _____
 Mandy Freeman, Vice President _____
 Jeffrey Phifer, Secretary _____

Kregg Slakey _____
 Shawn Stegall _____
 Lea Waller _____
 Jason Choate _____

Denicia Hohenberger, Superintendent _____

Others Present:

1. CALL TO ORDER
2. VERIFICATION OF COMPLIANCE WITH OPEN MEETING LAW This is to verify that the provisions of Section 551 of the Texas Government Code have been met in connection with public notice of this meeting.
3. PLEDGE TO THE UNITED STATES AND TEXAS FLAGS
4. PUBLIC COMMENT - the Board shall allow public comment with submission of a Public Comment form or via email prior to the start of the meeting.
5. CONSIDER CONSENT AGENDA
 - A. Minutes from Previous Meetings
 - B. Tax Collection Report
 - C. Finance Reports
 - D. Head Start Donations
6. SUPERINTENDENT'S NOTES
 - A. District Events Calendar
 - B. Enrollment Report
7. PRINCIPALS' AND DIRECTORS' REPORTS
 - A. Campus Accountability Reports
 - B. Facilities & Operations Update
8. DISCUSS 2026-2027 DISTRICT CALENDAR
9. DISCUSS AND CONSIDER MISSED SCHOOL DAY WAIVER
10. DISCUSS AND CONSIDER WRL PAY APPLICATION #6
11. DELIBERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION ON LONG-RANGE FACILITIES PLAN AND EDUCATIONAL SPECIFICATIONS

12. DELIBERATION AND POSSIBLE ACTION TO APPROVE SELECTIONS OF CONSTRUCTION MANAGER-AT-RISK FOR THE COOPER ISD 2025 BOND PROJECTS
13. DISCUSS AND POSSIBLY CONSIDER A RESOLUTION REGARDING TEXAS EDUCATION CODE SECTION 25.0823 PERTAINING TO PRAYER AND READING OF RELIGIOUS TEXTS
14. CONSIDER BUDGET AMENDMENT
15. CLOSED SESSION - Pursuant to Texas Government Code: Section 551.074, personnel matters regarding the appointment, employment, evaluation, duties, discipline, or dismissal of employees of the District.
 - A. Consider Employee Resignations
 - B. Consider Employee Recommendations
 - C. Review and Discuss Staffing Plan
 - D. Discuss Performance of Campus Principals
 - E. Discuss Performance of District Directors
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