AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
EAST HELENA SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 9
TUESDAY, MAY 20th, 2025
EAST VALLEY MIDDLE SCHOOL
Meeting Starts at 6:00 PM

CALL TO ORDER

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

REVIEW OF AGENDA

HEAR THE PUBLIC

NEW BUSINESS

1. Consideration of non-resident student applications new to EHPS
2. (6:15 PM) Consideration of 3rd grade non resident application #113
3. (6:45 PM) Consideration of 4th grade non resident application #197
4. (7:15 PM) Consideration of 12th grade current non resident application #121
5. (7:45 PM) Consideration of 11th grade current non resident application #223

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FUTURE MEETING DATES AND AGENDA ITEMS

Regular Meeting - Monday, June 9th, 2025 at 5:30 PM - East Valley Middle School Library

Citizen Participation

All citizens are welcome and are encouraged to attend all meetings of the Board. In accordance with Montana Open Meeting Law (2-3-203, MCA) it is required that citizens have an opportunity to address the Board. All Board of Trustees meetings in which a quorum is present shall include an agenda item called 'Hear the Public.' The Board shall adopt the following guidelines for this agenda item.

Hear the Public:
Persons wanting to address the Board of Trustees on items not on the agenda can do so at this time.

a. Each person may address the Board at the time designated in the agenda by stepping to the front of the room or the podium, giving their name and address in an audible tone of voice for the record. Each individual shall limit his/her comments to the Board to three (3) minutes.
b. All remarks shall be addressed to the Board only and NOT to any member of the Board, staff or audience.
c. No person, other than the Board and the person having the floor, shall be permitted to enter into any discussion either directly or through a member of the Board, without the permission of the Presiding Officer.
d. No questions shall be directed towards any individuals except through the Presiding Officer.
e. Under Rules of Order, questions cannot be answered by the Board, only heard. The Board is not under any obligation to respond. It is illegal for the Board to take any action on the comments.
f. Speakers will not mention specific names of individuals in a public forum due to rights of privacy. Individual attacks will NOT be tolerated.
g. Comments made by the person addressing the Board do not represent the opinions of the Board, or staff and are only the expressed opinion of the speaker.

TUESDAY, MAY 20th, 2025 BOARD MEETING
TRUSTEE INFORMATION PACKET
East Valley Middle School
6:00 P.M.

HEAR THE PUBLIC

COMMENTARY: We will Adhere to the Board Guidelines as Noted on the Back of the Agenda.

SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Strictly an Information Item.

NEW BUSINESS

1. Consideration of non-resident student applications new to EHPS.

   COMMENTARY: I am recommending a batch approval of new non-resident applications at the following grade levels:

	Current Enrollment	# of sections	total # per section	EHPS Quality Standard
1st - 2 students new to EHPS	116	7	16.8	18
2nd - 4 students new to EHPS	127	8	16.3	18
3rd - 1 student new to EHPS	150	6	25.1	26
4th - 2 students new to EHPS	147	6	24.8	26
5th - NA	147	6	24.5	28
6th - 6 students new to EHPS	134			
7th - 1 student new to EHPS	163			
8th - 4 students new to EHPS	161			
9th - 9 students new to EHPS	176* at least 9 students departing			
10th - 2 students new to EHPS	150			
11th - 2 students new to EHPS	160			
12th - 2 students new to EHPS	146			

   Total 35 new students

   SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Action item. I Recommend Approval of the non resident students listed above.

2. Consideration of 3rd Grade Non Resident Application # 113

   COMMENTARY: The application is for a current 3rd grade student. The application is being recommended for denial on the basis of suspensions within the last 3 years.

   SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Action Item

3. Consideration of 4th Grade Non Resident application # 197

   COMMENTARY: The application is for a new 4th grade student. The application is being recommended for denial on the basis of suspensions within the last 3 years.

   SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Action item.

4. Consideration of 12th Grade Current Non Resident Application #121

   COMMENTARY: The application is for a current 12th grade student. The application is being recommended for denial on the basis of suspensions within the last 3 years.

   SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Information Item

5. Consideration of 11th Grade Current Non Resident Application #223

   COMMENTARY: The application is for a current 11th grade student. The application is being recommended for denial on the basis of attendance - truancy.

   SUPERINTENDENT'S RECOMMENDATION: Action Item

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