WADSWORTH CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION

WADSWORTH, OHIO

SPECIAL MEETING
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, 2025, 5:00 P.M.
WADSWORTH HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER (625 BROAD ST.)

AGENDA

I. Call to Order

II. Pledge of Allegiance

III. Roll Call

IV. Motion for Approval and Signing of Minutes

V. Administrative Items

A. Personnel Items

1. Employments (Recommendations are contingent upon each individual receiving his/her license from the State Board of Education, with a license effective date of July 1, 2025, if he/she does not already have the said license and successfully meets all other pre-employment requirements of the board.)

a) Non-teaching Employees

(1) Melissa Ewolski, eff. 8/27/2025
(2) Sladjana Marinkovic, eff. 8/26/2025
(3) Pam Noel, eff. 8/25/2025
(4) Lauren Ratajczyk

b) Classified Substitutes

(1) Cory Moehring, eff. 9/2/2025
(2) Christine Race, eff. 8/26/2025
(3) Darlene Ware, eff. 9/2/2025

c) Supplemental Contracts

(1) Beth Beal, Prevention Specialist

VI. Board Member Items

A. Ratification of Resignations

1. Andrea Palidar, Playground Aide position only, eff. 8/21/2025
2. Jessica Widmer, eff. 9/27/2025

VII. Discussion: Strategic Plan 2026-2030

VIII. Adjournment

Upon request to the Superintendent, the District shall make reasonable accommodations for a person with a disability to be able to participate in this activity.

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Agenda Detail Sheet

V. Administrative Items

A. Personnel Items

1. Employments

a) Non-teaching Employees

(1) Melissa Ewolski: Ms. Ewolski is being recommended to fill the special education aide position at Wadsworth Middle School left open when Mr. James Atakan moved to another position within our school district.

(2) Sladjana Marinkovic: Ms. Marinkovic is being recommended to fill the aide position at Wadsworth Intermediate School left open by the resignation of Ms. Michelle Wooley.

(3) Pam Noel: Ms. Noel is being recommended to fill a bus driver position left open by the retirement of Mr. Ron Hart and an aide position at Valley View Elementary School left open by the resignation of Ms. Meredith Antal.

(4) Lauren Ratajczyk: Ms. Ratajczyk is being recommended to fill the aide position at Valley View Elementary School left open when Ms. Christiane Matter-Risha resigned.

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS
WADSWORTH CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Minutes of Special Meeting Date: August 21, 2025

The Wadsworth City Board of Education met in Special Session on Thursday, August 21, 2025, at **5:00** P.M at Wadsworth High School Media Center, 625 Broad Street.

ROLL CALL

Present	Gordon, McComas, Batey, Stevens, Beck
Absent	
Administrators	4
Staff	0
Visitors	2

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

25-08-121 APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

The motion was made by **McComas**, seconded by **Stevens**, to approve the following Board of Education Meeting Minutes:

Special Meeting August 14, 2025

VOTE: Yea - McComas, Batey, Stevens, Beck, Gordon
Nay - None Motion Carried,

ADMINISTRATIVE ITEMS

25-08-122 Upon the recommendation of Superintendent Hill, the motion was made by **Stevens**, seconded by **Batey**, to adopt the Personnel Items from the August 21, 2025, Special Meeting, as presented:

A. **PERSONNEL ITEMS**

1. Employments

(Recommendations are contingent upon each individual receiving his/her license from the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, with a license effective date of July 1, 2025, if he/she does not already have the said license and successfully meeting all other pre-employment requirements of the Board.)

a) Certified Employee

Angela Wooldridge Long-Term Substitute Tutor

b) Non-Teaching Employees

Scott Back	
Jyll Cooper	(eff. 08/20/25)
Carrie Moore	
Melissa Pride	(eff. 08/20/25)
Marilena Sciddurio	(eff. 08/20/25)

c) Classified Substitutes

Jennifer Carlson	
Renee Kozma	(eff. 08/20/25)
Thomas Oplinger	

d) Supplemental Contracts

Meghan Barker	Elementary Student Council
Amy Casey	Bus Ramp Duty
Sarah Crowley	RTI Member (Franklin)
Nicole Daniel	RTI Member (Lincoln)
Kalyn Davis	Co-Director, WMS Musical
Jessica Ely	Crossing Guard Supervisor
Jessica Gabor	RTI Chair (Lincoln)
Louden Gordon	Weight Room Supervisor (Fall)
Kelly Laib	RTI Member (Franklin)
Alex Mangano	Co-Director, WMS Musical
Joanna Snitil	RTI Member (Franklin)
Carly Willis	RTI Member (Lincoln)
	Bus Ramp Duty

e) Matthew Saunders — Home Instructor

VOTE: Yea – Batey, Stevens, Beck, Gordon, McComas
Nay – None Motion Carried,

25-08-123 Upon the recommendation of Superintendent Hill, the motion was made by **McComas**, seconded by **Beck**, to adopt the Action Consent Items from the August 21, 2025, Special Meeting, as presented:

B. **ACTION CONSENT ITEMS**

1. Recommendation to determine that the following students are impractical to transport for the 2025-2026 school year:

Lillian Prince	Hametown Christian Academy
Olivia Prince	Hametown Christian Academy
Josephine Redmond	Hametown Christian Academy
Lily Redmond	Hametown Christian Academy

2. Recommendation to approve the Agreement between Magic Gives Back and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education. **(ATTACHED)**

3. Recommendation to approve the Memorandum of Understanding for Medina County MHRB Participation in the Share Coalition Collaborative. **(ATTACHED)**

4. Recommendation to approve the Memorandum of Understanding, 2025-26, between the Tri-County Educational Service Center and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education. **(ATTACHED)**

5. Recommendation to approve the Performance License, Video License, and Performance License Addendum between MTI Enterprises, Inc. and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education. **(ATTACHED)**

6. Recommendation to approve the Eldridge Plays & Musicals Terms of Use. **(ATTACHED)**

7. Recommendation to approve the Performance Licensing Agreement between Stage Partners and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education. **(ATTACHED)**

8. Recommendation to approve the Agreement between Playscripts, Incorporated and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education. **(ATTACHED)**

VOTE: Yea – Stevens, Beck, Gordon, McComas, Batey
Nay – None Motion Carried,

BOARD MEMBER ITEMS

25-08-124 The motion was made by **Batey**, seconded by **McComas**, to adopt the Board Member Items Ratification of Resignations from the August 21, 2025, Special Meeting, as presented:

A. **RATIFICATION OF RESIGNATIONS**

1.	Lynne Erjavec	Non-Teaching Employee	(eff. 08/14/25)
2.	Catherine Williams	Café Helper Position Only	

VOTE: Yea – Beck, Gordon, McComas, Batey, Stevens
Nay – None Motion Carried,

DISCUSSION: STRATEGIC PLAN 2026-2030

The Board of Education reviewed preliminary architectural plans for the High School/ Middle School Athletic and Grounds related to the committee work done in early 2025. Plans for a new athletic facility, as well as recommended improvements to the existing softball and baseball fields, and upgrades to the track stadium.

In addition, the Board reviewed proposed plans for additional parking at both Overlook and Valley View schools to improve site accessibility.

These facilities and infrastructure improvements were presented as key components of the District's next strategic plan. As part of the broader planning process, the Board also reviewed District-wide capital needs, including upgrades related to HVAC systems, roofing, maintenance, building infrastructure, transportation, and safety.

ADJOURNMENT

25-08-125 The motion was made by **McComas**, seconded by **Stevens**, to adjourn at **8:01** p.m.

VOTE: Yea – Gordon, McComas, Batey, Stevens, Beck
Nay – None Motion Carried,

(Signed)_____
Amanda Gordon, President

(Attested)_____
Douglas D. Beeman, Treasurer