

**POINT ISABEL INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
May 19, 2026**

The Point Isabel Independent School District held a Regular School Board Meeting, at 18001 Hwy 100 – Auditorium in Port Isabel Early College High School, Port Isabel, Texas on May 19, 2026, at 5:31 p.m.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT: Andrew LeBlanc, Cecilia Castillo, Heather Scott, Cynthia Cantu, Emily Galvan, John Sandoval & Roger Salinas

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

ALSO PRESENT:	Theresa A. Capistran	Superintendent
	Christy Gonzalez	Chief Financial Officer

A quorum was established and the Chairperson of the Board called the meeting to order. The Superintendent of Schools confirmed to the board the notice of the meeting has been posted as required by law.

Cynthia Cantu led the invocation and the pledge of allegiance and Texas pledge.

PRESENTATIONS:

- Port Isabel Junior High School
 - District Track Champions
 - Lone Star Leader Award Recipients
- Port Isabel Early College High School
 - National Scholarship Award and Full Ride Scholarships
 - Advanced University Summer Programs
- Tarpon Heart Award
- Hall of Fame

PUBLIC COMMENTS None

ANNOUNCEMENTS

OPEN FORUM

CONSENT AGENDA	Motion #1	by Emily Galvan second by Cynthia Cantu to approve the consent agenda items #1-7 as presented. Vote: Roll Call • Andrew LeBlanc: Aye • Cecilia Castillo: Aye • Heather Scott: Aye • Cynthia Cantu: Aye • Emily Galvan: Aye • John Sandoval: Aye • Roger Salinas: Aye Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.
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DISCUSSION AND ACTION AGENDA

- CASUALTY INSURANCE Motion #2 By Heather Scott, second by Cecilia Castillo
1. Approval to renew the Casualty Insurance policy for an additional 12-month period from July 1, 2026, in the amount not to exceed \$72,676.00. 2. Authorize the Superintendent or designee to execute the necessary agreements to bind coverage.
- Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

- COMPREHENSIVE TRAINING CENTER Motion # 3 By Cecilia Castillo, second by Heather Scott
- Approval of Comprehensive Training Center to provide student presentations in the amount not to exceed \$72,045.00.
- Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

SUPERINTENDENT'S EDUCATIONAL REPORT ROUTINE REPORTS

- Public School Disbursements for March 2026
- Financial Report
- Tax Office Report
- Student Activity Report
- Investment Report

The Board went into executive session at 6:58 pm

EXECUTIVE SESSION

- Motion #4 by Emily Galvan, second by Cynthia Cantu to go into executive session at 6:58 p.m.
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

COME OUT OF
EXECUTIVE SESSION

- Motion #5 by Emily Galvan, second by Cynthia Cantu to come out of executive session at 8:42 p.m.
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

RETURN TO
OPEN SESSION

- Motion #6 by Heather Scott, second by Cynthia Cantu to return to open session at 8:42 p.m.
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

ACTION ON MATTERS

- Motion #7 by Heather Scott, second by Cecilia Castillo
Discussion and possible action on Resolution approving the bid(s) received on the Tax Resale properties on March 3, 2026.
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.
- Motion #8 by Heather Scott, second by John Sandoval
Discussion and possible action on Superintendent Recommendations for renewals, proposed non-renewal and resignations of professional educator contracts. (Professional Staff-Administrators and Professional Staff-others)
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.
- Motion #9 by Heather Scott, second by Roger Salinas
Discussion and possible action on Professional Personnel report that includes employment, resignation, leave of absentee, new hires, promotions, and transfers for the month of May 2026.
Vote: Roll Call
- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
 - Cecilia Castillo: Aye
 - Heather Scott: Aye
 - Cynthia Cantu: Aye
 - Emily Galvan: Aye
 - John Sandoval: Aye
 - Roger Salinas: Aye
- Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.

The Chairperson called for a motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:45 p.m.

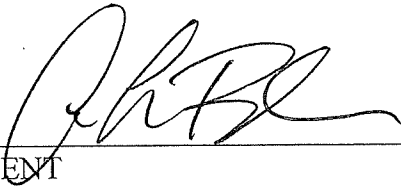
ADJOURNMENT

Motion #10 by Cynthia Cantu, seconded by Emily Galvan to adjourn meeting at 8:45 p.m.

Vote: Roll Call

- Andrew LeBlanc: Aye
- Cecilia Castillo: Aye
- Heather Scott: Aye
- Cynthia Cantu: Aye
- Emily Galvan: Aye
- John Sandoval: Aye
- Roger Salinas: Aye

Outcome: The motion passed unanimously 7/0.



PRESIDENT



SECRETARY

Typed by: G. Gonzalez