

Wishram School District 94
Board Minutes
09/23/25

BOARD MEETING

School Board Directors attendance: School District employees in attendance:

Christina Patten-Rowan Mary Barnhart Jeff Augustus Aireann Duke	Tye Churchwell Sarah Hathaway Brent Cameron Student Rep: NONE
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- Call to Order and Welcome Guests 5:15pm
- Pledge of Allegiance - C.Patten-Rowan
- Questions/comments from the audience - none
- Roll Call

*Clyde Rosa is absent due to scheduling conflicts.
J.Augustus motioned to excuse Clyde Rosa.
A.Duke seconded the motion
Motion passed.*

- CHANGES OR ADDITIONS TO THE AGENDA - NONE

STAFF REPORT

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SUPERINTENDENT REPORT

- School year off to a strong start.
- FP252 Grant (\$1.6M) - HVAC and ventilation upgrades underway.
- Awaiting OSPI 505 grant for new drinking fountains.
- Exploring Outdoor School partnership with Mt. Adams Institute.
- Attending ESD 112 regional meeting; vacation Oct 22-24.
- Modular project complete; retainage \$37,701.26 pending L&I release.
- Modernization Grant 95% complete; chiller parts due Nov; PUD work deferred to summer.
- Controlled entrance and access system planned (\$22.9K + \$27.6K).
- \$100K safety grant submitted; evacuation drills completed; reunification planning in progress.

PRINCIPAL REPORT

- School year began Aug 27 with an all-school assembly; new ASB officers introduced.
- Cell phone policy off to strong start - only 4 violations by 2 students.
- ESD 112 and counselor held interviews for new Career Specialist (grant-funded, 2 days/week in Wishram).
- Two AmeriCorps members start mid-October, assisting with reading and math under Mrs. Snodgrass.
- REACH program began Sept 15; strong turnout and kick-off event held Sept 20 at The Dalles Discovery Center.

Legislative Report

none

Old Business

NONE

New Business (Board Action)

Discussion Item: Policies 5161 and 5281

The School Board and district administration held a discussion around policies 5161 and 5281.

School Board Minutes (Board Action Needed)

AUGUST 7TH 2025 Special Meeting

*J. Augustus motioned to approve (with correction of dollar amount added) the 2025 board meeting minutes as written.
M. Barnhart seconded the motion.
Motion passed.*

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AUGUST 25TH 2025 Regular Meeting

J. Augustus motioned to approve the 8/25/25 board meeting minutes with type on page 2 "PAAGE' TO PACKAGE as written.

M. Barnhart seconded the motion.

Motion passed.

- **Consent Agenda**

- a. Voucher approval-review of monthly bills
- b. Budget status report
- c. Payroll

	WARRANT NUMBER	AMOUNT
GENERAL FUND		
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	36848-36853	\$ 1,763.69
	36854-36877	\$ 67,061.77
		<u>\$ 68,825.46</u>
PAYROLL		\$ 9,962.22
PAYROLL VENDORS		\$ 41,971.94
PAYROLL FUNDS XFER		\$ 151,335.88
	TOTAL PAYROLL	<u>\$ 203,270.04</u>
ASB FUNS		
ACCOUNTS PAYABLE	2244	\$ 30.96
		<u>\$ 30.96</u>
CAPITAL PROJECTS		
	524	<u>\$ 844,294.13</u>

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*M.BARNHART motioned to approve the consent agenda in its entirety
J.AUGUSTUS seconded the motion
Motion PASSED*

- **POLICIES**

WSSDA RELEASE 8/2025

3241/3241P - **Student Discipline**

3241F1

3241F2

3241P

The new discipline rule drafted by OSPI took effect July 11, 2025. The new WSSDA policy is intended to transform complex language into a practical tool that supports effective and legally sound student discipline practices

WSSDA RELEASE 4/2025

2020/2020P **Course Design, Selection, and Adoption of Instructional Materials**

J. Augustus motioned to approve the above-mentioned policy and procedure.

A. Duke seconded the motion

Motion passed.

- **Accolades**

The board sends accolades to the 2 new teachers for all the positive reports.

- **Adjournment 5:56pm**

Tye Churchwell

Tye Churchwell, Board Secretary

Designee

Clb R

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Board Chair or