

PEQUEA VALLEY SCHOOL BOARD

Monthly Meeting

October 16, 2025

The monthly meeting of the Pequea Valley School Board was called to order at 7:00 p.m. by President Bryant Ferris in the District Office Board Room. Members present were Michael Fisher, Fred Hertzler, Freida Huyard, Steve Riehl, and Casey Rohrer. Absent: Mike Hartmann, Ben Ingles, Steve Temple. Also, present were Erik Orndorff, Rich Eby, John Bowden, Dustin Russum, Ashley Bottiglieri, Dan Sauder, Reuban Stoltzfus, and Tamara Wanner.

School Board Recognition – Dustin Russum and John Bowden for their exemplary commitment and outstanding contributions to the construction of the new PV Secondary School.

Participation by the Public – None

Liaison Reports

- Curriculum and Instruction – Steve Temple
- Facilities and Grounds – Fred Hertzler
- First Choice – Mike Hartmann
- IU 13 Board of Directors – Mike Fisher
- Music – Freida Huyard

Approval of Minutes and Consent Agenda Items:

On a motion by Mrs. Rohrer and a second by Mr. Fisher, the Board approved the October 7, 2025, Committee Meeting minutes, and the below Consent Agenda Items for the Chief of Finance and Operations and Superintendent.

Chief Of Finance & Operations Recommendations:

- A. A 3-year renewal with Ahead, Inc. for cloud email protection, filtering, and archiving services at a cost of \$24,624.00.

Superintendent Recommendations:

- A. Personnel.

Appointment:

Stephanie Fenimore, Secondary School Counselor, effective October 20, 2025. Salary: \$75,700, Master's Step 3 (prorated) and up to 8 additional days at per diem rate.

Motion carried: Voting yes: Ferris, Fisher, Hertzler, Huyard, Riehl, Rohrer; No: 0; Absent: Ingles, Hartmann, Temple.

OLD BUSINESS

- A. Secondary School Gymnasiums – Window Tinting

NEW BUSINESS

- A. Agenda topics for November 6, 2025, Committee meeting
- Clean and Green Tax Forgiveness
 - Building Project Presentation – Specifics on design, budget and phasing for Phase II
 - Board Meeting Calendar
 - General Fund Budget Update
 - Mentorship Program

ADJOURNMENT

No further business was presented, and the meeting was adjourned at 7:28 p.m.

Bryant Ferris
President

John A. Bowden
Secretary