REGULAR MEETING, BOARD OF EDUCATION
Stockbridge Valley Central School
Tuesday, December 9, 2025

Meeting Called to Order

The meeting was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by Board President, Jonathan Strain

Members Present

Daniel Gilbert, Kristin Guinto, Carol Marshall, Joseph Monfiletto, Jonathan Strain

Members Absent

Herb Bingel, Jaime Renner

Also Present

Jason Mitchell, Superintendent; Beth Lamb, Business Administrator; Dan Tucker, 7-12 Principal; Julie Suber, K-6 Principal; Pamela Dymes, District Clerk; Holly Panebianco, Autumn Cherry, YMCA Afterschool Program

Adoption of Minutes Regular Meeting November 12, 2025

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board adopted the Minutes of the Regular Board of Education meeting of November 12, 2025. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Treasurer's Report for October 2025 and Review the Warrants for October 12, 2025

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board adopted the Treasurer's Report for October 2025, and reviewed the Warrants for October 1-31, 2025 in the amounts of: General Fund: $684,442.30; Lunch Fund: $19,121.40; Capital Fund $953,936.96; Special Aid: $649.00. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Committee on Special Education

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board approved the recommendations of the Committee on Special Education as follows:

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There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Rejection Bus 109 Bid

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board rejected the Bid of $1,325.00 on Bus 109 from Auctions International. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Surplus Equipment Bus 113

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board approved to Excess Surplus Equipment - Bus 113. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Flex Spending Plan Amendment

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by D. Gilbert, seconded by K. Guinto, the Board adopted the resolution to amend the District's Flexible Spending Plan to allow employees to contribute an annual amount not to exceed the IRS annual limit for dependent care expense accounts. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

LT Ag/Tech Substitute Teacher Daniel Ruiz

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by J. Monfiletto, seconded by C. Marshall, the Board appointed Daniel Ruiz as a Long-term Substitute Ag/ Technology Teacher from December 10, 2025 to approximately June 26, 2026. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Substitute Teachers

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by K. Guinto, seconded by D. Gilbert, the Board appointed the following Substitute Teachers for the 2025-26 school year: Sara Dougherty (retroactive to 9/1/25) and Myah LaFave. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Volunteer List

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by K. Guinto, seconded by D. Gilbert, the Board approved the Volunteer List for the 2025-26 school year. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Resignation Cleaner Tom Walcek

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Schools, and on a motion by K. Guinto, seconded by D. Gilbert, the Board accepted the Resignation of Cleaner, Tom Walcek effective December 31, 2025. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Adjournment

On a motion by K. Guinto, seconded by D. Gilbert, the meeting adjourned at 7:32 p.m. There were 5 ayes and 0 nays. The motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Pamela Dymes,
District Clerk