



December 17, 2024

## Board of Trustees Elect New Officers

Congratulations to OVSD's newly elected Board Members, Gina Clayton-Tarvin and Keri Gorsage, who proudly took their Oaths of Office before family, friends, and staff at the December 17 OVSD Board of Trustees' meeting. As part of the annual organizational meeting, trustees were elected to the following positions:

President: Patricia Singer

Vice President: Jack Souders

Clerk: Gina Clayton-Tarvin



Interim Superintendent Dr. Julianne Hoefer honored Trustee Jack Souders with a plaque for his exceptional leadership as Board President. She also presented certificates to Trustee Patricia Singer for her service as Board Vice President and Trustee Gina Clayton-Tarvin for her service as Board Clerk this past year.



## Norm Westwell Recognized For His Years of Service

Norm Westwell was honored for his 14 years of dedicated service on the OVSD Board of Trustees. During his tenure, Trustee Westwell supported key initiatives that improved the educational experience and District facilities, including the adoption of English/language arts, history-social science, and mathematics textbooks, as well as projects like the Golden View HVAC upgrade and the shade structure at Oak Preschool. He also prioritized student safety and achievement through safety plans and single plans for student achievement. We wish him all the best in his future endeavors.

## Golden View Honored

Golden View Elementary was recognized for earning the prestigious Golden Bell Award for its Environmental Innovation is Golden program! This well-deserved recognition highlights Golden View's hands-on environmental science program, featuring an on-campus farm, sustainable practices, and civic engagement projects. This is Golden View's second Golden Bell Award and the District's sixth overall—an incredible testament to OVSD's dedication to excellence and innovation in education.



## 2024-25 First Interim Report

Keith Farrow, Assistant Superintendent of Administrative Services, delivered a presentation on the 2024-25 First Interim Budget Report for Ocean View School District, which encompassed a multi-year financial forecast for the District. The complete presentation can be viewed [here](#).

## Board Approved 2025 Meeting Dates

The OVSD Board of Trustees approved the 2025 Board Meeting calendar, which can be found [here](#).