

UNOFFICIAL MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
ST. JOHN-HUDSON U.S.D. #350
REGULAR SESSION
June 9, 2025

CALL TO ORDER

The Board of Education of Unified School District 350, State of Kansas, Stafford County, met in regular session at 7:00 p.m. in the Board room, on Monday June 9, 2025. The meeting was called to order by Derek Foote.

MEMBERS PRESENT

Derek Foote, Carl Behr, Trey Burgan, Shawn Ward, Katrina Hickel, Vance Fisher, Aaron Roach

STAFF PRESENT

Josh Meyer, Jana Hare, Travis Callaway, Angela Petersen, Joanna Mcalister, Johnna Stanford, Alisa Fisher, Lisa Rotert

WELCOME VISTORS

See attached list

ADDITIONS/CHANGES TO THE AGENDA

None

APPROVE THE AGENDA

Derek Foot moved and Carl Behr seconded the motion to approve the agenda as presented.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

Vance Fisher moved and Shawn Ward seconded that the Board approve the consent agenda as presented.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Patron Comments

Jonna Stanford and presented to the Board information about the PAT (Parents as Teachers) program.

Joanna Mcalister, Lilly Mcalister, Jace Feril, Oril Feril and Cassie Martin presented letters to the Board regarding providing transportation to and from wrestling events.

BUSINESS ITEMS

Bond Project

Sid Weins with Wiens construction and Sarah Sipe presented to the Board additional and information and changes about the potential bond project. The consensus of the Board is to move forward with option 11.2D

Cooperative Sports

The district has a cooperative agreement with Stafford USD 349 for wrestling for junior and senior high students. The Board discussed policy changes in transportation to and from wrestling events.

Property & Liability Insurance Policy

The renewal for the insurance policy was provided to the Board members on the supporting documents file.

Vance Fisher moved and Shawn Ward seconded that the Board approve the KICS renewal policy as presented in the amount of \$120,011.01.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Workers's Compensation Insurance Policy

The agreement for membership in the KASB worker's compensation fund and a quote was provided to the Board members on the supporting documents file.

Shawn Ward moved and Carl Behr seconded that the Board approve the membership agreement with KASB worker's compensation fund in the amount of \$16,561.

Negotiated Agreement

The negotiated agreement for 2025-26 school year has been discussed with the teacher and board negotiating teams. The memo outlining the changes and the agreement was provided to the Board members on the supporting documents file.

Aaron Roach moved and Trey Burgan seconded that the Board approve the 2025-26 negotiated agreement as presented.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Pay Raises for Classified Staff and Administrators

The certified salary increase amounted to about 5%. It was recommended that the Board increase salaries for other employees based on that percentage.

Shawn Ward moved and Katrina Hickel seconded that the Board approve a 5% increase in pay for classified staff and administrators for the 2025-26 school year.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Football Camp – Equipment Use

The board discussed the use of district owned equipment for the football camps.

Katrina Hickel moved and Vance Fisher seconded that the Board approve the use of district owned football equipment for summer camps.

YES: 7

NO: 0

MOTION CARRIED

Board Communications

Administrative Reports

Mrs. Petersen reported on the following:

Attendance Data: Vacancies, Classroom Layout, Intentionality in Handwriting/Cursive/Typing, Increased Cross Grade Level Collaboration, Continued work with ESSDACK Embedded Services Revamping MTSS, Focus on the Eight Mathematical practices, Fidelity in using Parent Square, Collective Efficacy, Consistent Behavior Language and Expectations, Mentoring for New Staff, Embrace the New opportunities

Mr. Callaway reported on the following:

League Track, State Golf, State Track, Graduation, Yonder pouches, Summer activities

Mr. Meyer reported on the following:

Non-Resident Enrollment, Enrollment Portal, Parent Square, Foundation / Booster Club Golf Tournament, HVAC Project, DOL Safety Audit, Board Elections, Transition Plan

Executive Session

Shawn Ward moved and Aaron Roach seconded that the Board go into executive session to discuss specific individuals being hired or resigning and the performance of specific employees pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA, with Mr. Meyer, Mr. Callaway, Mrs. Petersen and Mrs. Hare to be included, and that they return to open session at 9:30 p.m. in this room.

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Shawn Ward moved and Katrina Hickel seconded to accept Danny Smith's resignation as of

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Shawn Ward moved and Katrina Hickel moved and seconded to accept Trish Wade's resignation

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Aaron Roach moved and Trey Burgan seconded to accept Kristel Meyer's resignation.

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Vance Fisher moved and Trey Burgan seconded to hire Alysha Mawhiter as the assistant HS girls basketball coach.

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Aaron Roach moved and Shawn Ward second to hire Whitney Brummer as the JH cheer coach.

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Vance Fisher moved and Aaron Roach seconded to hire Devan Clark as the HS office administrative assistant.

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FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

(a) Organizational Meeting

(I) Establish Board Meeting Dates (Reaffirm in Jan)

(II) Designate Bank Depositories

(III) Approve Various Resolutions

(IV) Approve Various Appointments

(b) Bond Project

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moved and seconded the motion to adjourn the meeting at p.m.

MOTION CARRIED

APPROVED AND SIGNED THIS _____ DAY OF _____ 2025

PRESIDENT

BOARD CLERK