

MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES  
Groveton Independent School District  
September 29, 2025

Meeting called to order by the president, Steve Ecord

MEMBERS PRESENT:

Steve Ecord- President  
Jason Due-Vice-President  
Sam Shanafelt, Secretary  
Steven Lee  
Kurt Minter  
Robyn Watts  
Anthony Lowery

MEMBERS ABSENT:

None

OTHERS PRESENT:

Todd Moore	Rebecca Huff	Jack Ledbetter
Rhonda Lowery	Susan Kitchens	

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| 1. | Prayer by Jim Dillard.  | Prayer                                    |
| 2. | Motion by Jason Due, seconded by Sam Shanafelt, to approve minutes from previous meeting. Motion carried unanimously.   | Approve Minutes                           |
| 3. | Motion by Steven Lee, seconded by Anthony Lowery, to approve bills, payroll and budget expenditures. Motion carried unanimously.  | Approve Bills<br>Payroll & Budget<br>Exp. |
| 4. | Motion by Robyn Watts, seconded by Jason Due, to approve the Quarterly Investment Report. Motion carried unanimously.   | Quart. Inv. Report                        |
| 5. | Motion by Sam Shanafelt, seconded by Jason Due, to approve the ESL Program evaluation. Motion carried unanimously.  | ESL Program                               |
| 6. | Motion by Steven Lee, seconded by Kurt Minter, so approve the nominations for the Trinity County Appraisal District Board of Directors. Motion carried unanimously.     | Tr. Co. Appraisal<br>Nominees             |
| 7. | Motion by Robyn Watts, seconded by Anthony Lowery, to approve the nominations for the Houston County Appraisal District Board of Directors. Motion carried unanimously. | Ho. Co. Appraisal<br>Nominees             |

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| 8.  | Motion by Robyn Watts, seconded by Anthony Lowery, to approve the grounds keeping services for the 2025-2026 school year. Motion carried unanimously.                                     | Lawn Service   |
| 9.  | The board went into closed session at 7:25 p.m. under the Texas Open Meeting Act, Texas Gov. Code 551.074 to discuss personnel and reconvened at 8:35 p.m. and took the following action. | Closed Session |
| 10. | Motion by Steven Lee, seconded by Robyn Watts, to adjourn. Motion carried unanimously.  | Adjourn        |

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President

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Secretary