

A. AGENDA

A1 Northeastern Local Board of Education met in Regular session on Thursday, October 23rd, 2025 at the Board of Education Annex. Jeff Yinger, President called the meeting to order at 5:30 P.M.

A2 President calls on Treasurer to take the roll.

Roll Call:
Mr. Jeff Yinger Present
Mr. Jeff Collins Present
Mr. Chris Thompson Present
Mr. Blake Shaffer Present
Mrs. Jacqueline Gray Present

A3 Pledge of Allegiance was led by President, Jeff Yinger.

B. MEETING ORGANIZATION AND OLD BUSINESS

Item 010-2026

The Superintendent recommends Mr. Thompson moved Mr. Shaffer seconded that the Board of Education approve the Organization and Old Business agenda – Items **B1 –B6**

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Collins, Gray, Shaffer, Thompson, Yinger
Nays: None. Motion carried 5-0

B1 Additions or deletions to agenda
a. _____
b. _____

B2 Approve the Board Agenda

B3 Approve the minutes from the following meeting:

[September 18, 2025 Regular Board Meeting](#)

B4 Approve the Vouchers September 2025

B5 Approve the Financial Report for September 2025

B6 Further Old Business

C. PRESENTATIONS/COMMUNICATION

- Purple Star Recognition - NEES
- District Report Card Overview - Shawn Blazer and Bev Walkden
- Special Education Profile - Melissa Jewell
- KR Campus Overview - Campus Administration
- NE Campus Overview - Campus Administration

D. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

E. CONSENT AGENDA

Item 011-2026

The Superintendent recommends, Mr. Thompson moved and Mr. Shaffer seconded that the Board of Education approve the consent agenda – Items E1-E12

Roll Call: Ayes – Collins, Gray, Shaffer, Thompson, Yinger
Nays –None
Motion carried 5-0

E1 Approve the following Certified Personnel actions for 2025-2026 School Year:

Title I Tutor

Employ Megan Neer as Title I Tutor at Northeastern Elementary School. To be paid \$125.00 per day, 6.5 hours per day, four days per week, effective October 10, 2025.

E2 Approve the following Classified Personnel actions for the 2025-2026 School Year:

Employ Shelly Davis as Classroom Aide at Northeastern Elementary School. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 12, 5.75 hours per day, \$21.63 per hour, 162 days effective September 22, 2025, total contract amount \$20,148.35 (This is a new and non-renewed position)

Jason Page, resignation as Latchkey Aide at Kenton Ridge Elementary School, effective September 24, 2025.

Shayla Smith, resignation as Bus Aide for the district, effective September 30, 2025.

Employ Tim McDonald as Bus Aide for the District. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 1, 1.75 hours per day, \$15.74 per hour, 4 days per week, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$4,021.57.

Employ Teresa Foster as Latchkey Aide at Northeastern Elementary School. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 0, 3 hours per day, \$15.29 per hour, 161 days, effective September 22, 2005, total contract amount \$7,385.07. (This is a new position)

Employ Gloria Hobbs as Latchkey Aide at Northeastern Elementary School. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 0, 2.75 hours per day, \$15.29 per hour, 161 days, effective September 22, 2025, total contract amount \$6,769.65. (Replacing Debbie Brooks who is on leave. This is a non-renewed position)

Employ Katheryn McCartney as 1:1 Student Aide at Kenton Ridge Elementary School. Limited one-year contract, Class II, Step 0, 5.75 hours per day, \$16.37 per hour, 157 days, effective September 29, 2025, total contract amount \$14,778.41. (Replacing Jessica Brumfield who took another position within the district. This is a non-renewed position)

Employ Megan Bowman as Classroom Aide at Kenton Ridge Elementary School. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 0, 5.75 hours per day, \$15.29 per hour, 161 days, effective September 22, 2025, total contract amount \$14,243.04. (This is a new and non-renewed position)

Loren Lawton, resignation as Van driver for the district, effective October 10, 2025.

Employ Tiffany Ramsey-Chance, as one on one nurse aide at Northeastern Elementary School. Limited one year contract, 3.5 hours per day, four days per week, at the rate of \$25.00 per hour, effective October 15, 2025. (This position is non-renewed.)

Employ Melissa Phares as Bus Aide for the district. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 0, 5.75 hours per day, \$15.29 per hour, effective October 21, 2025, total contract amount \$12,396.72. (Replacing Shayla Smith, who resigned)

Richard Maxwell, resignation as bus driver for the district, effective October 14, 2025.

Amy Rhine, resigning as food service assistant at Kenton Ridge Campus, contingent upon being employed as Van Driver for the district, effective October 15, 2024. (Replacing Loren Lawton, who resigned, this is a Non-Renewed position.)

Employ Misty Wheeler as Food Service Assistant at Kenton Ridge Campus. Limited one-year contract, Class I, Step 0, 3.5 hours for day, \$13.86 per hour, effective October 16, 2025, total contract amount \$6,936.93. (Replacing Melissa Capper, who took a position with more hours)

Employ Anthony Broering as Online Education Aide at Kenton Ridge High School. Limited one-year contract, Class II, Step 0, 5.75 hours per day, \$16.37 per hour, effective October 6, 2025, total contract amount \$14,307.76. (This is a new and non-renewed position)

Contract Changes

The following employees are eligible for a contract change:

Lisa Slusher, Class I, Step 1, 4 hours per day, 5 days per week to Class I, Step 1, 2 hours per day, \$15.74 per hour, 3 days per week, 98 days starting September 22nd, 2025, total contract amount \$3,903.52.

Jessica Brumfield, Class II, step 0, 5.75 hours per day to Class I, step 0, 5.75 hours per day, \$15.29 per hour, starting September 22, 2025, total contract amount \$16,353.12.

Brandi Anderson, Class I, Step 1, 5.25 hours per day to Class I, Step 1, 5.50 hours per day, \$17.94 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$18,549.96.

Rick Holbrook, Class I, Step 2, 5 hours per day to Class I, Step 2, 5.50 hours per day, \$19.02 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$19,666.68.

Spencer Lawson, Class I, Step 0, 6.5 hours per day to Class I, Step 0, 6.25 hours per day, \$17.94 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$21,080.44.

Heather Lemley, Class I, Step 5, 5.5 hours per day to Class I, Step 5, 5.25 hours per day, \$18.48 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$18,239.76.

Shelby Chrisman, Class IV, Step 1, 5 hours per day to Class IV, Step 1, 5.50 hours per day, \$17.11 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$17,691.74.

Heidi Cornell, Class I, Step 11, 6 hours per day to Class I, Step 11, 5.75 hours per day, \$24.49 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$26,474.16.

Jessica Snively, Class I, Step 12, 6.5 hours per day to Class I, Step 12, 6 hours per day, \$25.39 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$28,639.92.

Doug Schmid, Class I, Step 2, 6.25 hours per day to Class I, Step 2, 5 hours per day, \$20.63 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$19,392.20.

Doug McGonigal, Class I, Step 7, 5.50 hours per day to Class I, Step 7, 6 hours per day, \$21.71 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$24,488.88.

Jessica Pelfrey, Class I, Step 5, 6 hours per day to Class I, Step 5, 5.75 hours per day, \$20.63 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026, total contract amount \$22,300.56.

Melissa Remley, Class I, Step 8, 5.75 hours per day to Class I, Step 8, 6 hours per day, \$22.25 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$25,098.00.

Kelsey Riggle, Class I, Step 0, 5.75 hours per day to Class I, Step 0, 6 hours per day, \$17.94 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$20,236.32.

Jennifer Griffieth, Class I, Step 4, 7.40 hours per day to Class I, Step 4, 7.15 hours per day, \$17.12 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$23,012.70.

Kimberley Berezky, Class I, Step 29, 7.85 hours per day to Class I, Step 29, 7.60 hours per day, \$27.18 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year., total contract amount \$38,921.76.

Pamela Wade, Class I, Step 23, 7 hours per day to Class II, Step 23, 7 hours per day, \$23.98 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$31,725.54.

Hannah Snively, Class I, Step 1, 5.4 average hours per day to Class I, Step 1, 5.75 hours per day, \$15.74 per hour, effective October 9, 2025, total contract amount \$15,979.25.

Kassidy Blauvelt, Class I, Step 2, 7 hours per day, to Class II, Step 2, 7 hours per day, \$17.35 per hour, effective for the 2025-2026 school year, total contract amount \$22,954.05.

E3 Approve the following Supplemental Contracts for the 2025-2026 School Year:

Viange Gibson as Freshman class advisor at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$998.00.

John Schmid as Assistant Boys Basketball Coach at Northeastern High School, total contract \$4,492.00.

Libby Sagraves as Competition Cheer Coach at Northeastern High School, total contract \$1,248.00.

Dan Roncolato as 8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$3,327.00.

Misty Ashworth as Co Minor Club Advisor (Camp Wilson) at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$208.00.

Carlye Stewart as Co Minor Club Advisor (Math club) at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$208.00.

Julia Sheridan as Co Minor Club Advisor (Math club) at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$208.00.

Lonnie Robinson as Varsity Girls basketball coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$6,654.00.

Kyle Bennett as Assistant Girls basketball coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$3,743.00.

Heather Shaffer as Varsity Head Swim Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$2,995.00.

Mickey McNeil as Assistant Swim Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$1,997.00.

Kent Miesse as 8th Grade Boys Basketball Coach at Kenton Ridge Middle School, total contract \$3,659.00.

Colin Day as Head wrestling coach at Kenton Ridge Middle School, total contract \$2,496.00.

Chad Younts as 7th Grade Boys Basketball Coach at Kenton Ridge Middle School, total contract \$3,327.00.

Holly Roberson as Varsity Girls Bowling Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$2,496.00.

Sarah Schalnat as Varsity Head Softball Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$4,991.00.

Matthew Cox as Varsity Head Wrestling Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$4,991.00.

Jacob Gutierrez as Assistant Wrestling Coach at Kenton Ridge High School, total contract \$3,327.00.
Evan Noffke as 7th Grade Girls Basketball Coach at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$3,327.00.

Supplemental Contract Change

Meghan Curt, from Minor Club Advisor (Camp Wilson), to Co-Advisor, at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$250.00.

Darrell Pelfrey, from Co-Assistant Football Coach, to Assistant Football Coach, at Northeastern Middle School, total contract \$2,080.00.

E4 Approve the following Substitute and Student Activity Account (SAA) Contracts for 2025-2026 School year:

<u>Substitute Nurse</u>	<u>Substitute Custodian</u>	<u>Substitute Food Service</u>
Danielle Raines	Brayden Payton	Beth Morgan
Rebecca Strahler	James Matthews	

Substitute Aide
Chlotella Baldwin
Vikashni Kumar

<u>Substitute Teacher</u>			
Macy Blankenship	Emily Blessing	Judith Bruck	Riley Champ
Emily Cochran	McKenzie Crosbie	Katie Gladman	Heather Walden
Zachary Graham	Steven Gulling	Victoria Lewis	McKenzie Palmer
Katlyn Meeks	Julie Ratliff	Danielle Rodgers	
Hannah Pennington	Jill Walton	Breann Wilson	

E5 Approve the following Volunteers for 2025-2026 school year:

Clint Fisher as Volunteer football coach at Northeastern Middle School.
Baylee Wiskirchen as Volunteer Girls Basketball coach at Kenton Ridge High School.
Terry Johnson as Volunteer Boys Basketball coach at Kenton Ridge Middle School.
Kyle Kellough as Volunteer Boys Basketball coach at Northeastern High School.

Kids Hope mentors at Kenton Ridge Campus pending completion of background check & Rapback enrollment:

Bill Lawson	Brengle Waldron	Darlene Shilling	Debbie Harvey	Drew McClary
Linda Sanders	Lisa Studebaker	Pamela Ku-Snyder	Vicky Kauffman	Zach Mays

Kids Hope mentors at Northeastern Campus pending completion of background check & Rapback enrollment:

Megan Agle	Peggy Agle	Daphne Berge	Floyd Loeffler	Joyce Loeffler
Garold Paugh	Elisha Rutschilling	Tonya Schmunk	Linda Schwitzgable	JoEllen Yirak
Jeanne Troxell	Steve Schwitzgable			

E6 Out-of-State Professional Development Request

E7 Disposal of Inventory
None

E8 Student Activity Request
Senior Model United Nations at KRHS [Exhibit E8A](#)
Environmental Club at KRHS [Exhibit E8B](#)

E9 Student Activity Account Budgets for 2025-2026
None

E10 Non-School Organizations
None

E11 Donations

E12 Field Trips

F. BOARD POLICY REVIEW AND APPROVAL

G. ACTION AGENDA

Item 012-2026

The Superintendent recommended, Mrs. Gray moved and Mr. Thompson seconded, that the Board of Education approve the Action Agenda Items G1-G2

Roll Call: Ayes – Collins, Gray, Shaffer, Thompson, Yinger
 Nays –None – Motion Carried 5-0

- G1** Approval of NEHS FFA National Convention in Indianapolis, Indiana 10/29/2025 - 10/31/2025 [Exhibit G1](#)
- G2** Board Resolution - Board approval of resolution to recognize the district transportation department - Resolution to be read by Board President Jeff Yinger. [Exhibit G2](#)

H. INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

I. UPCOMING DISTRICT EVENTS

10/22/2025 - 10/24/2025 - NEMS 6th Grade Camp Wilson
10/25/2025 - KRHS JV Football vs London 10 AM
10/25/2025 - NEHS FFA Powder Puff game 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM
10/25/2025 - KRHS Band Show 7:00 PM
10/28/2025 - KRHS Blood Drive
10/29/2025 - 11/01/2025 - NEHS FFA at National FFA Convention
10/29/2025 - Band and Choir Halloween Concert 6:00 PM
10/30/2025 - KRHS One more time Band Concert 7:00 PM
11/10/2025 - NE Booster Meeting 6:00 PM
11/11/2025 - NELSD Veteran's Day Breakfast 8:00 AM
11/12/2025 - NEES Mobile Dentist

J. COMMUNICATIONS

K. EXECUTIVE SESSION

K1. IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT THE BOARD ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION.

- To consider the appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, and/or compensation of a public employee or official.

The Superintendent recommended, Mr. Collins moved and Mrs. Gray seconded, that the Board of Education enter into executive session

Roll Call: Ayes – Collins, Gray, Shaffer, Thompson, Yinger
 Nays –None – Motion Carried 5-0

Time In: 7:38 p.m., Time Out: 7:51 p.m.

L. ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Collins moved and Mrs. Gray seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:55 p.m. until the next regular meeting of the Board of Education.

ROLL CALL: Ayes: Collins, Gray, Shaffer, Thompson, Yinger - Motion carried 5-0
 Nays: None

President, _____
Northeastern Local Board of Education
November 13th , 2025

Treasurer, _____