

**GREENSBURG COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
TUESDAY, JANUARY 13, 2026 6:10 PM**

Those present were Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer. Also present were Tom Hunter, Andrea Phillips, Vicki Houk.

The regular meeting began after the 2026 Finance Meeting concluded.

Meredith Acra made a motion, seconded by Steve Stringer to approve the minutes of the December 9, 2025 board meeting. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Ryan Maddux made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the vouchers as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

OLD BUSINESS

Mr. Hunter reported on the fund balances. Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Meredith Acra to approve the financial report as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Mr. Hunter provided board members with the School Corporation Health Compliance for 2025.

NEW BUSINESS

Mr. Hunter reviewed the Cost Containment Initiatives for GCS. Adjustments may be needed for the 2026-2027 school year; the corporation will look to address costs in terms of employee attrition. Health Insurance adjustments may be needed to the 2027 budget cycle.

Current pay schedules will be examined district-wide and adjust where possible to keep our salaries competitive.

Superintendent's Report:

- Ryan Maddux made a motion, seconded by Meredith Acra to reappoint Stephanie Kress as local Board Counsel. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.
- Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Jon Dooley to reappoint Kroger, Gardis & Regas as Labor Counsel for the Board. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.
- Mr. Hunter provided board members with the TIF Board request. The request will be presented at the January 21, 2026 meeting.
- Mr. Hunter reported that our current administrators are in the process of updating the Teacher Evaluation process for 2026-2027.
- TAG (teacher Appreciation Grant) Application was provided to all current teachers and they have been encouraged to apply. A one-time stipend of \$3,500.00 will be awarded to 20 certified teachers. Award decisions will be made by the GCS TAG Selection Committee (consisting of teacher leaders and administrators across the district).
- Meredith Acra made a motion, seconded by Ryan Maddux to approve the GHS FFA field trip request on 2/12/2026 to Louisville, KY. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Ryan Maddux to approve the 2027-2028 and 2028-2029 school calendars option 1 as presented. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Donations:

Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Meredith Acra to approve the following donations:

\$5,000.00 from River View Farms to GHS FFA

\$500.00 from First Baptist Church to GJHS FCA

\$2,500.00 from EDC to GJHS (Greenhouse Project)

\$1,500.00 from EDC to GHS Career Exploration (Business & Ag)

\$2,090.00 from EDC to GES STEM Lab

Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Resignations & Retirements:

Jon Dooley made a motion, seconded by Meredith Acra to approve the following:

Ginny Morath – Retirement GHS Teacher end of school year

Annette Eby – Resignation GES Teacher

Micheal Greer – Terminated GHS Cafeteria

Kylea Himes – Resignation GJHS/GHS Media Assistant

Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

Appointments:

Meredith Acra made a motion, seconded by Christy Norton to approve the following:

Sara Dickey – Accounts Payable at Central Office

Liz Pavy – GJHS Special Ed Teacher 2026-2027 school year

Natalie Rogers – GES Temporary Teaching Assistant

Hannah Warrick – GHS Teaching Assistant

Hilary Otter – GJHS Teaching Assistant

Jessica Garrett – GJHS Teaching Assistant

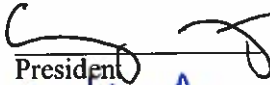
Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.

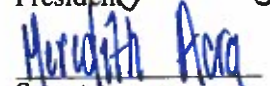
Other:

Mr. Hunter reminded board members the Board Retreat is scheduled on Saturday, February 21, 2026 at central office.

The next regular meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 10, 2026 at 6:00 PM.

Christy Norton made a motion, seconded by Jon Dooley to adjourn the meeting at 6:35 PM. Motion carried 6-0. Voting in favor: Emily McNulty, Meredith Acra, Ryan Maddux, Jon Dooley, Christy Norton, and Steve Stringer.


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Secretary