

VALLEY VIEW LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

APRIL 21, 2025

The Board of Education met in a regular session on April 21, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Valley View K-12 School Cafeteria, 6057 Farmersville-Germantown Pike, Germantown, Ohio.

ROLL CALL

By call of roll, the following members were present: Mr. Rudd, Ms. Griffith, Dr. Smith, Mr. Dillon, and Mr. Skidmore.

Also in attendance were Kyla McLaughlin, Student Representative, Ms. Andrea Cook, Superintendent, and Mrs. Valorie Hill, Treasurer.

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE

The Board President led the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS AND COMMUNICATIONS

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Kelsey Stratton 916 E Pearl St, Miamisburg

2025-071: MINUTES

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the minutes of the following Board of Education Regular Meeting – March 31, 2025.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

Erick Depew presented current progress on the building project.

FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

2025-072: FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the Financial Statements for the month ending March 31, 2025.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-073: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the following donations:

- Rebecca Bowman
- William Phillips
- James & Rebeca Wafzig

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2025-074: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the donation of a drone from Wendi Eshbaugh for the Media and Film Team which is listed for \$199.99.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-075: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the donation from the Valley View Athletic Boosters Club to be applied towards infield renovations for the High School baseball field for the upcoming season in the amount of \$14,450.00.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-076: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Skidmore and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the donation from the Valley View Athletic Boosters Club for the Softball PA system in the amount of \$792.90.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-077: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Dr. Smith and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the donation from The Dayton Regional STEM Center for the Valley View Junior High School to participate in the Full Throttle event in the amount of \$850.00.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-078: DONATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the donation of an AAC device (Via Pro11) to the Special Education classrooms from Paige Tablett.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-079: FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve a resolution reestablishing a Capital Projects Fund (USAS 070) for the purpose of accumulating resources for the acquisition, construction, or improvement of fixed assets and authorizing special cost centers therein; authorizing a Termination Benefits Fund (USAS 035) for the purpose of paying termination benefits or paying salaries when the number of pay periods exceeds the usual and customary for a year; and authorizing transfers to both of such funds.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2025-080: THEN AND NOW CERTIFICATIONS

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the following then and now certifications. The amount required to meet this obligation was in the treasury or in the process of collection:

Vendor: Prosource
Invoice Date: 1/31/2025
Purchase Order Date: 2/06/2025
Amount: \$10,112.88

Vendor: West Carrollton YMCA
Invoice Date: 2/27/2025
Purchase Order Date: 3/05/2025
Amount: \$3,276.00

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

NEW BUSINESS

2025-081: EXECUTIVE SESSION AMENDMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to amend the agenda to include an executive session for personnel and litigation.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-082: PERSONNEL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve personnel action as recommended.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-083: SPECIAL EDUCATION MODEL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the resolution to adopt Special Education Model Policies and Procedures.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-084: ATHLETIC/EXTRACURRICULAR HANDBOOK

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the changes to the athletic/extracurricular handbook.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-085: CONTRACT APPROVAL

A motion was made by Ms. Griffith and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the resolution awarding contract to Steve Rauch, Inc. for abatement and demolition of the Valley View Primary School.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2025-086: SCHOOL CLOSURE APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the resolution authorizing closure of the Valley View Primary School.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-087: FARM RENTAL AGREEMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Farm Rental Agreement.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-088: AMENDMENT APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the first amendment to the sports medicine services agreement with Kettering Adventist Healthcare d/b/a/ Dayton Sports Medicine Institute and Ketting Sports Medicine.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-089: LFI BUDGET APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to authorize 100% of the district's LFI budget to be committed to the OFCC project and authorizing the Superintendent and Treasurer to sign the LFI MOU summary to evidence the same.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-090: CHROMEBOOK PURCHASE APPROVAL

A motion was made by Dr. Smith and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the purchase of 285 Chromebooks from DCTS (Dayton Cincinnati Technology Services) supporting the district's One 2 World Program at a cost of \$97,215.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-091: POSITION DESCRIPTION

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the job description for a food service supervisor.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.

Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2025-092: BOARD POLICY APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the following board policies:

- 0131.1 - Technical Corrections
- 0142.1 - Oath
- 0171 - Review of Policy (RESCIND)
- 1422.01 - Drug-Free Workplace (NEW)
- 1613 - Student Supervision and Welfare
- 2271 - College Credit Plus Program
- 2340 - Field and Other District-Sponsored Trips
- 2430.02 - Participation of Community/STEM School Students in Extracurricular Activities
- 2431 - Interscholastic Athletics
- 2460 - Special Education
- 3213 - Student Supervision and Welfare
- 4213 - Student Supervision and Welfare
- 5113 - Inter-district Open Enrollment
- 5120 - Assignment Within District
- 5131 - Student Transfers (RESCIND)
- 5136 - Personal Communication Devices
- 5136.01 - Electronic Equipment
- 5223 - Released Time for Religious Instruction During the School Day
- 5330 - Use of Medications
- 5350 - Student Health, Well-Being, and Suicide Prevention
- 5460 - Graduation Requirements
- 5610 - Removal, Suspension, Expulsion, and Permanent Exclusion of Students
- 5751 - Parental Status of Students
- 5780 - Student/Parent Rights
- 5780.01 - Parents' Bill of Rights (NEW)
- 6560 - Vendor Relations
- 7421 - Restrooms, Locker Rooms, Shower Rooms, and Changing Rooms (NEW)
- 7440.01 - Video Surveillance and Electronic Monitoring
- 8142 - Criminal History Record Check for Contracted School Services
- 8451 - Pediculosis (Head Lice)
- 8452 - Automated External Defibrillators (AED) and Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-093: TRIP APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the 8th grade trip to Washington, D.C. for May 19-22, 2026. We will be changing travel companies from WorldStrides to 2 Teachers Travel for cost savings.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

2025-094: MAY, 2025 BOARD MEETING LOCATION

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to set the location for the remaining 2025 Board Meetings to 6027 Farmersville-Germantown Pike, in the cafeteria.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

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2025-095: EXECUTIVE SESSION

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 121.22(G)(1), a motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing personnel and potential litigation. Ms. Griffith, Mr. Rudd, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Skidmore, Dr. Smith, Mrs. Hill, and Ms. Cook entered into Executive Session at 6:16 p.m. Executive session ended at 6:35 P.M.
Call on motion: Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)

SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

Ms. Cook thanked the community for their recent donations, announced the launch of spring sports and encouraged attendance, welcomed Valerie Jones as our new middle school principal, stated that May is student recognition month, and expressed her excitement for preschool renovations that are currently taking place.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

2025-096: ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to adjourn the meeting at 6:42 P.M.
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.
Motion Passed (5 yes)



Treasurer



Board-President