

# ONALASKA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT ONALASKA, TEXAS

## NOTICE OF AN AGENDA FOR THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE ONALASKA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT

Notice is hereby given that a Regular Meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Onalaska Independent School District will be held on **Monday, March 16, 2026, at 5:30 PM Central**, in Administration Office, PO Box 2289, Onalaska, TX 77360.

### ONALASKA ISD STRATEGIC GOALS:

1. Provide and maintain current technology that meets the needs of 21<sup>st</sup> century learners.
2. To provide and maintain a safe and secure environment.
3. Provide opportunities that encourage community involvement.
4. To provide quality facilities that meet the needs of our district.
5. To offer challenging research-based curriculum and instruction.

The subjects to be discussed or considered, or upon which any formal action may be taken, are as follows: (Items do not have to be taken in the same order as shown on the meeting notice.)

## AGENDA

CALL MEETING TO ORDER

ESTABLISH QUORUM

INVOCATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE TO AMERICAN AND TEXAS FLAG

1. Adopt Agenda
2. Construction Report - Pogue Construction
3. Conduct a Public Hearing on the 2024/2025 Annual District Report Update.
4. Open Forum: comments from individuals not on the agenda.
5. Approve minutes of previous meeting: February 16, 2026 Regular Meeting and March 9, 2026 Special Meeting.
6. Reports:
  - A. Elementary School Principal – Crystal Byrd
    1. Spotlight Student and Staff
  - B. Jr.-Sr. High School Principal – Cheryl Bertsch
    1. Spotlight Student and Staff
  - C. Business Manager, Angela Foster
    1. Finance Report
  - D. Assistant Superintendent - Dr. Geoffery Bowdoin
  - E. Superintendent- Dr. Kenneth Fraga
    1. Enrollment and Attendance Report
    2. Student Departure Report
7. Consent Items:
  - A. Approve tax report.
  - B. Budget Amendments

8. Discussion and possible action to accept a termination agreement of a Chapter 21 contract employee.
9. Discussion and possible action to approve travel plans for OISD Robotics team to compete in St. Louis for World Robotics Competition 2026.
10. Discussion and action to accept the certification of unopposed candidates, thereby canceling the May 2, 2026 election for unopposed positions number four, seven, five and two in accordance with TEC 2.051 through 2.053.
11. Discussion and action to approve SB 546 seat belt cost reporting form for district school bus transportation.
12. Discussion and possible action to approve an agreement with Interquest Detection Canines of Southeast Texas for the 2026/2027 school year.
13. Discussion and possible action to adopt the 2026-2027 School Year Calendar.
14. THE BOARD WILL GO INTO CLOSED SESSION UNDER AUTHORITY OF TEXAS GOVERNMENT CODE SECTION 551.074 - An executive session may be held to deliberate the appointment, evaluation, reassignment, duties, discipline or dismissal of a public school officer or employee, or to hear a complaint or charge against an officer or employee.
  - A. Discussion on new hires
  - B. Discussion of resignations/retirements.
  - C. Discussion on contracts for Assistant Principals, Counselors, Instructional Coaches and Instructional Support Specialist.
15. Reconvene for motions, voting or official actions.
  - A. Action on new hires
  - B. Action on resignation/retirements.
  - C. Action on Assistant Principals, Counselors, Instructional Coaches and Instructional Support Specialists.
16. Adjournment.
17. Information Item
  - A. Check Register

If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in closed meeting, the board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Texas Open Meetings Act, Tex. Gov't. Code, Chapter 551, Subchapters D and E. The Onalaska ISD Board of Trustees reserves the right to adjourn into executive session at any time during the course of this meeting to discuss any of the matters listed above as authorized by the Texas Government Code 551.071 (Attorney Consultation) 551.074 (Personnel Matters) 551.082 (Student Discipline) 551.0821 (Personally Identifiable Student Information) 551.076 (Security Personnel, Devices and Audits)

**ONALASKA ISD VISION STATEMENT:  
At the "O" we GROW!**

**ONALASKA ISD PURPOSE STATEMENT:  
Onalaska ISD is committed to growing life-long learners and leaders by cultivating a growth oriented environment where everyone is expected and nurtured to reach their full potential.**

**ONALASKA ISD MISSION STATEMENT:  
The mission of the Onalaska Independent School District is to provide a safe and exceptional education that unlocks student potential to become responsible members of society.**

It is the policy of Onalaska ISD not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, age, sex, or handicap in its vocational programs, services, or activities as required by the Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964, as amended; Title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972; and Section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973, as amended.