

Lakeview School District
Board Meeting
Held at the Mercer County Career Center
January 22, 2026

The Lakeview School District Board of Education met on the above date at 6:13 p.m. with the following board members answering to roll call: Jason Powers, David Pears, Daniel Savolskis, Steven Beggs, Betty Moore, Adam Saeler, Jamie Galentine, Mike Rotz, and Travis Elder. Also present, Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent and Mrs. Cheryl McCauley, Business Manager/Board Secretary.

EXECUTIVE SESSION:

- The Board President, Mr. Jason Powers, called an Executive Session at 6:13 p.m. that ended at 6:23 p.m. and the Board Meeting then continued. Personnel issues were discussed.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

MOMENT OF SILENCE

ROLL CALL

MINUTES

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Steve Beggs to approve the Meeting Minutes for the Reorganizational Meeting held on December 4, 2025 and the Work Session and Board Meeting held on December 18, 2025.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

COMMUNICATION FROM BOARD PRESIDENT:

Mr. Jason Powers thanked everyone for coming out to the Career Center for a Board Meeting. It was nice having everyone here to see where I work and I wish other Districts would do the same. He reminded the Board Members to complete their School Director Training.

He also thanked Mr. Caleb Stright for accepting to be the 2026 Commencement Speaker.

CAFETERIA RPT

A motion was made by Dan Savolskis, seconded by Steve Beggs to approve the Cafeteria Financial Report, as presented:

Cafeteria Invoices: Check# 2754

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by Steve Beggs to approve the financial reports, as listed and also shown on the Finance Google drive accessible by all Board Members:

General Fund Invoices: CH# - 34683-34778

General Fund Revenue Summary: December 2025

Payroll Account Summary: December 2025

Cafeteria Account Summary: December 2025

Treasurer's Report: December 2025

FSA Account Summary: December 2025

HRA Account Summary: December 2025

Debit Card Summary: December 2025

General Fund Cash Summary: December 2025

Student Account Summary: December 2025

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

**RECOGNITION OF VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT PERTAINING TO THE
AGENDA:**

- No visitors requesting to speak.

OLD BUSINESS:

- The Board of Directors discussed how ticket prices are set for athletic events, band/chorus events and the play. They also discussed who is paying a facility fee, concession fees, etc. They are going to hammer out an equitable plan by next year. Mr. Powers is going to ask other Districts how these events are handled.
- Mr. Jamie Galentine noted that if you participate in the play, you need to raise sponsorship funds that can be anywhere from \$25-250 and that determines how you are listed in the program. Plus, the cost to bring your family to the play on multiple days is a lot. He also noted that afterschool practices last way too long.
- Dr. Adam Saeler thought we should look at the royalty fees that we are paying.
- Mr. David Pears wanted to know why Theatre attempts to raise so much money each year and was it due to a previous Board not wanting to fund the play.
- Mr. Dan Savolskis noted that years ago costumes were crafted from what was in inventory and we built our own sets.
- Mr. Mike Rotz noted that costumes can get expensive and the late practices have been a complaint for years.
- All Board Members were in agreement that they would like to talk to Mrs. Chylo Baun to get some questions answered.
- Dr. Adam Saeler asked Dr. Wolfe - how many Teachers do we need to hire for the Teachers who are retiring. Dr. Wolfe said he is working on that. He is looking into possibly sharing a language Teacher or we use LVA. By school code, you have to offer 2 languages – one for 4 years and the other for 1 year. Dr. Wolfe will update the Board when he has more information.

RETIREMENTS

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by Adam Saeler to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Retirements:

Ms. Lori Peters-McCartney has submitted a letter dated December 11, 2025 of her intent to retire at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

Mrs. Judith Moats has submitted a letter dated December 12, 2025 of her intent to retire at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

Mr. Douglas May has submitted intent to retire dated December 15, 2025 at the end of the 2025-2026 school year.

Ms. Tammy Rose – the vote was tabled to a later date.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SUB LPN

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Steve Beggs to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Substitute LPN to Provide Health Care needs to an Individual Student every other Monday as follows:

Administration recommends approval of Rene Taylor, district substitute LPN and substitute PCA, to work every other Monday from 8:00 am to 3:00 pm from January 12, 2026-May 18, 2026. Ms. Taylor will provide health care needs to an individual student and be paid the hourly substitute LPN rate through ACCESS funds.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

CUSTODIAL

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe,

Superintendent, to approve Custodial Staff through Phoenix Building Services Inc. as follows:

Kristyn Frankenburg is recommended as a substitute custodian for approval through Phoenix Building Services Inc. retroactively December 16, 2025. Ms. Frankenburg works in the food service department as a Metz employee as well.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RESIGNATION

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Resignation from Staff for Supplemental Position as follows:

Mary Lynne Reimold submitted a letter of resignation as Lakeview HS Musical choreographer.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

SUPPLEMENTALS

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Supplemental Position:

Administration recommends approval of Meredith White as the Lakeview HS musical choreographer to replace Mary Lynne Reimold.

Compensation for the paid position listed above is per the Professional Contract. In the event the extracurricular activity does not commence in the 2025-2026 school year or federal, state or local order prohibits holding the extracurricular activity, employees previously appointed to an extracurricular position will not be paid. If only some portion of the season or activity is held in the 2025-2026 school year, employees appointed to fill an extracurricular position will be paid a pro-rated share of their salary based on

the period of service which was rendered upon board review and approval.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

KELLY SVS STAFF

Travis Elder made a motion, seconded by Jamie Galentine to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve a Kelly Services Staff as follows:

Approval is requested for the following Kelly Services staff to serve the Lakeview School District in the capacities listed for the 2025-2026 school year.

Lisa Furman as a MPP three days per week (T, Th, F) at Oakview effective January 27, 2026

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

COACH

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the firing of a Sport Assistant Coach for the 2025-2026 School Year as follows:

Administration recommends approval of the following coaching staff as requested by the board approved head coach and/or athletic director:

Season	School Year	Sport	Recommended Coach	Position
Spring	2025-2026	Volleyball	*Kelci McLallen	Jr. High Coach

*pending clearances

Compensation for paid position listed above is per the Professional Contract. In the event the athletic/extracurricular activity does not commence in the 2025-2026 school year or federal, state or local order prohibits holding the athletic/extracurricular activity, employees previously appointed to an

athletic/extracurricular position will not be paid. If only some portion of the season or activity is held in the 2025-2026 school year, employees appointed to fill an athletic or other extracurricular position will be paid a pro-rated share of their salary based on the period of service which was rendered upon board review and approval.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

CONFERENCES

Mike Rotz made a motion, seconded by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following conferences/workshops:

Administration recommends approval of the following conferences/workshops:

Staff Name	Conference/ Workshop/ Training Name	Location	Date	Cost	Notes
Wanda Wagner Jacqueline McCullough Kelly Messina	PaPBS 2026 Coaches' Day	Webinar through PaTTAN	Thurs., 1/15/26	\$471.60-3 teacher subs	Retroactive Approval; Title IIA
Josh Stonebraker Tracy McBride	CAC/Principals Meeting	MIU4, Grove City, PA	Fri., 1/23/26		Title IIA if any cost
Jenn Redfoot	PBIS Coach's Day	MIU4, Grove City, PA	Thurs., 2/19/26	\$157.20 teacher sub	Title IIA
Curtis Ace	Principals Understanding How to Lead Special Education	Online through PDE, Bureau of Special Education	Weds., 1/28/26 Weds., 2/11/26 Weds., 3/4/26 Weds., 4/8/26		Title IIA if any cost
Josh Stonebraker	Aspiring to Leadership	PASA webinar	Weds., 2/4/26	\$89 reg.	Title IIA
Rebecca Williams	Gifted Teacher Meeting	MIU4, Grove City, PA	Mon., 5/11/26	Mileage	

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

DRIVER

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Travis Elder to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following Watson's Inc. Driver:

Administration recommends approval of Lisa A. Ward as a Watson's Inc. Van Driver for the 2025-2026 school year.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

TRANSPORTATION

This agenda item was tabled until next month to gather additional information for the Boards review.

DISTRICT VAN

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following District Van Usage:

Group	Advisor/Coach	Date(s)	Destination	# of vans	Notes
HS Spec. Ed	Sandy Hankin	2/3-3/12/26 (Tues. & Thurs.)	Student Residences	1	Take students home after Driver's Education

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FIELD TRIPS

Adam Saeler made a motion, second by Mike Rotz to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following field/student activity trips:

Group	Advisor/Teacher	Location	Dates	District Cost	Notes
HS	Doug Iorio	Thiel College	2/10/26	\$157.20 teacher sub; \$220 for 1 H&W bus to be reimbursed.	Education Summit for HS students considering a career in teaching.
3 rd Grade	3 rd Grade Teachers	Cochranon Lanes	5/12/26	\$80.50 for 1 nurse sub; \$270.00 for 2 buses Fuel for 1 district van	PEP will pay all costs involved with the trip including transportation.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

FUNDRAISERS

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Adam Saeler to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following fundraisers:

Group	Advisor/Teacher	Fundraiser	Dates	Projected Profit	Reason
MS Student Council	Samantha Moon	Candy Gram	1/26-2/6/26	\$100	Raise funds for events within the MS, including the upcoming semi-formal and field day
OV PEP	Kayla Armstrong Jen Jones Heidi Davis	Coin Drive	2/17-2/20/26	\$1,100	Raise funds for OV PEP account
LMS Students for Charity	Susan Patterson	Coin Drive	2/23-3/6/26	\$0	Collection will be donated to the Children's Miracle Network

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

AGREEMENT

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the following 2025-2026 School Service Agreement for Lakeview School to participate in the Mercer County Girls on the Run (GOTR) Program:

Administration recommends approval of the Mercer County Girls on the Run (GOTR) Program School Service Agreement 2025-2026 (Google Docs).

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

GUIDANCE PLAN

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by Steve Beggs to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to review the K-12 Guidance Plan as follows:

Administration recommends review and acceptance of the proposed K-12 Guidance Plan as presented. Upon board review, the plan will be submitted to PDE. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes;

Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

AGREEMENT

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Service Agreement between Lakeview School District and Sandy Lake Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company as follows:

Administration recommends approval of the Service Agreement between Lakeview School District and Sandy Lake Volunteer Fire and Rescue Company to provide stand-by Emergency Medical Services for boys' and girls' junior high, junior varsity and varsity home basketball events. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

TRANSPORTATION

Mike Rotz made a motion, second by Dan Savolskis to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Adjusted Transportation Contractor Pay Rates as follows:

Administration recommends approval of the adjusted transportation contractor pay rates as previously discussed.

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RESOLUTION

Dan Savolskis made a motion, second by David Pears to approve the recommendation of Dr. Keith Wolfe, Superintendent, to approve the Adoption of a Resolution for 2026-2027 Property Tax Adjustment not to Exceed Established Index as follows:

The Adoption of this Resolution verifies that the Board of Directors will not raise the rate of the property tax by more than the established index for 2026-2027 which has been set by the State. This adopted

Resolution further results in 1) the District foregoing the preliminary Budget process and instead following the traditional June Budget timeline; 2) the District not seeking referendum exceptions from PDE or the Court of Common Pleas to raise taxes beyond its established Index of 4.4%; and 3) the District not asking voters in the May Primary Election to authorize increasing the tax rate beyond the Index. (Google Docs)

Roll call vote as follows: Saeler, yes; Elder, yes; Beggs, yes; Galentine, yes; Pears, yes; Powers, yes; Rotz, yes; Moore, yes; Savolskis, yes. Motion carried on a voice vote.

RECOGNITION OF VISITORS/PUBLIC COMMENT ON NON-AGENDA TOPICS:

- No comments from visitors.

COMMENTS/QUESTIONS FROM BOARD MEMBERS:

- Mr. David Pears asked Dr. Wolfe if the District is ready for a Remote Learning Day on Monday. Dr. Wolfe replied that the District is ready.

ADJOURNMENT:

Dan Savolskis made a motion, seconded by Travis Elder to adjourn at 6:57 p.m.

Board Minutes Prepared by:

Cheryl McCauley
Business Manager/Board Secretary