

Taylor County Board of Education
February 09, 2026 6:00 PM
Taylor County High School
Library
2705 Old Hodgenville Rd.
Campbellsville, KY 42718

Attendance Taken at : 5:58 PM

Present Board Members:

David Hall

Jason Cox

Terry Kingsley

A. CALL TO ORDER, INVOCATION & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

B. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Order #125 - Motion Passed: Approval of the agenda as presented passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

C. RECOGNITIONS & PRESENTATIONS

I. TCHS Recognitions

II. Annual Energy Savings Report - CMTA Energy Solutions

D. APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

Order #126 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

I. Approval of Minutes

II. Payments of Claims & Contract Salaries & Financial Reports

1. AP Check Reconciliation Register

2. AP Check Reconciliation Worksheet

3. Monthly Analysis

4. Monthly Financial Recap

5. Monthly Financial Report

6. Monthly Interest Rate

7. TCPC Financial Report

8. TCIS Financial Report

9. TCMS Financial Report

10. TCHS Financial Report

11. Food Service Financial Report

III. Report of Personnel Actions taken by the Superintendent

IV. Leave Requests

1. FMLA Requests

a. Request for FMLA Leave (revised) - Employee #4103

b. Request for FMLA Leave - Employee #4770

V. Facility and Travel Request

1. February 18, 2026, Campbellsville Christian Church, Second Grade Leadership Team, TCPC, H. Ogle & A. Clark

2. February 23-24, 2026, KY Association of Gifted Education, Lexington, TCIS, M. Cox

3. March 1-3, 2026, Jr. Beta Convention, Lexington, TCMS, M. McAnelly

4. March 1-3, 2026, Jr. Beta Convention, Lexington, TCMS, L. Hays

5. March 1-3, 2026, Jr. Beta Convention, Lexington, TCMS, C. Gupton

6. March 1-3, 2026, Jr. Beta Convention, Lexington, TCMS, A. Cooke

7. March 1-3, 2026, Jr. Beta Convention, Lexington, TCMS, T. Wood

8. March 11-13, 2026, KAST Spring Conference, Louisville, District-Technology, K. Arnett

9. March 11-13, 2026, KAST Spring Conference, Louisville, District-Technology, A. VanMeter

10. March 11-13, 2026, KAST Spring Conference, Louisville, District-Technology, C. Henderson

11. March 11-13, 2026, KAST Spring Conference, Louisville, District-Technology, M. Mitchell

12. March 19, 2026, Hardin Co. Performing Arts Center & Lincoln's Birthplace, TCIS-3rd Grade,

13. March 24-27, 2026, State FCCLA Meeting, Galt House, Louisville, TCHS, D. Shewmaker

14. May 19, 21 & 27, 2026, The Alley, 4th Grade End of Year Celebration, TCIS, D. Cowherd & T. Rogers

15. Superintendent Travel

VI. Shortened School Day Waivers

VII. SBDM Minutes

VIII. Gifts and Donations

E. ITEMS FOR DISCUSSION OR APPROVAL

I. Approval of Pay Apps for the TCHS Phase VI Extension Project in the amount of \$417,840.44.

Order #127 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall Yes

Jason Cox Yes

Terry Kingsley Yes

II. Approval of Pay Apps for the TCHS Phase VI Pool Project in the amount of \$140,617.83.

Order #128 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall Yes

Jason Cox Yes

Terry Kingsley Yes

III. Approval of Change Order No. 005 - CE #005 - Sprinturf, LLC for the TCHS Phase VI Extension Project in the amount of \$13,727.00.

Order #129 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

Hauling of spoils

IV. TCIS Junior Beta Club requests transportation funding to attend the 2026 KY State Convention in Lexington, KY, March 3-4, 2026.

Order #130 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

V. TCHS Beta Club requests transportation funding to attend the 2026 KY State Convention in Lexington, KY, March 4-6, 2026.

Order #131 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

VI. The TCMS Academic Team requests transportation funding to attend the regional competition in London, KY, on February 9 and 14, 2026.

Order #132 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

VII. Approval of revised Policy 04.61 Gifts and Donations - 2nd Reading

Order #133 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

VIII. Approval of Family Resource and Youth Services Center School District Assurance Certification FYs 2026-2028.

Order #134 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

IX. Approval of Memorandum of Agreement with The Adanta Group to provide mental health services for 2025-2026.

Order #135 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

X. Approval of Memorandum of Agreement with Seasons of Life Therapy to provide mental health services for 2025-2026.

Order #136 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

XI. Approval for TCHS Financial Literacy classes to travel to Franklin, TN, to tour the Dave Ramsey Studios on March 31, 2026.

Order #137 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

XII. Review of Policy 08.2323 - Access to Electronic Media with the opportunity for public questions/comments.

XIII. Approval to accept bid and contract with DUO Broadband for internet service at TCHS/CKCA.

Order #138 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

This contract is for a sixty (60) month period, with the option of an additional sixty (60) months.

F. UPDATE/INFORMATION ON DISTRICT PROGRAMS/ACTIVITIES

I. Grant Report

G. NEW BUSINESS/PUBLIC COMMENT

H. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

I. Robert Braden, Superintendent

Supt. Braden shared that Saturday night's Dancing with the Cards fundraiser was a great success, showcasing an impressive amount of talent.

II. Melissa Long, Taylor County Primary Principal

Melissa Long (TCPC Principal) stated that the Primary students very much enjoyed attending the District-wide Pep Rally last Friday at the high school. Students will be celebrating the 100th Day of School this week and also have the opportunity to participate in a Sweetheart Social.

III. Jennifer Fitzpatrick, Taylor County Intermediate Principal

Jennifer Fitzpatrick (TCIS Principal) mentioned that MAP testing has concluded for Intermediate students. Several RTI students demonstrated progress and have successfully tested out of the intervention program. Also, Nine Weeks Celebration is upcoming with awards and tacos for students.

IV. Christina Bishop, Taylor County Middle School Principal

Christina Bishop (TCMS Principal) reported the TCMS Academic Team recently won regionals and will be competing at the District Competition in London, KY this month. TCMS Jr. Beta State Convention is scheduled to take place in Lexington, KY in March.

V. Neil Sanders, Taylor County High School Principal

Neil Sanders (TCHS Principal) praised the TCHS Academic Team for winning the District Championship. He also highlighted the District-wide Pep Rally held at the high school for Homecoming last Friday and discussed the various student events held throughout the week in celebration. The Ag Dept. will host Feed a Farmer and Drive a Tractor to School on March 19 and Show Choir will present its annual spring performance on March 28.

VI. DiAnne Harris, Director of Federal Programs

DiAnne Harris (Director of Federal Programs) reported that ACCESS Testing for English language learners will conclude on Friday, 2/13. The District currently serves approximately 80 English language learners. She also shared that SAT testing for high school Juniors is scheduled for March, and Career & Technical Education Assessments are planned for mid-March. Mrs. Harris further noted that the District is closely monitoring House Bill 257 regarding local accountability models.

VII. Other Administrators

Jon Hall (Food Service Director) invited everyone to visit CK Cafe, which is now open for breakfast each weekday from 7:00-9:00 a.m., with several menu selections available.

Guy Wood (Transportation Director) stated that two new buses are scheduled to arrive on Wednesday, 2/11. He also noted that snow routes operated smoothly during the recent snow event.

I. EXECUTIVE SESSION

I. Executive Session to discuss Superintendent Formative Evaluation as permitted by KRS 156.557 (5)(c) (7)(c).

Order #139 - Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley.

David Hall	Yes
Jason Cox	Yes
Terry Kingsley	Yes

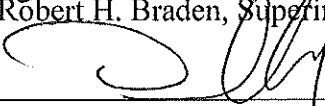
The Board entered Executive Session at 8:10 p.m. following a motion by Terry Kingsley and a second by Jason Cox.

II. Exit Executive Session

The Board came out of Executive Session at 9:46 p.m. with a motion by Jason Cox and a second by Terry Kingsley. No action was taken.

J. ADJOURNMENT


Robert H. Braden, Superintendent


David Hall, Board Chairman