

VALLEY VIEW LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

REGULAR MEETING

DECEMBER 8, 2025

The Board of Education met in a regular session on December 8, 2025, at 6:00 p.m. in the Valley View Administration Building – Room 104, Germantown, Ohio.

ROLL CALL

By call of roll, the following members were present: Mr. Rudd, Mr. Skidmore, Ms. Griffith, and Mr. Dillon.

Also in attendance were Kyla McLaughlin, student representative, Ms. Andrea Cook, Superintendent, and Mrs. Valorie Hill, Treasurer.

PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE

The Board President led the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- Certificate of Recognition for the Purple Star Award by the Ohio Department of Education and Workforce, presented by Nichole Thomas
 - Valley View Middle School
 - Valley View High School

2025-210: AGENDA AMENDMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to amend the agenda and move the executive session to the end of the agenda.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-211: MINUTES

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the minutes of the following Board of Education Regular Meeting – November 10, 2025.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

Erick Depew presented current progress on the building project.

FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

2025-212: FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the Financial Statements for the month ending November 30, 2025.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-213: PERSONNEL

A motion was made by Ms. Griffith and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve personnel action as recommended.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

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2025-214: EARLY GRADUATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the early graduation of Kyle Miller, who has met all graduation requirements.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-215: EARLY GRADUATION APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the early graduation of Chase Wallace, who has met all graduation requirements.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-216: DP&L GRANT FOR ELECTRIC RIGHT OF WAY & EASEMENT APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the Dayton Power and Light Company grant for electric right of way and easement.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-217: JEDD APPOINTMENT APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the resolution appointing Valley View representatives to the Valley View JEDD Board.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-218: COURSE OF STUDY APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the Valley View Middle School 2025-2026 course of study.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-219: COURSE OF STUDY APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Valley View High School 2025-2026 course of study.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-220: 2025 NOVEL APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to approve the December 2025 request for Novel approval.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-221: TRIP APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Valley View High School Girls Softball team trip to Gulf Shores, Alabama over spring break, 2026.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

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SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS

Ms. Cook recognized Mr. Skidmore for four successful years on the Valley View Board of Education, announced that Mr. Scholler would be joining the Valley View Board of Education in January upon Mr. Skidmore's exit, congratulated all fall athletes for a great season while also encouraging everyone to attend our winter sporting events and our holiday music programs, and lastly encouraged our board members to have a look at our business advisory pamphlets to view the career pathways which offer our students the opportunity to take courses in high demand career fields.

BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS

ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING PREP

2025-222: ORGANIZATIONAL MEETING APPROVAL

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to set 01/12/2026, 5:45 P.M. in room 104 of the Valley View Administration Building for the Organizational Board meeting.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-223: PRESIDENT PRO TEM APPOINTMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to nominate Mr. Dillon as President Pro Tem for the organizational board meeting.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, abstain.

Motion Passed (3 yes, 1 abstain)

2025-224: EXECUTIVE SESSION

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 121.22(G)(1), a motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Skidmore to enter into executive session for the purpose of discussing pending litigation Mr. Rudd, Ms. Griffith, Mr. Skidmore, Dr. Smith, Mrs. Hill, and Ms. Cook entered into Executive Session at 6:15 P.M. Executive session ended at 6:33 P.M.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

2025-225: ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to adjourn the meeting at 6:34 PM.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Mr. Skidmore, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes.

Motion Passed (4 yes)

Valorie A. Hill

Valorie A. Hill (Jan 20, 2026 08:50:15 EST)

Treasurer

Timothy Rudd

Timothy Rudd (Jan 18, 2026 17:14:11 PST)

Board President