

LICKING VALLEY LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL MEETING, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 15, 2026, at 4:00 p.m.
LICKING VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL MEDIA CENTER, 100 HAINSVIEW DR., NEWARK, OHIO

Vision Statement: Every adult helping every child learn and grow every day.

"This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated in agenda items titled Public Comment - Agenda Items Only and Public Comment - Non-Agenda Items Only." Licking Valley Board Policy 0165.1 - REGULAR MEETINGS

ROLL CALL

The Licking Valley Board of Education met in Special Session on April 15, 2026, at 4:00 p.m. in the Licking Valley High School Media Center. The following members responded to roll call: Mr. Drake McArtor, Mr. Craig Nethers, Mrs. Julie Stedman, Mrs. Jo Lynn Torbert, and Mr. Casey Williams. Mr. Andrew Douglass, Treasurer, was also in attendance.

MOMENT OF SILENCE FOR PRAYER, REFLECTION OR MEDITATION

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

PURPOSE OF THE SPECIAL MEETING

The purpose of the special meeting is to discuss personnel matters to consider the appointment or employment of a public employee or official. The board will enter into executive session for the consideration of personnel.

26-53 PRESENTATION AND ADOPTION OF AGENDA

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Mr. Williams moved and Mrs. Stedman seconded the motion to approve the following.

Adoption of the Agenda

The agenda for April 15, 2026, is recommended to be adopted as presented.

DISCUSSION:

None

Ayes: Mr. Williams, Mrs. Stedman, Mr. McArtor, Mr. Nethers, Mrs. Torbert

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

PUBLIC COMMENT (Agenda Items)

None

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26-54 EXECUTIVE SESSION

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Mr. Williams moved and Mrs. Stedman seconded the motion to adjourn to Executive Session to consider the appointment or employment of a public employee or official.

Ayes: Mr. Williams, Mrs. Stedman, Mr. McArtor, Mr. Nethers, Mrs. Torbert

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

Time out: 4:02 p.m.

Time back: 8:20 p.m.

26-55 ADJOURNMENT

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Mr. Nethers moved and Mrs. Torbert seconded the motion to adjourn.

Mr. McArtor closed the meeting at 8:21 p.m.

Ayes: Mr. Nethers, Mrs. Torbert, Mr. McArtor, Mrs. Stedman, Mr. Williams

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

Drake McArtor, President

Andrew Douglass, Treasurer