

The Delphos Board of Education met in regular session June 23, 2025 at 5:00 p.m. in the District Office

The following members were present:

Mrs. Lynn Bockey

Mrs. Rebecca Suever

Mr. Jason Grogg

Absent: Mrs. Tina Brinkman and Mrs. Karen Grothouse

The Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America was led by Mrs. Bockey.

Approval of Agenda

The Delphos City Schools Board of Education is being asked to consider several items together in one motion (following a consent agenda format). These items are presented under the "Treasurer's Report" and under the "Superintendent's Report" sections of this agenda. Board members should review these items and request any item(s) he or she would like to have considered separately removed from the consent recommendation and included for a separate Board decision.

Motion by Mr. Grogg

Seconded by Mrs. Suever

Roll call vote Mr. Grogg, Mrs. Suever and Mrs. Bockey, aye.

Nay, None.

Motion passes.

Treasurer's Report

Treasurer Laura Peters went over the agenda items with the board. She then went over the final FY25 appropriations and estimated revenues with the board and then presented the FY26 temporary appropriations and estimated revenues noting these are to allow for spending and receipt of money to start the new fiscal year and that these will be changing over the new fiscal year as receipts and expenditures change. Mrs. Peters also spoke briefly on the new expected biennium budget and some of the concerns that schools maybe facing. She also noted that the yearly receipt of credit card cash back was \$700.00

Treasurer: Consent Agenda Items

- A. Approve May 19, 2025, Regular Board of Education meeting minutes (Attachment A)
- B. Approve financial statements for the period May 1, 2025, through May 31, 2025
 - Payment of invoices for reporting period. (Attachment B)
 - Fund balance statement (Attachment C)
 - Cash Reconciliation worksheet (Attachment D)
 - Investment report (Attachment E)
 - Appropriation account summary and revenue account information reports (per email)
- C. Approve the additional pays for June. (Listed below)
Class Coverage: Ryan Fisher \$30

LPDC: Stephanie Braun 225.00, Chad Brinkman, \$75; Michelle Kroeger \$165; Megan Ryan \$75; Kay Wilhelm \$187.50
Special Education: Stephanie Braun \$229; Michelle Kroeger \$683.27
IEP's NPAS: Jacqueline Deitering \$700
Summer School: Bub Lindeman \$360; Heather Schnipke \$495
Mentor: Tammy Wirth \$900
Board Policy: Stephanie Braun \$137.40

- D. Approve the final appropriations and revenues for FY25
- E. Approve the temporary appropriations and estimated revenues for FY26
- F. Approve the renewal for the district's property, liability, vehicle, and cyber insurance with the Ohio School Plan offered through the Stolly Insurance Group
- G. Approve the annual Delphos Library Budget. (Attachment F)

Before we pass the consent resolution, are there any items you would like to move from the consent agenda to the regular agenda for further discussion and/or for separate voting purposes?

Motion by Mrs. Suever
Seconded Mr. Grogg

Roll call vote: Mrs. Suever, Mr. Grogg and Mrs. Bockey, ay.

Nay, None. Motion passed.

Superintendent's Report

Superintendent Jeff Hobbs introduced Franklin Principal Bob Hohlbein who informed the board on the summer projects being completed in the district. He then introduced new hire Ashley Crites who will be the begindergarden teacher for next school year.

Superintendent Hobbs then introduced new hires Allyson Hastings and Jessie Guerrero. He then went over the agenda items with the board.

Superintendent's Consent Agenda Items

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A. Employment

1. a. Certified Staff 1 Year Contract-pending certifications

- Kalie Ulm, MS, Math
- Allyson Hasting, MS Math
- Jesse Guerrero, HS Physical Education
- Ashley Jo Crites, Franklin, Begindergarten

b. Certified Staff 2 Year Contract

- Nicole Chiles, MS Guidance Counselor

2. a. Certified Supplementals and Extended Days

- Ashley Shroyer-Marching Band Director, Step 1
- Ashley Shroyer-Pep Band Director, Step 1

- Ashley Shroyer-Stage Band Director, Step 1
- Ashley Shroyer-Band, 8 days
- Scott Elwer-Vo-Ag Director, Step 2+
- Scott Elwer-Vo-Ag, 48 days
- Tamera Wirth-Musical Vocal Coach, Step 2+
- Tamera Wirth-Show Choir, Step 2+
- Tamera Wirth-Vocal Music, 5 days
- Megan Ryan-Assistant Band Director, Step 2+
- Megan Ryan-School Musical Director-Step 2+
- Michelle Kroeger-Special Education Coordinator, Step 2+
- Bub Lindeman-Head Girl's Track, Step 2+
- Denise Lindeman-Assistant Track Coach, Step 2+
- Rebekah Dubey-Jr High Boys Track, Step 2+
- Aubrey Fruchey-Volunteer Track Coach
- Kelsey Berelsman-Jr. High Girl's Track, Step 2+
- Tony Wiechart-Accompanist-Musical Step 0
- Elizabeth Beaubien-Co-Senior Class Advisor, Step 2+
- Lisa Ricker-Co-Senior Advisor, Step 0
- Kay Wilhelm-Co-Junior Class Advisor, Step 2+
- Jeff Rex-Co-Junior Class Advisor, Step 2+
- Kelsie Gillespie-Co-Sophomore Class Advisor, Step 2+
- Rebekah Dubey-Co-Sophomore Class Advisor, Step 2+
- William Reid-Co-Freshman Class Advisor, Step 2
- Josh Hilgenberg-Co-Freshman Class Advisor, Step 2
- Kelsie Gillespie-Co-Student Council Advisor, Step 1
- Kristi Jones-Co-Student Council Advisor, Step 0
- Kay Wilhelm-Prom, Step 2+
- Elizabeth Beaubien-Yearbook, Step 2+
- Amanda Smith-Spanish Club Advisor, Step 2+
- Rebekah Dubey-Quiz Bowl Advisor, Step 2+
- Alicia Koester-Co-MS Student Council (SWAG), Step 2+
- Brittany Brennehan-Co-MS Student Council (SWAG), Step 2+

2. a. Certified Resignations

- Joe Dellinger, MS Teacher
- Amber Pohlman, Franklin Teacher
- Chad Brinkman, Jefferson HS Principal
- Kristin Gable, Jefferson HS Teacher

3. a. Classified Staff 1 Year Contract

- Lorie Honigford, 2nd Shift Custodian Jefferson HS beginning June 14, 2025
- Emily Nicole Pierre Bravo, District ESL Aide
- Kelly Ardner, Franklin 3 Hour Cook

b. Classified Staff 2 Year Contract

- Roxanne Utrup, MS Aide
- Courtney Spieles, MS Secretary

- Mike Knott, Bus Driver
- Cosette Ridenour, Franklin Aide

4. a. Classified Supplementals

- Chase Goss-Band Flag Corp, Step 2
- Chase Goss-American Sign Language Interpreter Stipend
- Melissa Knepper-Business Manager Musical, Step 2+
- Doug Geary-Head Softball Coach, Step 2+
- Aleigh Hellman-Assistant Softball Coach, Step 2
- Damon Joseph-Volunteer Softball Coach
- Michelle Schuerman-Volunteer Softball Coach
- Eric Kerner-Volunteer Softball Coach
- Kyrstin Moore-Volunteer Softball Coach
- Eric Wallace-Head Boys Track, Step 2+
- Eric Wallace-Volunteer Indoor Track Coach
- Todd Miller-Varsity Wrestling Coach, Step 0

5. a. Classified Resignations

- Barb Haggard, Bus Driver
- Michelle Kayser, DSJ NAPS Clerk
- Diana Mullen, Franklin Cafeteria

B. Approve the Athletic Handbook for the 2025-2026 school year as presented.

C. Approve the Preschool Handbook for the 2025-2026 school year as presented.

D. Accept the Following Donations:

- \$2,000 from the Curtis D Schwinnen Memorial for Scholarships
- \$1,000 from the VFW Post 3035 for Wildcat Warriors
- \$25,000 from the Jefferson Athletic Boosters to the Athletic Department
- \$25,000 from the Jefferson Athletic Boosters to the team accounts

E. Approve the OSBA new/revised policies: (Attachment G)

Approve the OSBA revised policy:

- 1) First reading of the Resolution pertaining to HB 33 Legislative changes impacting ODE and SBOE.

RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE AND DIRECT OSBA TO MAKE RECOMMENDED POLICY CHANGES IN LIGHT OF HB 33 LEGISLATIVE CHANGES IMPACTING ODE AND SBOE

WHEREAS, the Board of Education authorized the Ohio School Board Association (OSBA) to commence a thorough review of individual board policies to identify those policies requiring updates due to the new HB 33 legislative requirements impacting the Ohio Department of Education and State Board of Education; and

WHEREAS, OSBA created a chart for the Board outlining the specific policy sections that require updates and provided a summary of the proposed language changes for each affected policy; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Board adopts the recommended policy modifications outlined on the attached "Recommended Policy Updates" chart with an immediate effective date; and

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Board authorizes and directs OSBA to make the recommended policy modifications set forth above and outlined on the attached "Recommended Policy Updates" chart.

This resolution shall take effect immediately upon approval.

2) First Reading of the OSBA Policy

Rescinding the following:

- JED-R: Student Absences and Excuses

Updates to the following:

- JED: Student Absences and Excuses
- JFCJ: Weapons in the School
- JECE: Student Withdrawal from School
- JEDA: Truancy
- IGBLA: Promoting Parental Involvement

F. Approve the following LPDC meeting dates for the 2025-2026 school year:

September 9, 2025

October 14, 2025

February 3, 2026

May 5, 2026

G. Approve Jefferson HS Boys Basketball Overnight Trip to Hope College in Hope, Michigan.

H. Approve the establishment of a (035) Termination Benefits fund in accordance with Ohio Revised Code Section 5705.13(B). (Attachment H)

I. Approve the establishment of a capital projects fund (the "Capital Projects Fund," Fund 070-9501) to be used for the purpose of accumulating resources for the acquisition, construction, and/or improvement of fixed assets including maintenance and repairs. (Attachment I)

J. Approve the purchase of security cameras and installation from Waltz Business Solutions.

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Motion Mr. Grogg
Seconded Mrs. Suever

Roll call vote: Mr. Grogg, Mrs. Suever and Mrs. Bockey, aye.

Nay, None. Motion passed.

Committee Reports

1. Operations, Budget, and Fiscal Affairs no report at this time.
2. Community, Communications and Strategic Planning no report at this time
3. Student Life, Athletics and Alumni Mrs. Suever reported that the alumni dinner celebrating 150 years of graduating classes was well attended and that it was a very nice event.
4. Personnel, Policy, and Governance current updates are on the agenda.
5. Vantage Career Center Mrs. Suever reported that Vantage is looking at an increase of students again this year.

WILDCAT “PAWS-ITIVIES” were given by Mr. Hobbs with a follow-up on the alumni dinner. He commended the class of 1968 who took charge of coordinating the event. He also recognized the Fraternal of Eagles for the nice job they also did to make the event a success. He also congratulated the newest inductees to the Hall of Honor as well as thanking Mrs. Suever for her help with getting the group on Facebook. Mr. Hohlbein gave a shout out to the maintenance crew for all of their hard work this summer. He also was very pleased with the summer help and their attendance this year.

Mrs. Tina Brinkman entered at 5:40 pm.

ADJOURNMENT

It is recommended that the Board move to adjourn the June 23, 2025, regular meeting of Delphos City Schools Board of Education at the time of 5:44 pm.

Motion by Mrs. Brinkman
Seconded Mr. Grogg

Roll call vote Mrs. Brinkman, Mr. Grogg, Mrs. Suever and Mrs. Bockey, aye.

Meeting adjourned.

Next meeting will be a special meeting held at June 30, 2025 at 5:00 pm and the regular meeting is June 30, 2025 at 5:00 pm in the District Office.

President, Lynn Bockey

Treasurer, Laura A. Peters