FLEETWOOD AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board Meeting Minutes

October 21, 2025 - Tuesday, 7:00 PM

The monthly meeting of the Fleetwood Area Board of School Directors was called to order by President Mr. Valick at 7:01 PM. Those in attendance were:

Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by President Mr. Valick.

Board Members: Lisa J. Bogacki, Brandi Brown, Adam S. Chernow, Elizabeth Hersh, Whitney Kopco, John L. Noll Jr., Michael D. Noll (virtual), Jason E. Valick

Absent: James M. Younker

Administrators: Jennifer R. Bergstresser, Gwynn E. Bollinger, Thomas D. DeAngelo, Stephen A. Herman, Brian J. Hostetler, Michelle D. Jackson, Michael P. Kelly, Natalie E. Lytle, Greg M. Miller, Casey M. Moser, Erin Murphy, Heidi A. Orth, Kerry R. Strickler, Kathy Wood

Absent: Kate L. Costenbader, Matthew Q. Diehl, Nathan Shefter

Solicitor: James Mancuso, Esq. Secretary: Michael D. Noll Recording Secretary: Heidi A. Orth

Visitor Recognition: None

A motion was made by Mrs. Brown, seconded by Mr. Chernow, to approve the minutes of the September 16th meetings. — Minutes Approved

Question, Voice Vote - Unanimous, Motion Carried
Absent: Younker

A motion was made by Ms. Hersh, seconded by Mr. J. Noll Jr., to approve the treasurer's report. — Treasurer's Report

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mrs. Bogacki, seconded by Mrs. Kopco, to pay the bills for the month. — Bills Approved

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mr. J. Noll Jr., seconded by Mr. Chernow, to approve the curriculum for the following courses: — Instructional Programs

- 6th Grade Social Studies — MS Social Studies and HS Statistics
- 7th Grade Social Studies
- 7th Grade Advanced Social Studies
- Statistics

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker

Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mrs. Brown, seconded by Ms. Hersh, to approve the following personnel actions: Personnel

Assignments

Support Staff

- Fallon Kuhn, Willow Creek Elementary Paraprofessional, effective 10/22/2025 at an hourly rate of $15.02, pending completion of paperwork
- Daniele Zettlemoyer, Willow Creek Elementary Paraprofessional, effective 10/13/2025 at an hourly rate of $15.02

Transfers

- Jonathan Romero, High School JV Girls' Soccer Coach to High School JV Girls' Soccer Coach, effective 8/20/2025 at an annual rate of $3,604
- Veronica Heckman, Middle School Assistant Softball Coach to Middle School Softball Coach, effective 10/22/2025 at an annual rate of $3,318
- Linda Roshong, Middle School Softball Coach to Middle School Assistant Softball Coach, effective 10/22/2025 at an annual rate of $3,032

Co-curriculars

- Dalton Young, Middle School Assistant Baseball Coach, effective 10/22/2025 at an annual rate of $3,032, pending completion of paperwork
- Lexie McLaughlin, Middle School Assistant Girls' Basketball Coach, effective 10/22/2025 at an annual rate of $3,318, pending completion of paperwork

Substitutes

Nurse

- Maureen Nicholas, effective 10/22/2025
- Janice Eshleman, effective 10/22/2025

Resignations

- Rachael Eadline, Willow Creek Elementary Paraprofessional, effective 9/26/2025
- Sara Hunter, High School Assistant Track Coach, effective 9/17/2025

Leave Requests

- Lindsay Mountz, Middle School Custodian, FMLA qualifying leave beginning 11/22/2025 through 2/24/2026
- Katrina Althouse, High School Teacher, FMLA qualifying leave beginning 2/6/2026 through 4/30/2026
- Kara Feeney-Mitchell, Willow Creek Elementary Teacher, FMLA qualifying leave beginning 11/27/2025 return pending physician's release

Volunteers

Building

- Steven Amico
- Carissa Brantner
- Daniel Cox
- Jenna Delgrosso
- Kayla Fredericks
- Stephanie Larson
- Pamela Loughery
- Lynda Marks
- Robert Moyer III
- Nathavasky Mulatre
- Leah Reese-Ustaszewski
- Jessica Riverbark
- Rosa Santiago
- Nandi Teeter
- Elissa Wolford
- Marion Zavala
- Abbey Bechtel
- Shirley Colon
- Alexis Cronrath
- Ashley Drupp
- Courtney Freed
- Judith Lash
- Bianka Louissaint
- Andrew Mountz
- Joselin Mulatre
- Andrea Nihart
- Petra Reynolds
- Amber Rupp
- Jessie Schmoyer
- Ryan Thomas
- Samantha Young

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mr. Chernow, seconded by Mr. J. Noll Jr., to approve the 1st reading of the following board policies:

- 102 - Academic Standards
- 105 - Curriculum Development
- 113.3 - Screening and Evaluations for Students with Disabilities (no changes)
- 114 - Gifted Education (no changes)
- 122 - Extracurricular Activities
- 123 - Interscholastic Athletics
- 211 - Student Accident Insurance
- 807 - Opening Exercises/Moment of Silence/Flag Displays

Board Policies
1st Reading
102, 105, 113.3, 114, 122, 123, 211, 807

Question, Voice Vote - Unanimous, Motion Carried
Absent: Younker

A motion was made by Mrs. Bogacki, seconded by Mrs. Kopco, to approve a proposal from IncidentIQ for the iiQ Events module, to be used for scheduling use of facilities, at a total cost of $1,789.36.

Business and Finance
iiQ Events Module

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Ms. Hersh, seconded by Mrs. Brown, to approve a contract with New Story Schools (Kutztown Site) to provide special education services at a rate ranging from $347 per day to $590 per day depending on the needs of the student.

Business and Finance
New Story

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mr. J. Noll Jr., seconded by Mr. Chernow, to approve an agreement with Advanced Counseling Services to provide an independent educational evaluation for student #64761 at a cost of $4,710.

Business and Advanced Counseling Services

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mrs. Kopco, seconded by Mrs. Bogacki, to approve the October budget transfers as presented.

Business and Finance
Budget Transfers

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mrs. Brown, seconded by Ms. Hersh, to approve an addendum to the special ed agreement with Berks County Intermediate Unit to provide occupational therapy services for the 2025-2026 school year at a rate of $115 per hour.

Business and Finance
BCIU Addendum for OT

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

A motion was made by Mr. Chernow, seconded by Mr. J. Noll Jr., to approve the following billable request for use of facilities:

Use of Facilities

• Emerge Dance & Twirl	9/27	HS Auditorium	$ 127.50
• Emerge Dance & Twirl	Multiple	Multiple	$1,285.50
• FAYFCA	AM Gym	Multiple	$ 64.00
• Fleetwood Youth Soccer	Stadium	Multiple	$1,365.00
• Boy Scouts of America	AM Cafe 11/13		$ 20.00
• Berks Base 18	MS Auditorium	10/22	$ 45.50
• FAYFCA	MS Gym A	10/23	$ 16.00
• FAYFCA	MS Gym A	10/30	$ 16.00

Question, Voice Vote-Unanimous, Motion Carried
Absent: Younker

A motion was made by Ms. Hersh, seconded by Mrs. Brown, to adjourn the meeting.

Adjournment

Question, Roll Call Vote
Ayes: Bogacki, Brown, Chernow, Hersh, Kopco, J. Noll Jr., M. Noll, Valick
Absent: Younker
Nays: None Motion Carried

The regular monthly meeting of the Fleetwood Area Board of School Directors was adjourned by the president at 7:24 PM.

Respectfully submitted,

Michael D. Noll
School Board Secretary