

**York School District One
Minutes of Board of Trustees Meeting
Tuesday, March 11, 2025**

Members present

Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Meeting called to order at 6:02 PM**A. Executive Session (6:00 PM)*****Procedural: 1. Call to Order***

Chair Childers called the meeting to order at 6:02pm.

Action: 2. Executive Session (Personnel and Contractual)

Motion at 6:03am to go into Executive Session to discuss personnel and contractual matters.

Motion by Christopher Revels, second by Beth Faulkner.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

*In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain
(Thomas Wilkerson arrived during Executive Session)*

Action: 3. Adjourn Executive Session

Motion at 6:31pm to return to Open Session.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Beth Faulkner.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

*In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain,
Thomas Wilkerson*

B. Meeting Opening - General Session (6:30 PM)***Procedural: 1. Call to Order***

Chair Childers called the public meeting to order at 6:31pm and welcomed all those in attendance. Chair Childers acknowledged the confirmation to the media, noting that no one from the media was present. He also made note that no one completed paperwork to speak during the Public Forum. Pastor Anthony Johnson, from Mt. Zion Baptist Church, McConnells, gave the invocation. Kayci Wilkerson, Miss YCHS, led the Pledge of Allegiance to the USA flag. A quorum was established with the following Board members present: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, and Thomas Wilkerson.

C. Consent Agenda

Action (Consent): 1. Approval of the Agenda

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent): 2. Overnight Field Trip Requests (None)

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent): 3. Classified Employee Report

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent): 4. Budget Report - February 2025

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent), Minutes: 5. Minutes of February 11, 2025

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent), Minutes: 6. Minutes of February 18, 2025

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action (Consent), Minutes: 7. Minutes of February 24, 2025

Motion to approve the consent agenda as presented.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

D. Recognitions

Information: 1. Student & Staff Recognitions

Several students and staff were recognized for their recent achievements. The full listing can be found with the March 11, 2025, agenda.

E. Reports

Information: 1. South Carolina Regional Education Centers

Mr. Thomas J. Monroe, Regional Workforce Advisory with the SC Department of Employment and Workforce, reported on an overview of the South Carolina Regional Education Centers.

F. Director of Secondary Programs - Mrs. Elissa Cox

Information: 1. Math Sequence Update

Mrs. Elissa Cox, Director of Secondary Programs, provided an update of the State Department of Education's new math pathway sequence for secondary students beginning in the 2025-2026 school year.

G. Director of Human Resources - Mrs. Jennifer Bolin

Action: 1. Certified Resignation(s) (End of the 2024-2025 school year)

Motion to accept the certified resignations for the end of the 2024-2025 school year as presented by Director Bolin.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Beth Faulkner.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action: 2. Certified Retirement(s) (End of the 2024-2025 school year)

Motion to accept, with congratulations, the certified retirement for the end of the 2024-2025 school year as presented by Director Bolin.

Motion by Christopher Revels, second by Betty Johnson.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action: 3. Returning Staff Recommendations for 2025-2026 School Year

Motion to approve returning staff recommendations for the 2025-2026 school year as presented by Director Bolin.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by David McSwain.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

H. Assistant Superintendent for Finance & Operations - Mrs. Amy Hagner

Action: 1. SCSBA Policy Update - 1st Reading

Approval for 1st reading, with note that there may be some revisions before second reading, as presented by District Administration.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by Christopher Revels.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Action: 2. SCSBA Policy Update - 2nd Reading

Motion to approve for 2nd Reading, as presented by District Administration.

Motion by Christopher Revels, second by Beth Faulkner.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Information: 3. 2025-2026 Budget Update

Mrs. Amy Hagner provided an update on the 2025-2026 Budget. In the report she noted the State budget schedule.

Information: 4. Western York County Agriculture Arena Update

Mrs. Amy Hagner provided an update on the Western York County Agriculture Arena. In the presentation, she noted that the Brick Campaign has been launched and can be viewed on the WYCAA website (www.wycaa.org). Mrs. Hagner also stated that additional funding is anticipated for the project and the steering committee is looking into bid documents with alternates.

I. District Superintendent - Ms. Kelly Coxe

Action: 1. SCSBA Officer Position

Chairman Childers requested approval from the board to apply for an SCSBA Officer position.

Motion by Beth Faulkner, second by Betty Johnson.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Abstain: Scott Childers

Information: 2. Federal Programs Overview

Superintendent Coxe provided an update on how federal funds are allocated in York School District One. Referencing the current national conversation regarding the potential reduction and/or closure of the United States Federal Department of Education, Ms. Coxe shared how YSD1 uses federal funds. See PowerPoint presentation attached in the agenda item.

Action: 3. Administrative Recommendations (2025-2026)

Motion at 7:25pm to enter into Executive Session to discuss Administrative Recommendations presented by the district administration.

Motion by Beth Faulkner, second by Betty Johnson

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain,

Thomas Wilkerson

Action: 4. Adjourn Executive Session

Motion at 8:53pm to return to Open Session.

Motion by Christopher Revels, second by Betty Johnson.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain,

Thomas Wilkerson

Action: 5. Administrative Recommendations (2025-2026)

Motion to approve candidates A and B as presented by the district administration.

Motion by Beth Faulkner, second by Betty Johnson

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain,

Thomas Wilkerson

Information: 6. Upcoming Dates

Superintendent Coxe reviewed the upcoming event dates in the district.

J. Adjourn

Action: 1. Adjourn

Motion at 8:55pm to adjourn for the evening.

Motion by Betty Johnson, second by David McSwain.

Final Resolution: Motion approved

In favor: Scott Childers, Christopher Revels, Beth Faulkner, Betty Johnson, David McSwain, Thomas Wilkerson

Meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Beth Faulkner, Secretary

Brittany Johnson, Recorder