

MINUTES OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD MEETING
WILLIAMSON COUNTY SPECIAL EDUCATION DISTRICT

May 9, 2025

Regular

WCES Conference Room

9:00 A.M.

EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBERS

Present

Absent

Mrs. Kathy Clark, Unit I

Mrs. Becky Moss, Unit II

Mr. Sy Stone, Unit III

Mr. Nathaniel Wilson, Unit IV

Mrs. Sarah Barnstable, Unit V

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:

Jami Hodge, WCES Director

Kristi White, WCEA

Jenny Malanowski, Treasurer

Chairman Kathy Clark called the Executive Board Meeting to order at 9:07 a.m.

Roll call was taken with Mrs. Clark, Mr. Stone, Mr. Wilson and Mrs. Barnstable present.

No visitor participation

Mr. Wilson made the motion to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Mr. Stone seconded the motion.

Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Mr. Wilson made the motion to accept the personnel report as presented. Mrs. Barnstable seconded the motion.

- Cristyn Farris - hire as a certified teacher for the FY26 school year pending EHR, TB, physical, verification of fingerprints, and finalization of licensure and paperwork
- Ansley Bailey - hire as a certified teacher for the FY26 school year pending EHR, TB, physical, verification of fingerprints, and finalization of licensure and paperwork
- Macie McDowell - resignation email dated April 22, 2025 effective May 6, 2025
- Natalie King - resignation email dated April 24, 2025 effective May 22, 2025
- Lisa Lasseter - resignation email dated April 24, 2025 effective immediately
- Heather Shea - resignation email dated April 28, 2025 effective May 27, 2025
- Julie Hill - resignation letter dated April 23, 2025 effective the end of FY25
- Barb Abell - request for medical leave dated May 3, 2025
- Sara Parnell - resignation email dated May 4, 2025 effective immediately
- Dismissal ESP

Certified Transfers 2025-2026

Ronald Schultz - HJHS, Special Programs
Eli Gunter - CHS, Building Based
Met Armstrong - CHS, Special Programs
Melinda McGill - MJHS DHH Program
Jara Kresca - Itinerant, DHH Program
Maggie Craig - Jefferson 1, Building Based
Jon Watts - Lincoln 1/ JCHS, Building Based

Support Personnel Transfers 2025-2026

Allison Hottenson - MHS
Jacqueline Ferguson - HES
Matt Pribble - MJHS
Hallie Ragan - HES
Heather Adams - HJHS
Ieesha Porritt - HJHS
Haley Cornaglia - Washington JC
David Mosher - HHS

Upon roll call, Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Mr. Wilson made the motion to accept the WCES, WCECC, WCTE 2025-2026 Meeting Dates.
Mr. Stone seconded the motion.

Upon roll call, Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Mrs. Barnstable made the motion to accept the Proposal to Amend the 2024-2025 WCES Budget. Mr. Wilson seconded the motion.

Upon roll call, Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Mrs. Barnstable made the motion to accept the Board Officer Appointments. Mrs. Kathy Clark seconded the motion.

Upon roll call, Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

April 2025 Transportation Invoice, Work Based Learning Grant Award, Timely & Meaningful Consultation and Press Plus 118 – First Read presented.

Directors Report:

- Idea Upward Amendments completed and approved
- Mike Bost – national webinar held; anticipated 10% reduction in revenue
- Timely & Meaningful – zoom meeting to be held May 14, 2025 to discuss the districts Timely and Meaningful plan for providing special education services to students with disabilities who attend private schools or are homeschooled

- IASA Reimbursement Model for Non-Public Schools – extended to include public coop programs; proration will be less; Purchase Care Review submitted and approved for the Learning Center
- Prairie Health Consortium – switching to Blue Cross Blue Shield July 1, 2025

Mr. Nathaniel Wilson made the motion to adjourn the meeting. Mrs. Barnstable seconded the motion.

Members Clark, Stone, Barnstable and Wilson voted “yea.” Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned at 9:46 a.m.

MINUTES ATTESTED TO:

Kathy Clark, Chairman of the Board

Nathaniel Wilson, Secretary to the Board
