

August 18, 2026 Regular Meeting

The Unified Board of Trustees met in regular session on Tuesday, August 18, 2026 in the High School Library. Vice-Chairman, Jason Nordlund called the meeting to order at 5:00 p.m.

PRESENT

Members present were: Vice-Chairman, Jason Nordlund, Beth Murnion and John O'Connor. Also present were: Principal, Julie Elias; Clerk, Anna Guesanburu, Kalley Pluhar and Bethany Ryan.

ABSENT

Members absent were: Harold Erlenbusch and Wyatt Colvin

AGENDA

Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve the agenda without correction. Motion carried unanimously.

STUCO REPORT

Student Council Representative, Gwen Miller informed the Board homecoming is scheduled for the week of September 21st – 26th. The theme this year is "Destinations".

PRINCIPAL REPORT

Principal, Julie Elias informed the Board the school year is off to a great start and the new employees are doing well. The locker rooms in the Gym should be usable within the next couple of weeks.

MINUTES

Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve the minutes of the July 21, 2026 regular meeting without correction or addition. Motion carried unanimously. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve the minutes of the July 21, 2026 executive session without correction or addition. Motion carried unanimously. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve the minutes of the July 30 & August 5, 2026 emergency meetings without correction or addition. Motion carried unanimously.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve the consent agenda including the following items: #6.1 Accounts Payable/Payroll Claims; #6.2 Payroll Claims Transfers; and #6.3 Extra-curricular reports HS/EL. Accounts Payable includes #33503 - #33530; Direct Deposit warrants include #83465 - #83460; Payroll warrants include #24397 - #24401. Extra-curricular warrants include: #21280. Motion carried unanimously.

SURPLUS

Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve the surplus of items from the concession stands that are no longer needed. Motion carried unanimously

2026-27 ASST. VOLLEYBALL COACH

As of August 12, 2026 the current assistant volleyball coach resigned. Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve hiring Russ Milam as the 2026-27 assistant volleyball coach. Motion carried unanimously.

PART-TIME HS JANITOR

Principal Elias informed the Board there is a need for extra janitorial help around the high school at this time. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve running an ad for a part-time high school janitor position for the 2026-27 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

EXTRA JUICE/MILK PRICES

Principal Elias informed the Board the prices of the juice and milk have increased from our suppliers and the district should consider increasing our price on the extra juice and milk given out during the day. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve an increase to 50 cents for an extra juice and milk served during meals. Motion carried unanimously.

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2025-26 TFS

Clerk Guesanburu presented the Board with the Elementary and High School 2025-2026 Trustees' Financial Summaries. The TFS is a report of the schools financial records during the 2025-2026 fiscal year. Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve the Elementary and High School Trustees' Financial Summaries for the 2025-2026 fiscal year. Motion carried unanimously.

2026-27 FINAL BUDGETS

Clerk Guesanburu presented the Board with the figures for the Elementary and High School 2026-2027 fiscal year budgets. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve the 2027FY Elementary and High School budgets. Motion carried unanimously.

2026-27 SUB LIST

Clerk Guesanburu presented the Board with a list of substitute teachers for the 2026-27 year. Motion was made by Murnion, seconded by O'Connor to approve the 2026-27 substitute list as presented by Clerk Guesanburu. Motion carried unanimously.

2026-27 EXTRA-CURRICULAR BUS CONTRACT

Clerk Guesanburu informed the Board that Bus Contractor, Shawn FitzGerald would like to keep the same amounts as last year across the board on the extra-curricular buses. Motion was made by O'Connor, seconded by Murnion to approve the 2026-27 extra-curricular bus contract as is. Motion carried unanimously.

ADJOURN

Motion was made by Murnion to adjourn at 5:38 p.m.

Anna Guesanburu, Clerk

Date

Jason Nordlund, Vice-Chairman

Date