

TAYLOR COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

August 11, 2025

6:00 PM

2705 Old Hodgenville Rd.
Campbellsville, KY 42718

Attendance Taken at 6:00 PM:

Present Board Members:

David Hall
Jason Cox
Misty Hafley
Tommy Raikes
Terry Kingsley

A. CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Order #22 - Motion Passed: Approval of the agenda as presented passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

C. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

Order #23 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Tommy Raikes and a second by Misty Hafley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

C.I. Approval of Minutes

C.II. Payments of Claims & Contract Salaries & Financial Reports

C.II.1. AP Check Reconciliation Register

C.II.2. AP Check Reconciliation Worksheet

C.II.3. Monthly Analysis

C.II.4. Monthly Financial Recap

C.II.5. Monthly Financial Report

C.II.6. Monthly Interest Rate

C.II.7. TCPC Financial Report

C.II.8. TCIS Financial Report

C.II.9. TCMS Financial Report

C.II.10. TCHS Financial Report

C.II.11. Food Service Financial Report

C.III. Report of Personnel Actions taken by the Superintendent

C.IV. Leave Requests

C.IV.1. FMLA Requests

C.IV.1.a. Request for FMLA/Maternity Leave - Employee #5296

C.V. Facility and Travel Request

C.V.1. August 15, October 17 & December 19, 2025, and January 16 & April 17, 2026, SKATC Monthly Director's Meeting, Pulaski County BOE, District Technology, K. Arnett

C.V.2. September 19 & November 21, 2025, and February 20 & May 14, 2026, SKATC Monthly Director's Meeting, Laurel County Garland Center, District Technology, K. Arnett

C.VI. Shortened School Day Waivers

C.VII. SBDM Minutes

C.VIII. Approval of TCIS fundraisers for 2025-2026.

C.IX. Superintendent Professional Growth Plan 2025-2026

D. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION OR APPROVAL

D.I. Approval of Pay Apps for the TCHS Phase VI Pool Project in the amount of \$451,759.51.

Order #24 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.II. Approval of Pay Apps for the TCHS Phase VI Extension in the amount of \$83,354.90.

Order #25 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Tommy Raikes and a second by Misty Hafley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.III. Approval of payment to Pitman Green LLC for the TCHS Phase VI Extension in the amount of \$2,255.00.

Order #26 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Misty Hafley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.IV. Approval to create a District Athletic Budget in the amount of \$15,000.

Order #27 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Misty Hafley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.V. Approval of Real & Personal Property Tax Rate for FY 25-26.

Rationale:

The Board recommended the 4% revenue increase for real & personal property, plus the exoneration on property taxes. The tax rate would decrease from the current 57.5 cents per \$100 of assessment to 57.0 cents for FY 25-26.

Order #28 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.VI. Policy and Procedure Update for 2025-2026 - 2nd Reading

Rationale:

These are the proposed changes recommended by KSBA that reflect new legal requirements, as well as "best practices".

*Also included, 2nd Reading - 09.123 Absences and Excuses

Order #29 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.VII. Approval of District Safety Plan 2025-2026.

Rationale:

Emergency Support Functions (ESFs) identified within this EOP provide specific responses for departments within the school district and define their responsibilities. Incident Specific Plans describe the response of school district personnel to specific incidents or occurrences. Support Plans describe procedures to be implemented to support ESF activities and/or incident specific responses.

Order #30 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Tommy Raikes.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.VIII. Approval of Agreement with KORT Physical Therapy to provide services for 2025-2026.

Order #31 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.IX. Approval of Memorandum of Agreement with Western Kentucky University for Dual Credit Program for 2025-2026.

Order #32 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Tommy Raikes.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.X. Approval of resolution to adopt the updated 5-Standard KASA Superintendent Effectiveness Framework.

Rationale:

This updated framework reduces the original seven standards to five, focusing on Strategic Leadership, Instructional Leadership, Cultural Leadership, Human Resource Leadership, and Operational Leadership.

Order #33 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.XI. Presentation of Data Security and Breach Practices/Procedures 2025-2026.

Rationale:

Kyle Arnett (Technology Director) addressed the board regarding the protection of Personally Identifiable Information and data in the event of a breach. Individuals with access via electronic and paper means are restricted and informed concerning data protection. The District utilizes Multi-factor Authentication, McAfee Anti-virus, as well as limiting the number of administrators with access to machines. A presentation of Data Security and Breach Practices to the Board is required annually.

D.XII. Approval of Taylor County Schools Trauma-Informed Care Plan 2025-2026.

Rationale:

Student learning across all Taylor County Schools will be strengthened through the consistent use of trauma-informed practices by all staff, fostering a greater sense of safety, care, and belonging for every student within the school community. The vision of our Trauma-Informed Care (TIC) Plan is to offer practical, effective strategies that positively impact both students and staff.

Order #34 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.XIII. Approval of Code of Pupil Conduct 2025-2026.

Order #35 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Tommy Raikes.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.XIV. Approval of Taylor County Schools bell schedules for the 2025-2026 school year.

Order #36 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

D.XV. Approval to advertise for bids for the TCHS Phase VI Extension Project.

Rationale:

The bid items will be for any materials, supplies, equipment, and contractual services over \$40,000 and will follow the bidding process according to state guidance.

Order #37 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Tommy Raikes and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

E. UPDATE/INFORMATION ON DISTRICT PROGRAMS/ACTIVITIES

E.I. Grant Report

F. NEW BUSINESS

G. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

G.I. Robert Braden, Superintendent

Rationale:

Supt. Braden discussed the new drop off/pick up process for the Broadway campus with those in attendance. He reiterated the importance of ensuring the safety of our students at all times.

G.II. Melissa Long, Taylor County Primary Principal

G.III. Jennifer Fitzpatrick, Taylor County Intermediate Principal

G.IV. Christina Bishop, Taylor County Middle School Principal

G.V. Neil Sanders, Taylor County High School Principal

G.VI. DiAnne Harris, Director of Federal Programs

Rationale:

Mrs. Harris reported that preliminary assessment data from last school year looked encouraging. The results will be analyzed once all scores have been received.

G.VII. Other Administrators

Rationale:

Scott Parks (ECE Director) stated that the ECE Department has been working meticulously to prepare for the start of each school year, ensuring a positive and effective learning environment for their students.

H. EXECUTIVE SESSION

H.I. Executive Session to discuss Superintendent Formative Evaluation as permitted by KRS 156.557 (5) (c) (7) (c).

Rationale:

The Board Entered into Executive Session at 6:50 p.m. following a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox

Order #38 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

H.II. Exit Executive Session

Rationale:

The Board came out of Executive Session at 7:48 p.m. with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Tommy Raikes. No action was taken.

Order #39 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Misty Hafley and a second by Tommy Raikes.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

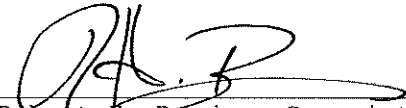
I. ADJOURNMENT

Order #40 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Tommy Raikes and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Misty Hafley	Yes
Tommy Raikes	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes



David Hall, Chairperson



Robert A. Braden, Superintendent