



## **May Minutes of the NTAPT Meeting**

May 11, 2017 NTAPT meeting was held at Frisco ISD 10701 Dallas Pkwy, Frisco, TX.

NTAPT President Ernest Del Bosque called the meeting to order at 10:34 a.m. The Pledge of Allegiance and the Texas Pledge was led by Doug Becker.

Doug Becker welcomed all to Frisco. He also gave TAPT updates. He stated the deadline for conference discount of \$175 was May 15, 2017. Voting online is open until June 15, 2017. He also informed us there is a new promotional video of members and vendors regarding benefits of TAPT. He also informed us that DPS is offering Third Party Skills Testing Program.

Ernest welcomed all first time attendees and guests. He also welcomed all vendors in attendance.

John Ramirez of Uvalde ISD was present and is running for TAPT Parliamentarian.

April minutes reading was waived by a motion by Stan Loftin. 2<sup>nd</sup> by Dawn Loftin.

A motion was made to dispense the reading of the minutes by Stan Loftin. George Eldridge 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion was carried.

George Eldridge read the April Treasurer's Report. A motion was made by Ernest Del Bosque to accept the Treasurer's Report as read, Terry Penn accepted the motion, Madeline Vaughn 2<sup>nd</sup>. Motion was carried.

Beverly Shannon introduced the Committee Chairpersons for announcements.

Pat Garcia gave information regarding the State conference Speech contestants. Four contestants qualified; three competed. Mabank placed 3<sup>rd</sup>, Royce City 2<sup>nd</sup>, and Mabank placed 1<sup>st</sup>.

Raymond Forsberg thanked all vendors who contributed to the Roadeo. He also presented all volunteers with certificates of appreciation.

Kevin Vollweiller stood in place of Bobby Williams to give updates for TASBT.

Pat Garcia made an announcement to withdraw his candidacy for President-elect due to ineligibility. A motion was made from the floor from Tammy Loveless to nominate Terry Penn for President-elect. Stan Loftin made a motion to close the nomination. Doug Becker 2<sup>nd</sup>.

Felicia Harris presented the outgoing for the 2017-18 Executive Committee with plaques and introduced the 2017-18 NTAPT Executive Committee. The New NTAPT Executive Committee Members for 2017-18 nominees are Beverly Shannon, President; Terry Penn, President-Elect; Leigh Giddens, Secretary; George Eldridge, Treasurer; Raymond Forsberg, Historian; and Ernest Del Bosque, Ex-Oficio.

Ernest put out a plea to help those affected by the tornadoes in East Texas. Two of our members were directly affected (Stan and Dawn Loftin). We are looking to assist them in the near future. The Loftin's said they do not have an immediate need. They were grateful for all we've done.

Vendor presentation by Dr. Graves, Pinnacle; Southwest International, Tim Dreiling, and Gateskeeper Systems, Paul Rothschild.

Door prizes were provided by Southwest International, Southern Tire Mart, and Gatekeeper Systems.

Donnie Dewberry of Dallas County Schools provided the blessing of the food.

Meeting adjourned by Ernest Del Bosque.