

Texas District Board of Directors Meeting

December 2, 2025

The Texas District Board of Directors met on Tuesday, December 2, with President Braunersreuther calling the meeting to order at 8:30 a.m. and opening with a devotion. All board members were present. President Braunersreuther delivered his report, after which a motion was made and approved to receive the Pastoral Formation Overture Committee's report in executive session. The board then entered executive session.

When the board returned to general session, Dr. Jon Davis presented a resolution to confer the title of President Emeritus upon the Rev. Michael Newman. The resolution passed unanimously. Treasurer Linda Hagge followed with her report and presented the proposed 2026 budget. CEF Executive Director, Becca Jones, then provided an update on Texas CEF, and the board approved the minutes from the November CEF Board of Directors meeting.

Dr. Bill Hinz provided a brief update on school ministry, addressing recent developments related to school vouchers and noting the updated FAQ on the district website. He also shared the good news of newly granted accreditations for the school at Hope Lutheran in Lubbock and Veritas Academy. The general session concluded with an external relations report presented by Lisa Candido.

Following the general session, the board returned to executive session and remained there until the meeting concluded.