

**Strafford R-VI Board of Education
Regular Meeting
March 18, 2025**

Vice President Kim Edwards called the public meeting to order at 6:00pm. Those present were Kim Edwards, Scott Kraus, Luke Rhodes, Brian Smithson, Ashley VanHorn, Dr. Mark Hedger, Dr. Michelle Gardner, Dr. Ashley Bough, Marci Brown, Doug Fields, CJ August, Marcy Easterly, Shauna Wiertzema, Brad Sellers, John Luce, Kristi Taylor and Jacob Taylor. ABSENT: Dan MacLachlan and Brandon Taylor.

The Board and attendees observed a moment of silence and stated the Pledge of Allegiance.

The motion was made by Ashley VanHorn to approve the agenda as presented. Scott Kraus seconded. Carried 5-0.

Doug Fields introduced and recognized FBLA State Qualifiers. Dr. Hedger recognized the Board of Education for Board of Education Month.

John Luce gave an update on construction projects. Brad Sellers reviewed the Maintenance Report with the Board. Brad Sellers and John Luce left the meeting at 6:15pm.

The motion was made by Brian Smithson to approve the following items on the consent agenda:

- Approval of the February 20, 2025 Minutes;
- Approval of Bills and Payroll;
- \$0 Transfer from General Revenue Fund to Special Revenue Fund;
- Treasurer's Report;
- Monthly Personnel Report;
- 2025 Summer School;
- Authorization to seek bids for gas, diesel, bread, milk and pizza;
- Set the May 2025 Board meeting for May 15, 2025 at 6:00pm.

Luke Rhodes seconded. Carried 5-0.

The motion was made by Brian Smithson to employ all certified staff for the 2025-26 school year except Katherine Gibson. Ashley VanHorn seconded. Carried 5-0. The motion was made by Ashley VanHorn to employ Katherine Gibson as a teacher for the 2025-26 school year. Brian Smithson seconded. Carried 4-0-1 (Kim Edwards).

The motion was made by Brian Smithson to approve the Memorandum of Understanding with the City of Strafford for the community usage of the FEMA building. Scott Kraus seconded. Carried 5-0.

Administrator Reports were presented by Bailey Owens (ECC), Dr. Ashley Bough (Elementary), Marci Brown (Middle School), Doug Fields (High School) and CJ August (Special Education). The Registrar and Communications Reports were presented by Marcy Easterly. Dr. Mark Hedger presented the Superintendent Report including information regarding the HB 711 and potential staffing needs.

The motion was made by Kim Edwards to enter into executive session at 6:51pm as allowed under Section 610.021 (1), (2), (3), (6) for a closed meeting with closed record and closed vote discussions of Legal, Real Estate, Personnel and Pupil/Personnel. Ashley VanHorn seconded. YEA: Kim Edwards, Scott Kraus, Luke Rhodes, Brian Smithson and Ashley VanHorn. NAY: None. ABSENT: Dan MacLachlan and Brandon Taylor.

The Board came out of executive session at 7:23pm. The motion was made by Kim Edwards to adjourn. Luke Rhodes seconded. YEA: Kim Edwards, Scott Kraus, Luke Rhodes, Brian Smithson and Ashley VanHorn. NAY: None. ABSENT: Dan MacLachlan and Brandon Taylor.



Dan MacLachlan, President

Attested by:



Ashley VanHorn, Secretary

NOTICE OF OPEN PUBLIC MEETING
Section 610.020
Revised Statutes of Missouri
Meeting of the Board of Education of the Strafford R-VI School District

Notice is hereby given that an open public meeting of the Board of Education of the Strafford R-VI School District will be held at the place on the date and at the time set forth below, to wit;

PLACE: Board Room – Central Office
DATE: March 18, 2025
TIME: 6:00pm

1. Call to Order
Moment of Silence/Pledge of Allegiance
Approval of Agenda
Student/Staff Recognition

DISCUSSION ITEMS

2. Buxton Kubik Dodd Construction Update
3. Program Evaluations
 - a. Facilities/Maintenance

CONSENT ITEMS

4. Approval of February 20, 2025 Minutes
5. Approval of Bills and Payroll
6. Transfer from General Revenue Fund to Special Revenue Fund
7. Treasurer's Report
8. Monthly Personnel Report
9. Summer School
10. Authorization to Seek Bids for Gas, Diesel, Bread, Milk and Pizza
11. Set May 2025 Board Meeting Date

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS

12. Employment of Personnel
 - a. 2025-26 Certified Staff
13. Memorandum of Understanding – FEMA Community Usage

DISCUSSION ITEMS

14. Administrator Reports
15. Comments

EXECUTIVE SESSION: The following items will be discussed in executive session as allowed under Section 610.021 (1, 2, 3, & 6) for a closed meeting with closed record and closed vote.

16. Legal Matters
17. Pupil/Personnel
18. Personnel
19. Real Estate

February 28, 2025

Cash Balances:	Operating Funds	Teachers Funds	Debt Service Funds	Capital Proj Funds	Total
O'Bannon					
General Funds (3.2475%)	1,812,994.28	(708,571.30)			1,104,422.98
Money Market (3.2475%)	7,551,495.46				7,551,495.46
Revolving Funds (3.2475%)	10,000.00				10,000.00
CD (4.75%)	2,630,815.97				2,630,815.97
MOSIP					
MAX Account (4.24%)	871,603.83			1,954,527.17	2,826,131.00
Bond Account (4.24%)	288,757.00			736,213.40	1,024,970.40
Total Funds	13,165,666.54	(708,571.30)	0.00	2,690,740.57	15,147,835.81
Debt Service Act. (3.2475%)	343,167.91		2,623,913.49		2,967,081.40
Total Bank Funds	13,508,834.45	(708,571.30)	2,623,913.49	2,690,740.57	18,114,917.21
MOHEFA			2.78		2.78
Total Funds	13,508,834.45	(708,571.30)	2,623,916.27	2,690,740.57	18,114,919.99

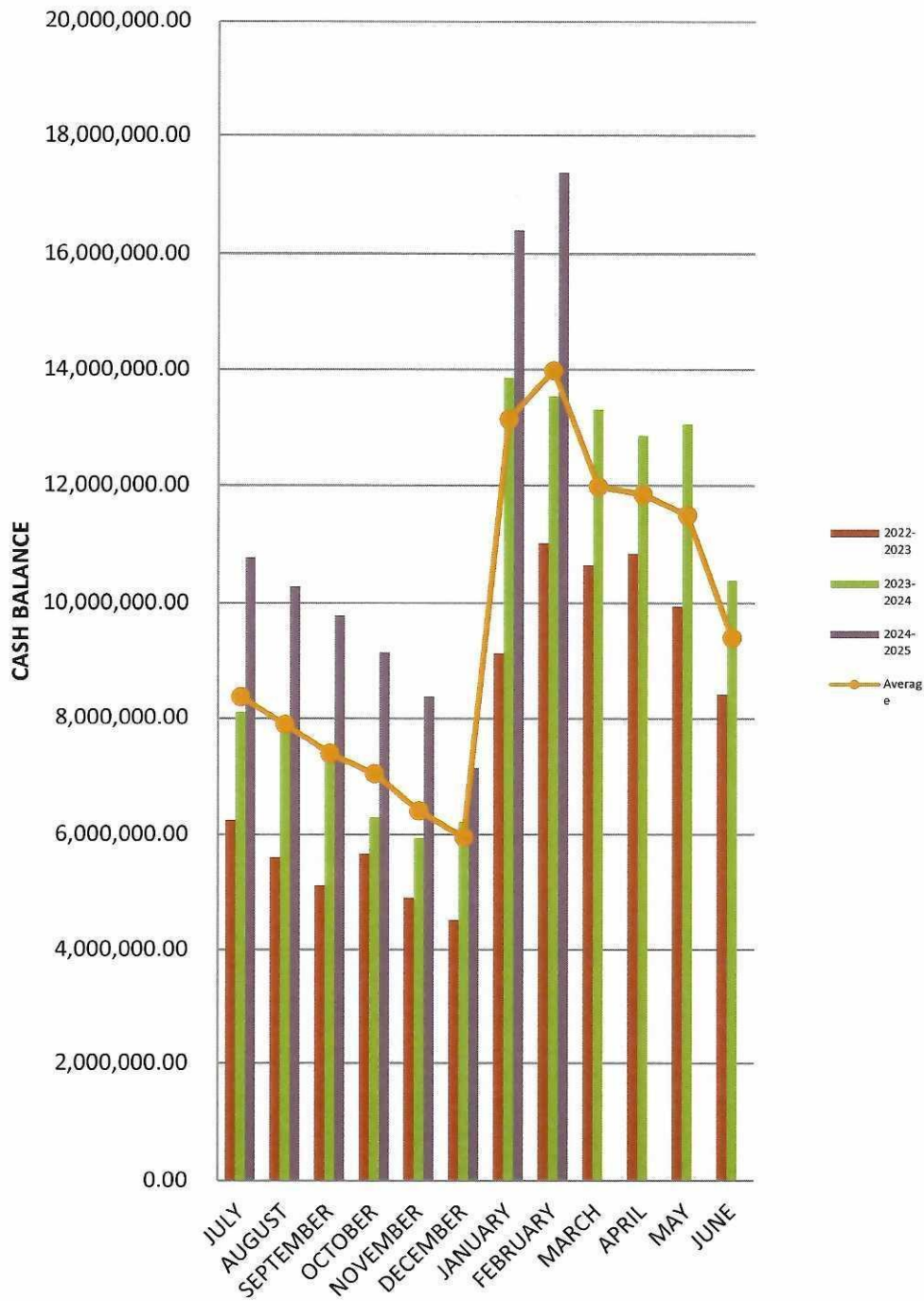
Fund Balances:

Operating Fund	Teachers Fund	Debt Service Fund	Capital Projects Fund	Total Fund Balances
13,508,834.45	(708,571.30)	2,623,916.27	2,690,740.57	18,114,919.99

	YTD	LYTD	Difference
Total Revenue	19,080,332.30	28,084,829.25	(9,004,496.95)
Total Expenditures	15,670,432.15	15,663,782.72	6,649.43

	Revenue	Expense
Local Revenue	1,420,575.73	550,132.78 Salaries and Benefits
County Revenue	(19,951.06)	159,806.63 Contracted Services
State Revenue	110,050.41	197,695.98 Supplies
Federal Revenue	(487,796.36)	(116,562.57) Equipment
Non Current Revenue (Bond)	(9,999,435.00)	(170,726.66) Bond Pmts & Int
Received From Other Districts	(27,940.67)	(613,696.73) Bond Issue & FEMA
	(9,004,496.95)	6,649.43

CASH FLOW COMPARISON W/O BOND MONEY OR MOHEFA



2023 BOND ISSUE

Date	Rev	Exp	Total	MOSIP Int	Grand Total
07/31/24	\$3,449,187.08	\$47,204.69	\$3,401,982.39	\$15,138.84	\$3,417,121.23
08/31/24		\$199,816.31	\$3,217,304.92	\$15,047.99	\$3,232,352.91
09/30/24		\$1,061,968.20	\$2,170,384.71	\$12,392.32	\$2,182,777.03
10/31/24		\$433,306.60	\$1,749,470.43	\$8,807.72	\$1,758,278.15
11/30/24		\$1,965.50	\$1,756,312.65	\$6,806.77	\$1,763,119.42
12/31/24		\$719,136.83	\$1,043,982.59	\$6,752.87	\$1,050,735.46
01/31/25		\$34,198.30	\$1,016,537.16	\$5,072.60	\$1,021,609.76
02/28/25		\$288,757.00	\$732,852.76	\$3,360.64	\$736,213.40
03/31/25			\$736,213.40		\$736,213.40
04/30/25			\$736,213.40		\$736,213.40
05/31/25			\$736,213.40		\$736,213.40
06/30/25			\$736,213.40		\$736,213.40
		\$2,786,353.43		\$73,379.75	



**Strafford R-VI School District
Personnel Report
March 2025**

PROFESSIONAL / CERTIFIED STAFF

Resignations/Retirements:		
Name	Position	Notes
Ashley Evans	HS Business	Resigning end of 2024-25 School Year
Eric DeRossett	HS Special Education	Resigning end of 2024-25 School Year
Ronda White	8th Grade ELA Teacher	Resigning end of 2024-25 School Year

Hiring Recommendations:		
Name	Position	Notes
Brianna Eisenbarth	High School Counselor	2025-26 School Year
Dusty Killingsworth	Activities Director	2025-26 School Year
Megan Lannholm	Process Coordinator	2025-26 School Year

Transfer Recommendations:		
Name	Position	Notes
<i>None</i>		

Extra Duty Recommendations:		
Name	Position	Notes
<i>None</i>		

SUPPORT STAFF

Resignation/Retirement/Separation:		
Name	Position	Notes
Christine Muenks	High School Paraprofessional	Retiring end of the 2024-25 School Year
Trish Triplett	Athletics & HS Administrative Assistant	Retiring end of the 2024-25 School Year

Transfer Recommendations:		
Name	Position	Notes
<i>None</i>		

Hiring Recommendations:		
Name	Position	Notes
Megan Tiller	Long-Term Substitute	2024-25 School Year

2025-26

TENURED TEACHERS

	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL ASSIGNMENT(S)
1	Alsup	Jesse	MS 8th Grade Science
2	Baker	Greg	HS Social Studies
3	Baker	Rachel	HS Math
4	Bates	Bailey	1st Grade
5	Bean	Dale	EL Physical Education
6	Best	Danni	EC PACE
7	Bowie	Kim	EC Special Education
8	Branagh	Shannon	EL 4th Grade
9	Burger	Ashlee	PAT
10	Crocker	Casey	EL 4th Grade
11	Daily	Melisa	Title I Math
12	Darnell	Brooke	EL 2nd Grade
13	Davis	Jodi	HS English
14	Ferguson	Ashley	EL 1st Grade
15	Gallagher	Charlotte	EL Art
16	Gibson	Katherine	HS Speech Theatre
17	Goings	Stephanie	EL Title I Reading
18	Grass	Brenda	HS Counselor
19	Hannaford	Chuck	MS Spec Ed
20	Hashagen	Jessica	EL Math Interventionist
21	Hayes	Malu	HS Spanish
22	Hester	Tim	MS/HS Physical Education
23	Hill	Alicia	MS Reading Interventionist
24	Hurtgen	Jamie	EL 3rd Grade
25	King	Lisa	MS 8th Grade Social Studies
26	Lawler	Suzanne	MS 5th Grade
27	Lee	Russell	HS/MS Band
28	Lee	Melinda	EC Pre-K
29	Luebbe	Aaron	HS/MS Art
30	Lundien	Erika	MS 7th Grade Social Studies
31	Lyons	Courtney	EL 1st Grade
32	Maness	Charlie	EC Preschool
33	Masengill	Jerry	MS 5th Grade
34	Matthews	Jennifer	EL 6th Grade Reading
35	McMain	Troy	HS Social Science
36	Meadows	Julie	MS 5th Grade
37	Miller	Brianna	EL 2nd Grade
38	Moos	Cassandra	EL 1st Grade
39	Morris	Melisa	EL Librarian
40	Mullings	Rodney	HS/MS Physical Education
41	Orchard	Vanessa	MS 6th Grade English
42	Penland	Emily	EL 1st Grade

	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL ASSIGNMENT(S)
43	Peterson	Chris	HS Science
44	Poynor	Valerie	HS Journalism
45	Pulliam	Bradley	HS Science
46	Rear	Cindy	HS/MS Physical Education & Health
47	Reed	Cassie	EC Preschool
48	Robnett	Michele	Curriculum Director
49	Ryerson	Tyler	Student Success Coordinator
50	Samuel	Laura	EL 3rd Grade
51	Stone	Jennifer	EL Music
52	Tillery	Korry	EL STEM
53	Tindle	Tracy	EL Instructional Coach
54	Trevarthen	Tara	EL 4th Grade
55	Wade	Dacia	EL 2nd Grade
56	Williams	Curtis	HS Mathematics
57	Williams	Jessica	HS Library
58	Williams	Andrea	Gifted
59	Williams	Mandy	MS 7th Grade Math
60	Willis	Christy	EL Counselor

TENURED TEACHERS 25-26

	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL ASSIGNMENT(S)
61	Breedlove	Justin	HS PE
62	Cooper	Shasdene	HS English
63	Curtman	Becky	EL Special Education
64	Parton	Daisy	EC Interventionist
65	Rogers	Eric	HS VoAg
66	Stephens	Jeremy	HS English

PROBATIONARY TEACHERS

	LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	INITIAL ASSIGNMENT(S)
67	Ames	Andrew	MS Science
68	Bartley	Nancy	EL Spec Ed
69	Beushausen	Ciara	EL 3rd Grade
70	Breedlove	Brielle	MS Counselor
71	Burghardt	Nicholas	MS PE
72	Call	Sarah	EL 4th Grade
73	Davidson	Austin	EL 3rd Grade
74	Diaz	Renae	MS Counselor
75	Dilbeck	Ally	EL Kindergarten
76	Dorrell	Rebecca	MS 5th Grade
77	Eden	Logan	HS Science
78	Erisman	Brittany	EL Special Education
79	Foley	Hunter	EL Counselor
80	Fox	Michelle	EC/EL
81	Gettle	Debby	EL Kindergarten
82	Gretlien	Emma	EL 2nd Grade
83	Harris	Bethany	EL Kindergarten
84	Hicks-Davis	Sydney	EL 2nd Grade
85	Highley	Emily	EL Kindergarten
86	Jensen	Ally	EL Reading Intervention
87	King	Taylor	EL 4th Grade
88	Lyons	William	HS Counselor
89	McGlaughlin	Katelyn	MS Art
90	McKarus	Hailey	MS 7th Grade ELA
91	Morey	Garrett	MS 8th Grade Math
92	Muncy	Jamie	PK Teacher
93	O'Callaghan	Sarah	HS FACS
94	Perryman	Brooke	EC Pre K
95	Perryman	Cleave	HS Special Education
96	Rear	Chloe	HS Social Studies
97	Rogers	Amanda	MS 6th Grade Math
98	Rounsaville	Stephanie	EL 3rd Grade
99	Smith	Robert	HS Math
100	Standefer	Gary	MS Spec Ed
101	Taylor	Dalton	EL Behavior
102	Townlien-Alexander	Terri	MS Spec Ed
103	Turner	Melissa	EL Kindergarten
104	White	Matthew	Psychological Examiner P/T
105	Yarberry	Taylor	MS 6th Grade Science