

February 21, 2011
Cushing, Texas

The Board of Trustees of the Cushing Independent School District met in Regular Session.

Opening Activities

1. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order by Brett Reeves at 7:03 p.m.

2. Invocation

The invocation was given by L. Moore.

3. Roll Call and Establish Quorum

A quorum was established. Members present: L. Moore, Hardy, Reeves, S. Moore, Langham, and Goldsberry. Member absent: Bobby Brashears.

A. Students of the Month

Mrs. Pettit recognized Hailey Spears, Hannah Spears and Jeremiah Wilson

Mrs. Lee recognized Jacob Humphries.

Mr. Bobo recognized Crystal Vasquez.

B. Open Forum

Lee Welch expressed concerns about usage of softball field.

C. Superintendent Report

Business Office Report
Construction Update

D. Oral Reports

1. Principal Reports

The principals reported on enrollment, attendance, and TAKS testing.

2. Curriculum Director

Mrs. Jackson reported on dates for TAKS testing.

E. Action Items

1. Minutes from the January 10, 2011 and February 7, 2011 Board Meeting

The board unanimously approved the minutes as presented.

2. Request to Appear Before the Board by the Senior Class

The Senior Class requested permission to have High School Graduation on the Football Field. The board unanimously approved the request.

3. Discuss and/or approve Textbook Adoption

The board unanimously approved the adoption.

4. Discuss and/or approve Depository Contract

The board unanimously approved going out for bids.

5. Update 89

The board unanimously approved the Update.

6. Discuss and/or approve Changes to the JH and HS Cheerleader Constitution

Motion by L. Moore, seconded by S. Moore, to approve adding 2 spots to the JH cheer squad. Motion carried.
Hardy abstained.

Motion by Reeves to add 4 male assistants to the HS cheer squad for stunt assistance. Motion failed. Voting Nay: L. Moore, S. Moore, and Langham. Hardy and Goldsberry abstained.

7. Discuss and/or approve Overnight Senior Trip

The board unanimously approved the trip.

8. Discuss and/or Approve Key Control

Tabled

9. Discuss and/or approve Use of Facilities

Tabled

10. Discuss and/or approve Change in Attendance Policy

The board approved after a student misses 5 days they will need to make it up. The board requested a New Policy be written for attendance and brought back to the board for the 2011-2012 school year and that the principals contact other school districts to find out what their Attendance Policy is. Goldsberry abstained.

11. Discuss and/or approve Proposed Elementary Student Dress Code

No action at this time

12. Discuss and/or approve the use of the school for Hospital Board Elections

The board unanimously approved the request.

13. Deliberate and possible action regarding personnel
Contracts as presented during closed session with regards to
campus principals, curriculum director, technology director,
and counselor.

F. Closed Session

The board went into closed session at 7:50 p.m.

Items to be discussed:

Principals, Curriculum Director, Technology Director, Counselor

G. Return to Open Session

The board returned to open session at 9:30 p.m.

The board unanimously accepted the resignation of Mike Thomas
as recommended by Mr. Davis.

The board unanimously approved the appointment of Interim
Athletic Director to Danny Robey as recommended by Mr. Davis.

The board unanimously approved a one year extension to the
following people:

Melanie Pettit Elementary Principal
Martha Lee JH Principal
Jerry Bobo HS Principal
Becky Smith Technology Director
Sherry Goff Counselor
Stefani Jackson Curriculum Director

H. Adjourn

The board adjourned at 9:50 p.m

Brett Reeves, President

Bobby Brashears, Secretary

