BOARD OF EDUCATION
LABETTE COUNTY UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 506
Altamont, KS 67330

Curran Administrative Office March 10, 2025 6:00 p.m.

Members Present:
Justin Bebb
Greg Bogner
Kevin Cole
Rich Falkenstien
Jessie Foister
Brian Harlow
Dr. Kolette Smith

Absent Board Members:
None

Others Present:
John Wyrick, Supt.
Shane Holtzman, Asst. Supt.
Cindy Dean, Board Clerk
Tiffany Flatt, AGS Principal
Melissa Green, MDValley Principal
Chris Kastler, MDView Principal
Kevin Lahey, Community School Coordinator
Jack Leake lll, Community Health Worker
Tim Traxson, EGS Principal

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1. Jessie Foister called the meeting to order. Rich Falkenstien opened with prayer.

2. Justin Bebb made a motion to approve the printed agenda with the following additions:
   3.4 add Ava Alloway – LCHS Asst. Track Coach
   add Todd Berry – LCHS Math Instructor
   3.6 add Joe Royer – LCHS Girls Wrestling Coach Resignation
   add Joe Royer – LCHS Girls Golf Coach Resignation
   add Joe Royer – Jr High Girls Wrestling Coach Resignation
   8.1 add Action Item – Resolution 2025-03-10 Real Estate – Bartlett Home
   Brian Harlow seconded the motion. Motion carried 7-0.

3. Consent Agenda
   Kevin Cole made a motion to approve the consent agenda with the following additions:
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   Greg Bogner seconded the motion. Motion carried 7-0.

4. Recognitions/Communications
   None at this time

5. Recognition of Visitor and Public Comments
   None at this time

6. Reports
   6.1 Superintendent Report
   Dr. Wyrick highlighted some areas from the USA Kansas Organization and reviewed Senate Bill 114 and Senate Bill 87 with the board.

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   6.2 Administration Report
   Chris Kastler stated Campus Academy will integrate with Summer School this summer and will get this information out to parents soon.

   Tim Traxson reported Quiz Bowl finished up this week. Mr. Traxson stated Edna Grade had a great turn out for Parent Teacher Conferences.

   Melissa Green stated Mound Valley had a great turn out for Parent Teacher Conferences. Mrs. Green stated today was the Bookfair with Dads and how fun it was to see the dads enjoying a bookfair with their kids.

   Tiffany Flatt reported the Altamont Grade Skate Night was last week and had a great turnout of families.

   6.3 KASB/Legislative
   Kevin Cole stated he had the honor to bring the KASB Board of Directors to LCHS for a District Showcase. Mr. Cole stated the KASB Board enjoyed the tour and was very impressed with our District. Mr. Cole reported State Representative Dan Goddard met the group for Dinner Friday Night. The KASB Board met at the District Office Saturday for their monthly business meeting. Mr. Cole stated the tour was absolutely fantastic and it's so amazing to see the pride in our community and district.

6.4 SEK Interlocal #637

Kevin Cole stated the next SEK Interlocal Meeting is this Wednesday.

7. Discussion Items

7.1 Kevin Lahey and Jack Leake lll gave a very interesting overview on the Safety and Health Initiatives of our District. The Board thanked them for attending.

7.2 Dr. Wyrick stated our 2023-2024 Audit will be presented at the next Board Meeting

7.3 Dr. Wyrick stated he and Mr. Holtzman would like the board to consider developing a Building-Level Administrative Evaluation Tool. Dr. Wyrick proposed forming a committee to design an Evaluation Tool.

8. Action Items

8.1 Rich Falkenstien made the motion to approve Resolution 2025-03-10 for the Real Estate of the Bartlett Home. Justin Bebb seconded the motion. Motion carried 7-0.

9. Board Member Comments

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Greg Bogner wished all the students and staff a great Spring Break.

Kevin Cole – No Comments

Rich Falkenstien – No Comments

Brian Harlow – No Comments

Justin Bebb congratulated the LCHS Girls Basketball Team making their way to the State Tourney.

Jessie Foister congratulated the LCHS Girls Basketball Team a great season and making their way to the State Tourney.

Dr. Kolette Smith thanked the Board for all their Love and Prayers this last week. Dr. Smith stated each of you in this room has done so much for her family this last week and really appreciates the closeness and friendships in this room. Dr. Smith thanked the District for housing the search & rescue teams at LCHS. Dr. Smith thanked USD 506 and Center Bethel Church for the help of feeding the search and rescue teams daily. Dr. Smith stated her family is establishing a fund in the hopes of purchasing an underwater remote operational vehicle to be used for water rescues. Dr. Smith asked for continued prayers.

10. Adjournment

    Dr. Kolette Smith made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Rich Falkenstien seconded the motion. Motion carried 7-0. The meeting adjourned at 7:33 p.m. The next regular meeting will be April 14, 2025 at The Curran Administrative Office.

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