



BOARD BULLETIN

January 12, 2026

Opening Report

The Mid-East Career and Technology Centers Board of Education met for its organizational/regular meeting on Monday, January 12, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. in the Administrative Center Board Room, 400 Richards Road, Zanesville, Ohio.

The oath of office and official seating took place for the following board of education members that were appointed by their respective boards for terms starting at this organizational meeting:

- Guy Carpenter – Noble Local – three-year term
- Patrick Hogan – Northern Local – three-year term
- Lori Lee – Zanesville City – three-year term
- Cindy Miller – Maysville Local – three-year term
- Dave Peoples – Cambridge City – three-year term
- Kevin Weaver – Crooksville Exempted Village – three-year term

Organizational Report

Dave Peoples was elected to serve as President and Kevin Weaver was elected to serve as Vice-President for 2026.

Approval for the Board of Education's regular meetings to be held on the second Monday of each month at 6:30 p.m. The January, February, April, May, July, August, October, and December meetings are to be held in the Administrative Center Board Room on the Zanesville Campus and the March, June, September, and November meetings are to be held in the Commons on the Buffalo Campus.

Approval of the following annual resolutions:

- Purchasing Agent Appointment
- Surplus Property Procurement

- Federal Programs
- Warrants Issued
- Secure Advances
- Invest Funds
- Employment of Personnel
- Accept Resignations of Personnel
- Service Fund
- Designated Official Newspapers
- Emergency Closing Authority
- School Attorney – Employment/Retention
- Authorization for Payment within Appropriations Measure Amounts
- Voting and Recording Methods
- Waiving Public Reading of Board Minutes
- Public Participation at Board Meetings
- Appointment of Credit Card Compliance Officer

Susan Lent was appointed as delegate and Lori Lee was appointed as alternate for 2026 for the OSBA Capital Conference.

Dennis Doult was appointed as legislative liaison for 2026.

Gail Requardt was appointed as student achievement liaison for 2026.

Approval of the minutes of the Board of Education's regular meeting held December 8, 2025.

Approval of additions or changes in the agenda.

Treasurer's Report

Approval of all items listed under the Treasurer's financial reports.

Approval of budget modifications.

Approval of the Alternative Tax Budget.

Superintendent's Report

Approval of personnel for employment in the Adult and Federal programs, pending licensure and appropriate background checks:

- Adult Education Programs – Part-Time

Approval of the following licensed personnel as substitutes:

- Madison Jones – All Areas
- Ada “Renee” Linscott – All Areas

Approval of the following classified personnel for employment, based on verification of experience and appropriate background checks:

- Erica Cunningham – Food Service Worker – to be issued a one-year limited contract for 90 days (prorated from 190 days) at 5 hours per day effective 1-20-26
- Stacey Hauenstein – Administrative Assistant – to be issued a two-year contract for 108 days (prorated from 207 days) at 8 hours per day effective 1-13-26
- Crystal Miser – Instructional Assistant – to be issued a one-year limited contract for 95 days (prorated from 190 days) at 6.5 hours per day effective 1-13-26

Approval of the following classified personnel as substitutes:

- Madison Jones – Administrative Assistant

Approval of membership to the Ohio Education Policy Institute (OEPI) for 2026.

Approval of an agreement with Kevin Neal for hay removal from his property located Philo, Ohio effective January 12, 2026.

Approval to purchase the following semi trucks for the Adult Education Truck Driver Training Program from Ryder Systems Inc.:

- 2021 Freightliner Cascadia Single Axle Sleeper
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- 2022 International LT625 Single Axle Sleeper

Approval of GMP Amendment No. 2 to the CMR Agreement with Paul Construction Company, Inc. for

the Fire and EMS Training Center Project and Authorizing Negotiation and Execution of the Amendment.

Approval to ratify Change Orders #5 and #6 to the Contract for the CDL Training Facility Project.

An executive session was held to discuss personnel matters [appointment, employment, dismissal, discipline, promotion, demotion, or compensation of employee(s) or student(s)] and to discuss matters which are subject of pending or imminent court action.

The Board of Education’s next regular meeting will be held on **February 9, 2026** at 6:30 p.m. in the Administrative Center Board Room, 400 Richards Road, Zanesville, Ohio.