



**KETTERING BOARD OF EDUCATION**  
**Work SESSION**  
**February 4, 2025**

The Board of Education of the Kettering City School District met in a Work Session at the Board of Education Office, 500 Lincoln Park Boulevard, Kettering, OH 45429 on February 4, 2025, at 6:00 p.m.

The meeting was called to order by the Board President, Mark Martin at 6:02 p.m.

Roll Call: Present Four, Mr. Martin, Mrs. Richards, Mr. Henderson, Mrs. Kane.  
Absent One, William Lautar.

In Attendance: Mindy McCarty-Stewart Superintendent, Justin Blevins Treasurer/CFO, Rick Taylor Assistant Treasurer, Jeff Johnson Business Director, Dan VonHandorf Assistant Superintendent Teaching and Learning, XXXX teaching and learning

Mr. Martin led the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.

**District Update**

- A. Safety & Wellness
  - a. Mrs. Laura Tran provided an update on the youth and family resources available in Kettering. She provided background on the formation and goals of the group responsible for seeking out and finding resources for families in the community. A variety of needs are serviced through the program. She discussed “Neighborhood Bridges Kettering” which is a 501(c)(3) to help them service student and family needs.
- B. Quality Learning
  - a. Dan vonHandorf and Nita Teeters presented data-driven teaching and decisions, explaining what it means to use data. They showed several data collection tools that are used by the district and throughout the state. They referenced the “Abre” platform which the district uses to review data from different places to make data-driven decisions.
- C. Business Services Update
  - a. Future-ready Facility Steering Committee Update: Justin Blevins, Jeff Johnson presented background information on the bond and permanent improvement funds of the levy and the borrowing against those funds and how the funds are used to service

the district. Mr. Mike Reutschle then presented on the current progress of the future facility process as it relates to work with the facilities steering committee.

D. Superintendent Update

- a. Board of Education Policy Review and Process: Mrs. McCarty-Stewart presented information to the board about the procedures and work that goes into compiling the board policy revisions, technical corrections, and overall updates as the administrative team works with NEOLA to produce those to the board for review and consideration.

**Board Discussion**

None.

**Motion 24-25 Enter Executive Session**

It was moved by Mr. Martin, seconded by Mr. Henderson to enter Executive Session for the following:

- A. Matters required to be confidential by Federal law or regulations or State statutes.

Roll Call: Ayes, Four. Mr. Martin, Mr. Henderson, Mrs. Kane, Mrs. Richards.  
Nays, None.  
The President declared the motion carried.

The Board of Education entered Executive Session at 7:50 p.m.

The Board of Education returned to Regular Session at 9:00 p.m.

**Motion 25-25 Adjournment**

It was moved by Mr. Martin, seconded by Mrs. Richards, to adjourn the meeting at 9:01 p.m.

Roll Call: Ayes, Four. Mr. Henderson, Mrs. Kane, Mr. Martin, Mrs. Richards.  
Nays, None.  
  
The President declared the motion carried.

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Attest: Treasurer, Board of Education

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Attest: President, Board of Education