



Amanda-Clearcreek Local School District
Board of Education Meeting
January 26, 2026
7:00 p.m.
Room 1106



Buildings and Grounds Committee
Dr. Jeremy Buckley

1. Opening of Public Session

- a. Call to Order and Roll Call – All members present (Saum, Buckley and Young)
- b. Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. Young
- c. Approval of agenda as presented **014.26**

Motion		Saum		Second		Buckley			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>			Y	<i>Saum</i>			Y	<i>Young</i>

- d. Motion to appoint Kyle Sharp to Vacancy Seat 1 of the Amanda-Clearcreek Board of Education. **015.26**

Motion		Buckley		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>			Y	<i>Saum</i>			y	<i>Young</i>

- e. Swear in Kyle Sharp as Board of Education Member
- f. Motion to appoint Gregg Herron to Vacancy Seat 2 of the Amanda-Clearcreek Board of Education.

Motion		Saum		Second		Buckley		016.26	
Y	<i>Buckley</i>			Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

- g. Swear in Gregg Herron as Board of Education Member

2. Communications

- a. Board Appreciation Month Recognition
- b. Public Participation - none
- c. Student Liaison Report - none
- d. Buildings and Grounds Committee Report (**Attachment 1#, pgs.**) meeting was canceled/postponed
- e. Legislative Liaison Report (Dr. Buckley) - Dr. Buckley gave a brief update on the Budget Commission changes
- f. Building Principals Reports (Preschool, Primary, Elementary, Middle, High) - none
- g. Superintendent Report - Dr. Edwards will send out a video giving the board an update on the strategic planning initiative.

3. Consent Agenda #1

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- a. Accept minutes from previous meeting(s) December 17, 2025 (**Attachment#9, pgs.**)
- b. Accept minutes from the organizational meeting, January 7, 2026 (**Attachment#10, pgs.**)

- c. Approve the substitute list as presented by the Fairfield County ESC and the Pickaway County ESC
(Attachments #2-3, pgs.)
- d. Accept Donations:
 - i. Mike and Kathy Shoemaker - \$100.00 (to purchase book for Primary School)
 - ii. St. John Church - Hats/Gloves/School Supplies (Valued at \$250.00)
 - iii. Tom Whiteside CDJR - Coats (Valued at \$1,235.00)

Motion		Saum		Second		Sharp			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

4. Treasurer Recommendations

- a. Financial status reports will be given by the Treasurer
- b. Approve Financial Reports (Attachment #4, pgs.) 018.26

Motion		Buckley		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

- c. Approve then and now purchase order to approve the following expenditures, declaring at the time of the contract the obligation was lawfully appropriated and was in the treasury of the appropriate fund, free from previous encumbrances:
 - i. Hylant - \$96,185.00 019.26

Motion		Sharp		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

5. Consent Agenda #2: Personnel

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- a. Accept resignations and/or retirements
 - i. Jeff Tilley, for the purpose of retirement, effective the end of the 2025-2026 school year
**Mr. Tilley was hired with the Amanda-Clearcreek School District in 1993. He is retiring with 33 years of service.*
- b. Approve supplemental employment for 2026-2027
 - i. William Johnson, Head Football Coach, Step 4
- c. Education / Experience / Modification of hours update
 - i. Certified
 - 1. Cristen Leppert, MA to MA30
- d. Approve Volunteers for 2025-2026
 - i. Classroom (Attachment#5, pg.) 021.26

Motion		Buckley		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

6. Old Business

- a. Board Student Achievement Liaison appointment - Susan Young (remove the box) 022.26

Motion				Second					
	<i>Buckley</i>		<i>Herron</i>		<i>Saum</i>		<i>Sharp</i>		<i>Young</i>

- b. Policy Updates - Second Read (**Attachment#6, pgs.**) 023.26

- i. EEACD-R-2 - Drug Testing for Motor Van Drivers
- ii. DJC - Bidding Requirements
- iii. IGD - CoCurricular and Extracurricular Activities
- iv. IGDJ - Interscholastic Activities
- v. IKA - Grading Systems
- vi. IKF - Graduation Requirements
- vii. IND / INDA - School Ceremonies and Observances/Patriotic Exercises
- viii. JEDC - Religious Expression Days
- ix. JEFB - Released Time for Religious Instruction
- x. BF - Board Policy Development and Adoption
- xi. DBD - Budget Planning
- xii. DE - Revenues from Tax Sources
- xiii. EBC - Emergency Management and Safety Plans
- xiv. EEA - Student Transportation Services
- xv. EEAC - School Bus Safety Program
- xvi. EEAC -R - Student Conduct on District Managed Transportation
- xvii. EEACD - Drug Testing for Motor Van Drivers and District Personnel Required to hold a commercial driver's license
- xviii. EEAD - Non-Routine Use of School Buses and Motor Vans

Motion		Sharp		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

7. New Business

- a. Approve 2026 Ohio Education Policy Institute Membership (\$1,000) 024.26

Motion		Buckley		Second		Sharp			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

- b. Approve 2026-2027 Academic Calendar (**Attachment#7, pg.**) 025.26

Motion		Buckley		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

- c. Approve staff leave without pay 026.26

- i. Nicholas Grady - 11/5/25, 11/6/25, 11/7/25, 3 days

- ii. Susan Morrison - 10/30/25, 10/31/25, 2 days
- iii. Lakyn Roach - 11/4/25 (6 hours), 12/8/25 (3 hours)

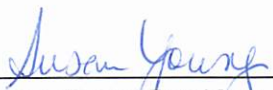
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Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>

8. Board Discussion

- a. OSBA Legal Assistance Fund - Dr. Edwards gave some information about the fund - board would like to put on agenda for February
- b. Board Work Session to review Strategic Change Agenda process - no board work session at this point
- c. Policy Updates - First Read (**Attachment#8, pgs.**)
 - i. EHC - Cybersecurity
 - ii. DLC - Expense Reimbursement
 - iii. FD - Tax Issues
 - iv. FEF - Construction Contracts Bidding and Awards
 - v. GBQ - Criminal Records Check
 - vi. GCI - Professional Staff Assignments and Transfers
 - vii. IGAE - Health Education
 - viii. IGBEA - R -Reading Skills Assessments and Intervention (Third Grade Reading Guarantee)
 - ix. IKE - Promotion and Retention of Students
 - x. JECBB - Interdistrict Open Enrollment
 - xi. JED - Student Absences and Excuses
 - xii. JEDA - Truancy
 - xiii. JFCK - Use of Cellphones and Electronic Communications Devices by Students
 - xiv. JHG - Reporting Child Abuse and Mandatory Training
 - xv. KBA - Public Right to Know

9. Motion for Adjournment Time Adjourned 8:04PM

Motion		Buckley		Second		Saum			
Y	<i>Buckley</i>	Y	<i>Herron</i>	Y	<i>Saum</i>	Y	<i>Sharp</i>	Y	<i>Young</i>



 Susan Young, President



 Lana Fairchild, Treasurer/CFO