

**WADSWORTH CITY SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION**

WADSWORTH, OHIO

SPECIAL MEETING
THURSDAY, DECEMBER 18, 2025
WADSWORTH HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER
625 BROAD STREET
4:00 p.m.

AGENDA

- I. Call to Order**
- II. Roll Call**
- III. Motion for Approval and Signing of Minutes**
- IV. [Public Participation](#)**
- V. Administrative Items**
 - A. Personnel Consent Items
 - 1. Employments (Recommendations are contingent upon each individual receiving his/her license from the Ohio Department of Education prior to the start of the 2025-2026 school year, 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) Non-teaching Employees
 - (1) Karen Alkyer
 - (2) Amy Sullivan
 - b) Classified Substitutes
 - (1) James Chafield
 - (2) Wendy Laney, eff. 12/14/2025
 - c) Supplemental Contracts

- (1) Pete Alexander, Year 1 Resident Educator Mentor, eff. 8/18/2025
- (2) Aliza Gill, PDC Member (prorated for 94 days)

B. Action Items

- 1. Recommendation to approve the urgent necessity resolution for a replacement chiller at Franklin Elementary School
- 2. Recommendation to approve the fiscal precaution plan and to authorize submission of the said plan to the Ohio Department of Education & Workforce, per [Ohio Revised Code 5705.39](#)
- 3. Recommendation to approve the revised Wadsworth City School District Board of Education Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-STRS/SERS Covered Services between Star Therapy & Sales Corp. and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2026

VI. Board Member Items

A. Ratification of Resignations

- 1. Rebecca Dills, Certified Teacher, retirement, eff. 6/1/2026
- 2. Zach Ockunzzi, PDC Member, eff. 1/12/2026 (served 90 days)

VII. Adjournment

This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. Public participation is governed by Board Bylaw 0169.1 - Public Participation at Board Meetings.

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

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Agenda Detail Sheet**

V. Administrative Items

A. Personnel Consent Items

1. Employments

a) Non-teaching Employees

(1) Karen Alkyer: Ms. Alkyer is being recommended to fill the vehicle driver position left open when Ms. Christine Putz resigned.

(2) Amy Sullivan: Ms. Sullivan is being recommended to fill the student attendant position at Windfall School left open when Ms. Amanda Hoover resigned.

B. Action Items

- 1. Urgent Necessity Resolution:** The urgent necessity resolution for a replacement chiller at Franklin Elementary School being recommended for approval will allow SA Comunale to install a new chiller in time for in the spring of 2026.
- 2. Fiscal Precaution Plan:** The fiscal precaution plan and the authorization to submit the said plan to the Ohio Department of Education & Workforce being recommended for approval are necessary to comply with [Ohio Revised Code 5705.39](#). You can read the narrative that accompanies the plan by clicking [here](#); the full plan can be found in the supporting documents to this agenda. As noted in the narrative, while this plan meets the legal requirements, it is critically important that our Community knows the following:
 - The plan can be changed by the Board at any time after initial approval;
 - Per the [“draft” Strategic Plan 2026-2030](#), the Board will evaluate a funding ballot initiative for operating funds in January and early February of 2026, consistent with processes they have used in the past for this type of discussion and decision-making process; and

- If needed, the Board will engage in a collaborative process to determine where changes to the level of services offered to students will be made.

You can learn more about the plan requirement and our approach by viewing the [December 8, 2025 Board of Education meeting](#) (starting at the 31:21 mark).

- 3. Star Therapy & Sales Corp. Revised Agreement:** The revised Wadsworth City School District Board of Education Independent Contractor Agreement for Non-STRS/SERS Covered Services between Star Therapy & Sales Corp. and the Wadsworth City School District Board of Education for the period of July 1, 2023 and June 30, 2026 being recommended for approval contains language that is required for this type of agreement, including language regarding school Medicaid programs.