

# VALLEY VIEW LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION

## REGULAR MEETING

FEBRUARY 9, 2026

The Board of Education met in a regular session on February 9, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. in the Valley View Administration Building – Room 104, 6027 Farmersville-Germantown Pike, Germantown, Ohio.

### ROLL CALL

By call of roll, the following members were present: Mr. Rudd, Mr. Scholler, Dr. Smith, Ms. Griffith and Mr. Dillon.

Also in attendance were Keaton Bowman, Student Representative, Ms. Andrea Cook, Superintendent, and Mrs. Valorie Hill, Treasurer.

### PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE

The Board President led the audience in the pledge of allegiance.

### RECOGNITION OF VISITORS AND COMMUNICATIONS

- Middle School Curriculum 2026-2027 – Valerie Jones
- High School Curriculum 2026-2027 – Patrick McKee

### PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Liberty Walton

413 E. Center Street, Germantown

### 2026-027: MINUTES

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the minutes of the following Board of Education Regular Meeting – January 12, 2026.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### BUILDING PROJECT UPDATE

Erick Depew presented current progress on the building project.

### FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

#### 2026-028: FINANCIAL REPORTS/REQUESTS

A motion was made by Mr. Scholler and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Financial Statements for the month ending January 31, 2026.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

#### 2026-029: FINANCIAL FORECAST

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the financial forecast and notes & assumptions.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

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### **2026-030: THEN AND NOW CERTIFICATIONS**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Scholler to approve the following then and now certifications. The amount required to meet this obligation was in the treasury or in the process of collection:

Vendor: MCECSC  
Invoice date: 11/11/2025  
P.O. date: 01/14/2026  
Amount: \$3,742.20

Vendor: MCECSC  
Invoice date: 10/23/2025  
P.O. date: 01/14/2026  
Amount: \$9,450.00

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-031: DONATION APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Dr. Smith and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the donation from the Germantown Lions Club for the 8<sup>th</sup> grade trip to Washington D.C. in the amount of \$1,000.00.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-032: CELL PHONE ALLOWANCE APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve a \$40/month cell phone allowance for the board policy authorized staff for calendar year 2026.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

## **NEW BUSINESS**

### **2026-033: MOVE MOTION APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to modify the agenda and move agenda item 'personnel action' to after the executive session.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-034: AGREEMENT APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Dillon and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Sinclair CCP agreement.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-035: BPA TRIP APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Scholler to approve the Valley View Business Professionals of America trip to the BPA State Leadership Conference at the Columbus Convention Center from February 23-24, 2026.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

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## **2026-036: TRUSTEE APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Scholler to approve Jon Vincent being reappointed as Trustee for the Germantown Public Library, expiring December 31, 2029.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

## **BOARD DISCUSSION REGARDING FARMERSVILLE AND GERMANTOWN BUILDINGS**

### **2026-037: OHSAA MEMBERSHIP APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Scholler to approve continued membership in the Ohio High School Athletic Association for 2026-2027.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-038: VV ELEMENTARY LITERACY PLAN APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to approve the Valley View Elementary Literacy Plan.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-039: GIFTED IDENTIFICATION PLAN APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Dr. Smith and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve the Valley View District Gifted Identification and Service Plan.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-040: MIDDLE SCHOOL COURSE OF STUDIES APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the Valley View Middle School 2026-2027 course of studies.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

### **2026-041: HIGH SCHOOL COURSE OF STUDIES APPROVAL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Mr. Dillon to approve the Valley View High School 2026-2027 course of studies.  
Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

## **SUPERINTENDENT'S COMMENTS**

Ms. Cook explained that the courses being offered at our middle school and high school are constantly being updated to ensure that they offer the most benefit to students and thanked staff for their hard work helping to implement them, thanked the community for their patience with the district's decisions in regards to the snowy weather recently, and lastly, wished luck to the Valley View bowling, middle school basketball, and swimming teams, collectively, as they compete in the upcoming week.

## **BOARD MEMBER COMMENTS**

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**2026-042: EXECUTIVE SESSION**

Pursuant to Ohio Revised Code 121.22(G)(1), a motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to enter into executive session for the purpose of considering employment of a public employee. Mr. Rudd, Mr. Dillon, Mr. Scholler, Ms. Griffith, Dr. Smith, Mrs. Hill, and Ms. Cook entered into Executive Session at 6:53 p.m. Executive session ended at 7:30 p.m.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

**2026-043: PERSONNEL**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Ms. Griffith to approve personnel action as recommended.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

**2026-044: ADJOURNMENT**

A motion was made by Mr. Rudd and seconded by Dr. Smith to adjourn the meeting at 7:32 P.M.

Call on motion: Mr. Rudd, yes; Mr. Scholler, yes; Mr. Dillon, yes; Ms. Griffith, yes; Dr. Smith, yes.  
Motion Passed (5 yes)

*Valorie A. Hill*

Valorie A. Hill (Mar 10, 2026 10:56:50 EDT)

Treasurer

*Timothy Rudd*

Timothy Rudd (Mar 10, 2026 10:53:21 EDT)

Board President