

**TULSA SCHOOL BOND OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE
MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF January 14, 2025**

Present:	Justine McIntosh	Steve Grantham
	Carlos Bejarano	Vanessa Rodriguez
	Signee Bland	Joanna Lein
	Eddie Evans	Scott Merrill
	Casey Robinson	Greg Shaw
	James Stuart	LeeAnne Jimenez
	Tina Kaminski	
Absent:	Blanca Delgado	Dominic Walters
	Lora Boyle	Matthew Hamm
	Katie Henke	Nancy Leonard
	Phil Armstrong	Peggy Spillman
	Shawna Mott-Wright	Kim Hubler
	Becky Gilgo	Niki Grauberger
	Maria Barnes	Josh Roby
	Kristen Oertel	Emily Hall (Hutton)
	Sally Perez	Erica Townsend-Bell
	Erica Irvine	Bill Richert
	Mandy Winton	Barney James
	TPS Staff:	Ellen Duecker
Chris Hudgins		Krystal Hutchison
Rob Kaiser		

Mr. Greg Shaw, committee chair, called the meeting to order at 12:02 p.m. He welcomed the committee members.

Mr. Shaw called for a motion to approve the minutes of the November 12, 2024, Bond Oversight Committee meeting. A motion was made, seconded, and passed unanimously to approve the minutes. Mr. Shaw abstained from the approval since he was absent from the last meeting.

Executive Director of Bond, Chris Hudgins shared a brief overview of the 2021 bond funds, she provided an update of the current available 2021 bond funds and remaining balances. He shared that the board approved the sale of the 2025A bond sale of \$30 million dollars and that the funds would arrive on April 1st.

Ellen Duecker introduced Dr. Rob Kaiser, McLain's principal. Dr. Kaiser shared that the bond work is substantial to creating a warm and inviting environment for the students at McLain. He

provided an overview of various bond improvements that McLain has received from bond dollars and the impact it's had on the students. These projects included improvements to the outside entrance, marquee, cafeteria, career tech classrooms, and athletic facilities. Dr. Kaiser answered questions from committee members.

Ellen Duecker introduced Krystal Hutchison, the Director of Postsecondary Readiness at Tulsa Public Schools. Ms. Hutchison shared that her team helps students figure out their goals for what kids want to do after high school. She provided an overview of goals for the 2021 bond dollars for career tech, these goals included updated career tech classrooms and technology, investing in spaces to create learning environments and creating counseling suites. Ms. Hutchison showed the committee pictures of career tech classrooms improvements at Carver, Monroe, Webster Middle and High, and McLain High School. Ms. Hutchison presented pictures of the career connected classroom at the Webster agriculture hydroponics and aquaponic labs. Ms. Hutchison shared plans for expanding the counseling centers at middle and high schools for a more provide and welcoming space. Ms. Hutchison answered questions from committee members.

Mr. Shaw made a motion to adjourn the meeting, the motion was made, seconded, and passed unanimously. The meeting was adjourned at 12:52 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Madeline Carter