NEW PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF EDUCATION

May 12, 2025

The Regular Session of the New Philadelphia Board of Education was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Gallentine at East Elementary with the following members present: Ms. Fontana, Mr. Gallentine, Mr. MacMath, Mr. Ricklic and Mrs. Schrock. Also present were Mrs. Erwin, Mrs. Wentworth and Mr. Williams.

Approval of Agenda 44-25

Mr. MacMath moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the regular Board Meeting agenda including the additions or deletions to the agenda.

Roll call:	Ayes:	MacMath, Fontana, Gallentine, Ricklic, Schrock	(5)
	Nays:		(0)

Motion carried.

Minutes 45-24

Mr. MacMath moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the minutes of the Special Meeting dated April 7, 2025 and the Regular Meeting dated April 14, 2025.

Roll call:	Ayes:	MacMath, Fontana, Gallentine, Ricklic, Schrock	(5)
	Nays:		(0)

Motion carried.

Building Spotlight – New Philadelphia High School

Principal Ryan Range introduced the OCC Leadership team. Mr. Coughlin and Mr. Kandel are the advisors.
Students were nominated to be in the club (65-70 students). Seniors, Mark Proctor and Aiden Mathews, both attended the meeting and spoke about the club. Some of the community projects that the club did were Socktober, Leaf raking (25 yards) and Blessings in a Backpack.

Recognition: The Treasurer's Department were awarded the Auditor of State Award.

Public Participation:
Mr. Joe Morris addressed the Board regarding his claim of abuse allegations that were not promptly addressed, detailing how their own reports about a former Band Assistant were allegedly ignored for months. He cited emails and conversations with district officials, criticized the administration's response, and expressed concern for student safety. Mr. Morris urged the school board to reform how abuse allegations are handled and supports changes to protect students and encourage future reporting. Mr. Morris acknowledged personal fallout but emphasized his intent was solely to protect children.

Treasurer's Report 46-25

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the following items under the Treasurer's Report.

The Treasurer presented the Five-Year Forecast

A. Approval of the April 2025 Financial Statement - Financial Report
B. Approval of FY 2025 Key Indicator Report - Key Indicator
C. Approval of the Cash Flow Report - Cash Flow
D. Approve the Check Register. - Check Register
E. Approval of the Bank Reconciliation - Bank Rec
F. Approval of the Resolution for a Huntington National Bank Credit Card. - Resolution
G. Approve the Purchase of 312 Dawson Lane in the amount of $65,000 plus closing costs. - Agreement
H. Approval of the Shared Use Agreement with Tuscarawas County Board of DD for the Garage at 518 Church St SW for Bus Washing only in the amount of $425 per month. - Bus Garage
I. Approve the agreement with For The Win! Custom Courts and Gyms in the amount of $11,496 for the MS Scoreboard. - Agreement
J. Approve the Johnson Control Service Agreement in the amount of $3,987.00. - Agreement

K. Approve the Scope of Work Agreement with Koorson Fire and Security in the amount of $26,015.93. - Agreement
L. Approve the Agreement with Nature's Classroom for 6th Grade Camp. - Agreement
M. Approve FMLA for Rick Ricer beginning April 11,2025.
N. Approve the following donations:

Quaker Club	$ 6,349	Press Box HVAC
Tuscarawas Insurance Agency	$ 200	RESA Banquet
Quaker Ladies	$ 1,700	Volleyball Locker Room
NP Band Boosters	$30,624	New Band Trailers

O. Approve the Amended Certificate of Estimated Revenues for FY25 as follows:

PI (003)	$175,000.00
Special Trust (007)	$ 17,000.00
Public School Support (018)	$ 4,150.00
Tournament (022)	$ 5,000.00

P. Approve the Amended Appropriations for FY25 as follows:

Food Service (006)	$ 200,000.00
Public School Support (018)	$ 1,750.00
Title IV (584)	$ 1,255.08

Q. Approve the Five-Year Forecast as presented. - Forecast and Notes

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Treasurer's Report 47-25

Mrs. Schrock moved, Mr. MacMath seconded to approve the following items under the Treasurer's Report.

R. Approve the **RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD TO PARTICIPATE IN THE OHIO FACILITIES CONSTRUCTION COMMISSION CLASSROOM FACILITIES ASSISTANCE PROGRAM - Resolution**

Roll call: Ayes: Schrock, MacMath, Fontana, Gallentine, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Personnel 48-25

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mr. MacMath seconded to approve the following items under personnel.

Personnel
Retirement
Erica Andrews - Title 1 Teacher, East Elementary - Effective 5/30/2025
Jeff Furbay - High School Music Teacher - Effective end of the 2024-2025 School Year
Laurie Hall- Preschool Director/Federal Funds Coordinator - Effective 6/30/2025

Resignations
Lynnette Cox - Cook II, NPHS - Effective 4/25/2025
Wanda Lantzer - Transportation Aide - Effective 4/28/2025
Larry Campbell - Class III Custodian, NPHS - Effective 5/30/2025
Hunter Bradley - 4th Grade Teacher, West - Effective end of the 2024-2025 School Year
Judith Ren - Paraprofessional, East - Effective end of the 2024-2025 School Year
Kelly Hayman - FSW1, West - Effective end of the 2024-2025 School Year

Certified 2024-2025
Teresa Young - Alternative Instruction - 5 hrs/wk - $31.88 per hr
Lorrie Richardson - Extended School Year (ESY) - $31.88 per hr

Classified 2024-2025
Sherry Dyer - Cook II, NPHS - 4 hrs/day - Step 0 - $14.31 per hr - (pending background/onboarding)
Jeremy Gerber - Class III Custodian, NPHS - 4 hrs/day - Step 0 - $15.99 per hr - Effective 5/19/2025

Supplementals 2024-2025
Rescind Leslie Seats - Washington DC Trip Coordinator - $615
Hire Leslie Seats - Washington DC Trip Coordinator - $1,026

Summer Custodial Help $10.70 per hr Effective 6/2/2025
Teresa Blackwell

Certified 2025-2026
Elaina Wertz - Kindergarten Teacher, East - 0 yrs Exp. - BS - $42,185 - Effective 8/01/2025
(pending background & onboarding)

Correction - New Certified Two (2) Contracts Beginning 2025-2026, 26-27

Name:	Years Experience:	Degree:
Kaitlyn Jagunic	3	BS

Classified 2025-2026

Continuing Contracts Beginning 2025-2026

Darcie Anzolone	Kyle Barker	Holly Compher
Dawn Hoffmeyer	Christina Marshall	

2 Year Contracts Beginning 2025-2026, 2026-2027

April Anno	Ryan Anstine	David Bartles
Teresa Blackwell	Kara Bowersock	Becky Bullins
Casey Camburn	Mason Clarkson	Lacy Colletti
Jeremy Connor	Debora Cope	Rebecca Cox
Katrina Croft	Cindy Currey	Rita Davis
Lindsaye Dombrowski	Kyle Dunlap	Gabrielle Ewing
Kristy Frymyer	Zariah Grady	Cathy Grimm
Alan Grove	Kelly Hayman	Todd Hiller
Lezlie Lavery	Dominic Marini	Dorothy Martincic
Jessie McClanahan	Stacey Myers	Jeremy Page
Trisha Page	Amanda Pompey	Alexis Quillin
Holly Raderchak	Jonathan Ruiz	Brittany Russell
Brittany Ruth	Robert (BJ) Shalosky	Cheryl Shaw
Amber Sherer	Claudia Solorio	Brian Souders
Amber Stephens	Rachel Tomblin	Laryssa Truman
Danielle Trunk	Alice Vermillion	Tyler Weisel
Loraine White	Traci Wood	Madison Wright
JoAnn Zobenica		

1 Year Contracts Beginning 2025-2026

Jennie Arbogast	Rozalyn Belknap	Sandra Fait
Missy Milburn	Brittany Straley	

Supplementals 2025-2026
Wilma Mullet - Head Swim Coach - Level 2 - $8,437
Seth Watson - Assistant Boys Basketball - Level 4 - $5,484
Jill Rippeth - Advisor, Delphian Yearbook - Level 4 - $5,484
Greg Perkins - Co-Coordinator, Sports Film (Fall) - Level 4 - $2,742
Cheyenne Brown - Director, Color Guard - Level 5 - $4,219
Cheyenne Brown - Advisor, Kaleidoscope - Level 5 - $4,219
Chris Rhodes - Advisor, HS Speech & Debate - Level 6 - $3,797
Karleigh Mills - Coach, Cheerleading- JV - Level 6 - $3,797
Elena Philbrick - Coach, Cheerleading -8th Grade - Level 12 - $2,320
Jeff Phillips - Middle School Team Leader, Explos - Level 12 - $2,320
Heather Shapaka - Head Middle School Golf - Level 14 - $1,898
Brian Migoni - Advisor, Senior Class - Level 15 - $1,687
Jessica Felton - Advisor, Senior Class - Level 15 - $1,687
Jill Rippeth - Coordinator, Video Production QTV - Level 16 - $1,476

Supplementals 2025-2026 continued
Lindsey Palmer - Advisor, Academic Challenge - Level 16 - $1,476
Alyssa Bostic - High School Activity, Spanish Club - Level 21 - $422
Rod Tetzloff - After School Bus Duty, NPHS - 4 days Per Diem Rate - $1,995.91
Michelle Pipes - After School Bus Duty, Central - 4 days Per Diem Rate - $1,557.54
Lorrie Richardson - After School Bus Duty, Central - 4 days Per Diem Rate - $1,899.15
Shannon Meek - After School Bus Duty, Central - 4 days Per Diem Rate - $1,860.83
Becky Pallotto - Gifted Coordinator, 12 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $6,043
Jill Swinderman - Guidance Counselor, 15 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $5,816
Krista Ames - Guidance Counselor, 15 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $6,436
Christopher Tracy - Guidance Counselor, 15 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $5,364
Janna Leeper - Social Worker, 15 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $6,837
Lexi Begue - Social Worker, 15 Extended Days - Per Diem Rate - $4,383

Evaluation Committee - $1,266
Mary Beth Edwards

Substitute Teacher
Mega Snyder, Ariana Bair (Pending onboarding)

Volunteers
Heather Eiler, Jacob Hartzler, Sally McRobie, Emily Phillips

Athletic Volunteers
Logan Ford, Nick Shauf, Ryan Beach, Joe Petrullo, Dan Swinderman, Noah Begue, Marcus Mamarella, Michal Ross, Maggie Ridgway

Student Observations
Tyler McGonagle, Devin Lusk, Jessica Palmer, Piper Poole

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, MacMath, Fontana, Gallentine, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Committee/Representative Report

A. Business Advisory Council Information and Minutes

Assistant Superintendent's Report 49-25

Mrs. Schrock moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the items under the Assistant Superintendent's Report.

A. Approval of the QDA Financial Reports - Exhibit (1), (2), (3)
B. Approval of the QPA Financial Reports - Exhibit (1), (2), (3)

Roll call: Ayes: Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Superintendent's Report 50-25

Mr. MacMath moved, Mr. Gallentine seconded to approve the following items under the Superintendent's Report.

A. Approve the Class of 2025 Graduates
B. Approve the 2025-2026 Elementary Handbook
C. 1st Reading Board Policy IGBLA - Promoting Parental Involvement
D. Approve the non-routine field trip for the Speech and Debate Team to attend the National Competition.
E. 2nd Reading and Adoption Board Policies:
    a. BCE Board Committees
    b. BD School Board Meetings
    c. BDC Executive Sessions
    d. DECA Administration of Federal Grant Funds

e.	DID	Inventories (Fixed Assets)
f.	DJF	Purchasing Procedures
g.	DJF -R	Purchasing Procedures
h.	EDE	Computer/Online Services (Acceptable Use and Internet Safety)
i.	GBH(Also JM)	Staff/Student Relations
j.	GBQ	Criminal Records Check
k.	IGAH-IGAI	Family Life Education/Sex Education
l.	IGBA	Programs for Students with Disabilities
m.	IGCH-R (Also LEC-R)	College Credit Plus
n.	IJ	Guidance Program
o.	JECBB	Interdistrict Open Enrollment (Adjacent District)
p.	JGE	Student Expulsion
q.	JHC	Student Health Services and Requirements
r.	JHCA	Physical Examinations of Students
s.	JHCD-R-1	Administering Prescription Drugs to Students (General Regulation)
t.	JHCH	Administering Medicines to Students Version 1
u.	JHF	Student Safety
v.	JHG	Reporting Child Abuse and Mandatory Training
w.	JM (Also GBH)	Staff/Student Relations
x.	KBA	Public's Right to Know
y.	LEC-R (Also IGCH-R)	College Credit Plus

Roll call: Ayes: MacMath, Gallentine, Fontana, MacMath, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Executive Session 51-25

Mrs. Schrock moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve to go into Executive Session at 7:17 p.m..

To consider the investigation of charges/complaints against a public employee.

Roll call: Ayes: Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, MacMath, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Mr. MacMath moved, Mr. Ricklic seconded to adjourn the Executive Session at 8:08 p.m.

Roll call: Ayes: MacMath, Ricklic, Fontana, Gallentine, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Adjournment

Mr. MacMath moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:09 p.m.

Roll call: Ayes: MacMath, Schrock, Fontana, Gallentine, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

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President

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Attest