

GARFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT #302 / PALOUSE SCHOOL DISTRICT #301

Exempt Board Meeting

6:00 pm – Palouse School Library

Thursday, March 26, 2026

- I. **Introduction**
- V. **New Business**
 - A. Negotiations – Discussion of negotiation items and direction.
- VI. **Adjournment**

PALOUSE SCHOOL DISTRICT #301

Board Meeting

7:00 pm – Palouse School Library

Thursday, March 26, 2026

<https://zoom.us/j/99740305270>

- I. Opening of Meeting
 - A. Introduction
 - B. Request(s) to address the Board

- II. Changes in Agenda

- III. Consent Agenda *Action*
 - A. Accounts Payable
 - a. General Fund
 - b. Capital Projects
 - c. Payroll

 - B. Approval of Minutes
 - a. February 2026; Board Meeting

- V. Reports to the board *Information*
 - A. Business Manager
 - B. Principal Report
 - C. Superintendent Report

- VI. New Business *Action*
 - A. High School WIAA Resolution #274
 - B. Study and Survey – Resolution #275

- VII. Executive: Personnel - RCW [42.30.110](#) (G, H)

- VIII. Adjournment



GARFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT #302
REGULAR BOARD MEETING
Thursday, March 26, 2026
Palouse School Library at 7:00 pm.
Zoom Meeting Link: <https://zoom.us/j/99740305270>

Welcome to the Garfield-Palouse Cooperative School Board meeting, and thank you for being here. We encourage public participation, with comments taken prior to the meeting for items not on the agenda and before the board votes on action items.

To ensure a respectful and productive meeting, please listen quietly, avoid interruptions, and share comments only during the designated public comment times. Disruptive behavior, including shouting, excessive applause, or personal remarks and attacks, will not be allowed and may result in removal.

- I. Opening of Meeting**
 - A. Introductions**
 - B. Request(s) to Address the Board**
- II. Changes to Agenda**
- III. Consent Agenda**
 - A. Accounts payable for December**
 1. General Fund
 2. Payroll
 3. Capital Projects
 4. ASB Fund
 5. Transportation Fund
 - B. Approval of Minutes from February 26, Regular Board Meeting**
 - C. Approval of Minutes from the March 12, Special Board Meeting**
- IV. Old Business**
- V. New Business**
 - A. Recommendation to hire Deborah Anderson as the business manager for 2026-2027 school year.**
 1. Continue ESD contract through August 31.
 2. Contract with ESD Business Manager's Academy
 - B. Recommendation to purchase four-wheeler**
- VI. Reports**
 - A. Business Manager**
 - B. Superintendent**
- VII. Executive Session** – *“The board will now move into executive session under RCW 42.30.110(1)(i) to discuss potential litigation with legal counsel. The session is expected to last approximately 20-30 minutes. No action will be taken during the executive session.”*
- VIII. Adjournment**

GARFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT #302 and PALOUSE SCHOOL DISTRICT #301

Joint Board Meeting

7:00 pm – Palouse School Library

Thursday, March 26, 2026

Zoom Meeting: <https://zoom.us/j/99740305270>

I. Introduction

II. Request(s) to address the Board Information

III. Changes in Agenda

IV. Consent Agenda Action / Joint

- A. Approval of Minutes from February 26, Board Meeting

V. Old Business

- A. Policy 2255 - Alternative Learning Experience (ALE) Courses **Action**
- B. **Management of Unpaid Collections** The cooperative will discuss how to manage unpaid collections, including considerations around the dollar amount owed and the length of time accounts have been delinquent.

V. New Business

- A. Establish Calendar Start Date for 2026-2027 School Year **Action**
- B. Recommendation to hire Tani Duncan to teacher middle school electives and support ALE programming contingent on OSPI approval of conditional certification **Action**
 - i. **Regular Certificate:** A fully qualified teacher who has completed an approved program and meets state requirements.
 - ii. **Conditional Certificate:** A temporary certificate allowing a qualified individual to teach when no fully certificated teacher is available
 - iii. **Emergency Certificate:** A short-term certificate used as a last resort to fill a vacancy when no qualified candidates are available.
- C. Recommendation to accept Phil Weagraff's resignation as middle school teacher **Action**
- D. Recommendation to hire **Action**
 - i. Lola Edwards – Assistant Middle School Track
 - ii. Cody Kritzeck – Head Middle School Track
 - iii. Dan Kallaher – Head Middle School Baseball
 - iv. R.J. Hooper – Assistant Middle School Baseball
 - v. Bill Edwards – Volunteer Middle School Track

VII. Reports

- A. Superintendent Reports

VIII. Adjournment