

**West Canada Valley Board of Education**  
**Regular Meeting Agenda**  
**Monday, March 9, 2026 - 6:00 PM**

- I. **Call to Order**
- II. **Pledge of Allegiance**
- III. **Consent agenda** – The Board agrees to accept and/or approve the following:
  - A. Administration Report(s)
  - B. Prior minutes
  - C. Warrants
  - D. CSE/CPSE Reports
  - E. Treasurer’s Report
  - F. Budget Report
  - G. Claims Audit Report
- IV. **Proposed Executive Session: The Board will recess into Executive Session to discuss:**
  - A. the review and appointment of employees
- V. **Action Items**
  - A. Personnel Report
  - B. HFHO BOCES BOE Candidate Nominations (3 open seats)
  - C. Adopt Resolution Authorizing Submission of Transportation Proposition to the Voters on 05/19/2026
  - D. Adopt Resolution Authorizing the District’s Participation in the Oswego County BOCES Cooperative Purchasing Program for Water Testing and Sampling Services
  - E. Adopt Resolution Opting-In to Real Property Tax Law § 487 Exemption
  - F. Adopt Resolution Authorizing a Tax Levy Increase for the Newport Free Library
  - G. Adopt 2026-2027 District Calendar
- VI. **Action Items - Policy Updates**
  - A. Audited Policies Presented for **Approval**:
    - 1. 6110 - Code of Ethics for All District Personnel
    - 2. 0011 - NEW - Gender Neutral Single-Occupancy Bathroom Facilities
    - 3. 3421 - Title IX Grievance Process
    - 4. 3420 Statement for Emergency Conditional or Conditional Appointment
    - 5. 5692 - HIV Instructional and Employment Obligations
    - 6. 0017 - NEW- Student Registration and Pre-Registration to Vote
    - 7. 5640 - Tobacco, Nicotine , and E-Cigarette Use Prohibited
    - 8. 6540 - Indemnification and Defense of School Employees
  - B. Audited Policies Presented for **Deletion**:
    - 1. 3420 - Non-Discrimination and Anti-Harassment in the School District
    - 2. 3421 - Title IX and Sex Discrimination
    - 3. 5640 - Smoking/Tobacco Use
    - 4. 5692 - Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Related Illnesses
    - 5. 6120 - Equal Employment Opportunity
    - 6. 6540 - Defense and Indemnification of Board Members and Employees
    - 7. 7550 - Dignity For All Students
    - 8. 7551 - Sexual Harassment of Students
    - 9. 7552 - Bullying: Peer Abuse in the Schools
    - 10. 7553 - Hazing of Students
    - 11. 8130 - Equal Educational Opportunities
    - 12. 8211 - Prevention Instruction

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**VII. Policy Updates**

- A. Audited Policies Presented for the **Second Reading**:
1. 1001 - Community Use of School Facilities
  2. 1002 - Visitors to the School
  3. 1003 - School Volunteers
  4. 1004 - Use of Buses by Community Groups
  5. 1006 - Service Animals
  6. 1007 - Student Participation
  7. 1008 - Parent-Teacher Organizations
  8. 1009 - Booster Clubs/Parent/Teacher Organizations
  9. 1010 - Operation of Motor-Driver Vehicles on District Property
  10. 1100 - Records Management and Access
  11. 1200 - Parent and Family Engagement in Title I Programs
  12. 1300 - Handling and Disseminating Identifying Information Received Regarding Sex Offenders
  13. 1301 - Advertising on District Property
  14. 1303 - District Publications and News Media Relations
  15. 1400 - Constitutionally Protected Prayer in the Schools
  16. 8204 - Courses Including Dissection of Animals
  17. 8702 - Animals in School (Therapy)

**VIII. Discussion Items**

- A. Budget Workshop IV
- B. Pre-Kindergarten Program/Grant Audit
- C. ParentSquare Digital Report Cards
- D. M&T Bank and Collection of School Taxes
- E. 2026-2027 District Calendar

**IX. Announcements**

- **March 11 - Music in Our Schools Month All-Chorus Concert, 7:00 PM**
- **March 19-20 - Elementary Parent Teacher Conferences & UPK Registration**
- **March 20-21 - All County II at Frankfort-Schuyler CSD**
- **March 25 - Superintendent's Conference Day (No Students PreK-12)**
- **March 27-28 - WCV Drama Production *The Great Gatsby*, 7:00 PM**
- **April 2 (Thursday) - Special Board Meeting - Budget Presentation, 6:00 PM**
- **April 3 - Good Friday (Building and Offices Closed)**
- **April 6-10 - Spring Break - No Classes**
- **April 13 (Monday) - 2026-27 Budget Hearing, 6:00 PM; Board of Education Regular Mtg., 6:30 PM**
- **April 15 (Wednesday) - Special Board Meeting - BOE Votes for BOCES BOE Members**
- **April 20 (Monday) - School Board Candidate Petitions due by 5:00 PM**

**X. Public Comments**

We welcome public comments that are related to the agenda. We ask that you be respectful of time. We ask that you state your name and where you live. Please remember you cannot identify specific staff, student, personnel or board person(s). If you need to address a specific situation we ask that you contact the Superintendent directly. Thank you.

**XI. Adjourn**