

SHELDON R-VIII BOARD OF EDUCATION

Meeting Location: FACS Room

February 9, 2026 Open Session

Meeting Time: 8:00 a.m.

Board Members Present:

Mr. Leininger Mr. Lamb
Mrs. Claflin Mrs. Byram
Mr. Nance

Board Members Absent:

Mr. Sprenkle
Mrs. Blurton

Administrators Present:

Mr. Irwin
Mr. Post
Ms. Young

Mr. Lamb called the meeting to order at 8:12 a.m. and Mrs. Byram gave the opening prayer.

Approval of Agenda: A motion was made by Mr. Nance to approve the Agenda. Mrs. Claflin seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

Community Forum: None

Consent Agenda: Mr. Nance made a motion to approve the Consent Agenda. Mrs. Byram seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

Financial Report:

Bills: No additional bills were submitted for approval.

Balance: The balance was reviewed.

Budget: The budget was reviewed.

Facilities: Mr. Irwin gave an update on the progress of the bus barn and informed the board of some repairs completed around the facilities.

Old Business:

CSIP: Mr. Post reviewed CSIP for the board.

New Business:

2026-2027 Calendar: Mr. Irwin presented 2 calendar options for the 26-27 school year. One including an early start date and one including a start date within DESE regulations. Mrs. Claflin made a motion to approve both calendar options pending DESE waiver approval. Mr. Leininger seconded and the motion carried 5-0.

Balance HQ: Mr. Irwin recommended to the board the purchase of the budget software Balance HQ for the 25-26 school year and Mr. Nance so moved. Mr. Leininger seconded the motion and motion carried 5-0

Teacher's Time: Mrs. Lamb shared about upcoming activities, as well as, Kindergarten Screening taking place in April this year rather than March.

Principal's Report: Mr. Post informed the board of enrollment and attendance data, as well as, previous and upcoming activities.

Superintendent's Report: Mr. Irwin gave a legislative update and informed the board of meetings he will be attending.

Closed Session: At 9:01 a.m. Mr. Nance made a motion to move into closed session after a short recess for discussion and possible action regarding 610.021 RSMO for the purpose of (6) Student-Actions/records (3) Personnel-Hiring/terminating/disciplining/promoting and (13) Personnel-Records/evaluations/applications. Mrs. Claflin seconded the motion and the motion carried with the following vote: Mr. Leininger-yes, Mrs. Byram-yes, Mr. Lamb-yes, Mrs. Claflin-yes, Mr. Nance-yes.

Adjournment: At 10:52 a.m. Mr. Nance made a motion to leave closed session and adjourn the meeting. Mr. Leininger seconded and the motion carried with the following vote: Mr. Leininger-yes, Mrs. Byram-yes, Mr. Lamb-yes, Mrs. Claflin-yes, Mr. Nance-yes.

Meeting adjourned at 10:53 a.m.

Board President

Date

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