

**WILSON AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT
AGENDA
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
APRIL 13, 2026**

I. CALL TO ORDER

Mrs. Judith Herbstreith, President

II. ROLL CALL/FLAG SALUTE

Ms. Stephanie Arnold, Secretary

III. STUDENT / STAFF RECOGNITION:

Dr. Harrison Bailey III, Superintendent, and Mr. Jeffrey Breidinger, Athletic Director:

- A. School Board recognition of the WAHS Girls' Field Hockey Team for their 2nd place finish in the District XI 1A Tournament
- B. School Board recognition of the WAHS Cheerleading Team for their Colonial League Championship, District XI Small 2A Championship, Small 2A 8th Place Finish at the PIAA State Championship, and 8th Place Finish Division II Small Varsity Non-Tumbling Intermediate Level at the UCA National Competition

IV. PRESENTATIONS

Presented by Dr. Harrison Bailey III, Superintendent:

- A. Personnel – Proposed Job Descriptions and Positions for Approval
 - 1. Grants & Federal Programs Coordinator
 - 2. K-12 College & Career Coordinator

Presented by Mr. Joshua Koch, Wilson Area High School Band Director:

- B. Wilson Area High School 2027 Band Trip to Nashville, TN proposal.

V. COMMUNICATIONS

VI. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

VII. POLICY

- A. Removal of Policy #5123.1 – Promotion and Retention Intermediate School (*Second Read*)
- B. Removal of Policy #6145.6 – High School Senior Privileges (*Second Read*)

- C. Policy #103 – Harassment Affecting Students (with attachments 1- 4)
(Second Read)
- D. Policy #104 – Harassment Affecting Staff (with attachments 1- 3) *(Second Read)*
- E. Policy #204AR – Student Attendance Administrative Regulation *(Second Read)*
- F. Policy #219 – Student Complaint Process and 219AR *(Second Read)*
- G. Policy #232 – Student Involvement in Decision Making *(Second Read)*

VIII. REPORTS

- A. Student Representative
- B. Legislative
- C. Northampton Community College
- D. Career Institute of Technology
- E. Intermediate Unit
- F. Wilson Area Education Association
- G. Curriculum and Federal Grants including Title II Program
- H. Student Services
- I. Technology Committee
- J. Facilities Operations Committee
- K. Athletic Committee
- L. Excellence in Education Committee
- M. Wilson Area Partners in Education Foundation
- N. LINCS
- O. WASD Ally Team

IX. PUBLIC TO BE HEARD

X. MINUTES

- A. March 16, 2026 – Regular School Board Meeting Minutes

XI. TREASURER’S REPORT

XII. INVESTMENT SCHEDULE

XIII. BILLS

A. Regular	– \$	1,007,884.50
B. Cafeteria	– \$	144,965.94
C. Capital Projects	– \$	0.00
D. Retirees	– \$	0.00
E. Capital Reserve	– \$	251,682.26

XIV. OLD BUSINESS

XV. NEW BUSINESS

A. Finance

1. Approval of the Colonial Intermediate Unit 20 2026-2027 Budget
2. Approval of the 1921 Dixie Tax Increment Financing District Resolution
3. Approval of Northampton Community College 2026-2027 Budget
4. Approval of 2026-2027 Office/Art/Industrial Arts Supply Bids

B. Personnel

1. Retirement

- a. Janice Swiatek – Wilson Area Intermediate School – Part-Time Instructional Aide – effective end of 2025-2026 school year – request to remain as substitute
- b. Cindy Tereska – Wilson Area Intermediate School – 6th Grade Teacher – effective end of 2025-2026 school year
- c. Julia Morrissey – 7th Grade Team Leader – effective June 3, 2026 (*Positions of teacher and Math Department Head previously approved on March 16, 2026 School Board meeting.*)

2. Resignation

- a. Benjamin Hindmarch – JV Coach – Boys' Basketball – effective March 17, 2026

3. Appointments

- a. Isaiah DeJesus – Assistant Football Coach – salary \$5,920.00 – effective 2026-2027 season – pending receipt of Act 168 Disclosure Form
- b. Ryan Fegley – Assistant Football Coach – salary \$5,920.00 – effective 2026-2027 season – pending receipt of Act 168 Disclosure Forms
- c. Keith Tone – Volunteer Football Coach – effective 2026-2027 season

4. Substitutes

- a. Anthony Green – Classroom Monitor and Instructional Aide

5. Job Descriptions and Positions

- a. Approval of Grants & Federal Programs Coordinator Job Description AND Position (Start Date: July 1st, 2026)
- b. Approval of K-12 College & Career Coordinator Job Description AND Position (Start Date: Start of 26-27 school year)

6. Change in Status

- a. Julia Morrissey – Retirement effective date extended – FROM June 1, 2026 TO June 3, 2026
- b. Mary Etta Sortino – Retirement effective date extended – FROM June 1, 2026 TO June 3, 2026

C. Curriculum and Instruction

1. Approval of Flexible Instruction Day Plan 2026 - 2027
2. Approval of New Textbook – *Foundations in Personal Finance*
3. Homebound Instruction Request – Student M.M. #320282
4. Homebound Instruction Continuance Request – Student L.E. #290017

D. Miscellaneous

1. Approval of WASD Football Program August 2026 Trip to Florida
2. Election of Trustees: Northampton Community College Board of Trustees Vacancies
 - a. The School Board is asked to individually cast ballots to elect (5) candidates to fill the current vacancies on the Northampton Community College Board of Trustees.
3. Approval of Memorandum of Understanding – between Wilson Area School District and Wilson Borough Police Department
4. Approval of Memorandum of Understanding – between Wilson Area School District and Pennsylvania State Police – Belfast
5. Approval of Wilson Area Intermediate School band day trip to Hershey, PA, to perform and compete at Hershey High School through Music in the Parks organization
6. Approval of Wilson Area High School band day trip to compete in the High Note Music Festival and visit Hersheypark

7. Approval of the Wilson Area High School band day trip to participate in the Apple Blossom Festival Parade located in Winchester, VA
8. Next Regular School Board Meeting – May 18, 2026, 7:00 pm – Administration Building
 - a. Finance Committee Meeting – 5:30pm – Administration Building
 - b. Excellence in Education Committee Meeting – 6:15pm – Administration Building
9. Upcoming Special Board Meetings & Action Items
 - a. Special School Board Meeting: April 16, 2026 – 7:00PM | Administration Building
 - i. Action Item: Act 34 – Approval of Bid Release Process
 - b. Special Board Meeting: June 1, 2026 – 7:00PM | Administration Building
 - i. Action Item: Act 34 – Final Bid Release Approval

XVI. EXECUTIVE SESSION

XVII. ADJOURNMENT