



**Delaware City Schools Board of Education
Minutes of 5/4/2026
Regular Meeting
Willis Education Center
6:00pm**

2026-MR 1.0 Opening

2026-MR 1.1 Call to Order and Roll Call

The Delaware City Board of Education met in Regular session on 5/4/2026 at 6:00pm at the Willis Education Center.

Members present on roll call were:

Mr. Backus (President)
Mrs. Gasaway (Vice-President)
Ms. Harris
Mr. Wiener
Mrs. Buckerfield
Ms. Fitzharris*

2026-MR-1.2 Salute the Flag

2026-MR-1.3 Adoption of Agenda

Moved by Ms. Harris, seconded by Mrs. Gasaway to adopt this agenda as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Ms. Harris, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea; Ms. Fitzharris, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-1.4 Approve Minutes

Moved by Mrs. Buckerfield, seconded by Ms. Harris to approve the minutes of 4/13/2026 Regular meeting.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Buckerfield, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Ms. Fitzharris, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-1.5 Recognitions and Presentations

- A. Ohio Auditor of State Award with Distinction- Scott Brown, Central Regional Liaison
Ohio Auditor of State- Award Presented to Delaware City School Board of Education and The Treasurer's Office for the District's FY2025 audit
 - The award places the district within the top 4% of organizations audited by the Auditor's Office and recognizes the district for receiving a clean audit report.
- B. SHP Facilities Master Planning Presentation
 - The Board received a facilities master planning update from SHP, the architectural firm partnering with the district on the project. The planning process is currently in the assessment phase, and SHP has toured all but one district building to evaluate needed updates and improvements. A project website, <https://delaware2040.com>, was introduced to help keep the community informed and involved throughout the planning process. The district will also host a Facilities Planning Community Forum on May 14 at Hayes High School. SHP also praised the district's facilities department for its careful maintenance of district buildings.

2026-MR-2.0 Reports

2.1. Unions

- A. DCEA - The union shared that it is thrilled to continue working with SHP, pleased to welcome Matt Kelly as Director of Technology, and appreciative of the support provided by Jen Fry. The union also expressed excitement about the math curriculum adoption process and the opportunity Dr. Swanger provided for math staff members to have a voice in the process.
- B. UE - No report.
- C. OAPSE - No report.

2.2. Superintendent

A. Departmental Updates

- Mr Pomeroy provided the following updates:
 - More than 400 students will graduate on May 22.
 - Global Scholar presentations were held at Otterbein University.
 - Dempsey students participated in Wreath Laying presentations.
 - Delaware Band Awards were presented.
 - Hayes Softball repeated as OCC Champions.
 - Spring Signing Day was held, with 17 students signing to continue their athletic careers in college.
 - The Dempsey choir had the honor of singing the National Anthem at a Columbus Clippers game.
 - The Years of Service and Retirement Recognition Program was well attended.

- National Principals Day was celebrated, and the district expressed appreciation for the outstanding work of its principals.
 - The Delaware City Schools Arts Festival was a success.
 - Teacher Appreciation Week is upcoming.
- Teaching and Learning
 - Dr. Swanger presented the new K–5 math curriculum for approval. The committee selected Bridges in Mathematics Third Edition as the new elementary math program for the district.
 - The goal of the math selection committee was to empower students to become confident mathematical thinkers while building deep understanding, strong number sense, and problem-solving skills for future success. Dr. Swanger shared that the program is the highest-rated math program available and noted that the district will gradually transition into full implementation of the curriculum. Training and professional development opportunities will also be provided for staff.
 - Dr. Wade spoke about the pilot program involving thinking skills groups, describing it as a strong program that encourages student choice and allows students to integrate what they have learned in new and engaging ways.
 - Ms. Harris thanked the committee for the tremendous undertaking, and Mrs. Stewart highlighted examples of collaboration and support among staff members and consultants throughout the process.
- Human Resources
 - Mr. Nadeau shared that May is a busy time for staff and expressed appreciation for all of their efforts. He thanked the Finance team for working with him through transitional changes and also thanked the selection committee for its collaboration and time during the selection process for Matt Kelly as Director of Technology.
 - He presented the consent agenda for approval.
 - He expressed appreciation to Food Service Director Kenny Drennen and the school lunch staff for their work. He also thanked the transportation department, bus drivers and mechanics, for their continued dedication to the district.

B. Student Board Member -

- Ms. Fitzharris reported that Thespian inductions recently took place, the final orchestra concert of the year will feature a Star Wars theme, and AP Environmental Science students explored the outdoor learning lab with Smith Elementary second graders. She also shared that the Hayes Eco Team presented at the zoo, AP exams have begun, students are preparing for exams, and senior awards will take place this week.

Ms. Fitzharris left the meeting at 6:35 pm.

2.3. Treasurer/CFO -

- CFO Corwin thanked the Finance team for its hard work and presented donations for approval. She reported that the March monthly financials will be presented at an upcoming meeting and

that FY27 building budgets are currently in progress. CFO Corwin also noted that PI funding from the levy has not yet begun to flow in and will be reworked as facility decisions are made. In addition, district inventory has started, with the initial focus on grant inventory already completed.

2.4. Legislative Update - Mr. Pomeroy reviewed HB 420, which would eliminate continuing operating levies. District leadership will continue to closely monitor the bill.

2.6. Board Request - No report.

2.5. Public Comment

- Kyle Henry, 226 Red Barn St, Delaware - Resident

2026-MR-3.0 Consent Agenda

Moved by Ms. Harris, seconded by Mrs. Gasaway to approve all of the consent items as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Ms. Harris, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-3.1 Pupils

A. Approve High School Graduates

1. I recommend the Board approve the following students as Hayes High School graduates due to completion of all graduation requirements:

Najma Nasir Abdullahi
 Malak Ali Kathem Al Rubaye
 Jayden Tristan Allen
 John Devon Anderson
 Keara Nichole Anderson
 Sir Christopher Anderson
 Bailey Makayla Andrews
 Ava Rebecca Anthony
 Caydin Scott Aragon
 Mattia Grace Arena
 Gabriela Michelle Ascencio
 Nehemiah Eyob Asmare
 Maren Janelle Augenstein
 Jacob Allen Baker Jr
 Adilyn Grace Barger
 Danica Mae Bartos
 Camryn Kay Bates
 Dani Rei Beachy
 Lincoln Maxwell Beachy
 Eleanor Jane Bennett
 Roman David Berlin
 Kasey Jo Beswick
 Mackenzie Rae Birch
 Margaret Emilia Bixler
 Joshua Tyler Blank
 Corinne Paige Bodenhorn
 Abigail Jeanne Boey
 Levi Duane Bohrer
 Lovania Nana Amonua Bonzie
 Evelyn Grace Bowman
 Nyxaura Marjorie Bowman
 Garrett Michael Boyce
 Griffin Joseph Braniger
 Owen Zachary Breglia
 Colin Jay Brenner
 Jesse James Brewer
 Jackson Hawk Wyatt Brewster
 Alexander George Bricker
 Madelyn Marie Brinkman
 Keenan Brode
 Miley Claire Brokaw
 Abigail Layne Brookover
 Adrionna Michelle Brown

Jonah Lewis George
 Ella Nicole Gibson
 Eloise Anne Gibson
 Micah Thomas Giorgi
 Madie Marie Melissa Gladden
 Miguel Angel Gomez Colon JR
 Angel Gabriel Gonzalez Riestra
 Jeancarlos Luis Gonzalez Sanchez
 Lydia Rose Goodman
 Owen James Gorz
 Elizabeth Marie Gould
 Alexis Mae Graham
 Aidan Jacob Green
 Landon Steven Green
 Nolan Chad Green
 Chase Matthew Griggs
 Jaclynn Eleanor Griscti
 Amir Faisal Hajyasin
 Kaden Donald Harber
 Brianna Elizabeth Harding
 Allen Matthew Hardman
 Samantha Rene Harrison
 Victor Lamonte Hartley
 Sadie Marane Hartwell
 Olivia Abigail Hayes
 Gabriel Robert Hazelet
 Lucas Craig Helman
 Simon David Hering
 Audrey Marie Herman
 Juan Carlos Hernandez Flores
 Caleb James Hershberger
 Allie Catherine Hetrick
 Dominic Michael Hetzel
 Ashlyn Nichole Hill
 Conner James Hill
 Lilliya Norma Hindanov
 Brayden Dale Hinkle
 Molly Katharine Hobbs
 Frankie Jo Hodges
 William Scott Hojnacki
 Isaac Allen Holland
 Cobe Benjamin Holmes
 Jariah Marie Holton

Lillian Grace Olszewski
 Ripsy Lynn Oney
 Lincoln James Orlowski
 Jaydan Epiphany Orona
 Serah Elizabeth Overturf
 Brian Timothy Padilla
 Devin Rein Alexander Padilla
 Jaylon Xavier Parsley
 Katherine Anne Paul
 Brynna Kathleen Pauley
 Clare Margaret Rose Paulus
 Jayden Lee Perry
 Hannah Lynn Persinger
 Raegan Jane Peters
 Amelia Rose Pflaum
 Caroline Annette Phillips
 Alexander Aaron Pitzen
 Katherine May Pollard
 Rory Seth Powers
 Briana Marie Preisz
 Sydney Lane Price
 Corbin Charles Provence
 Nicholas Anthony Pyles
 Rachel June Raber
 Adelynn Grace Rafey
 John Raymund Superable Ramirez
 Lucy Bea Rathkopf
 Cian Terrence Ratliff
 John David Regalsky
 Lillian May Reinhart
 Brody Matthew Reisinger
 Johnathan Paul Reynolds
 Conrad Burdell Richards
 Lynette Ada Richardson
 Hector Manuel Rivera
 Princess Ashley Silang Rivera
 Princess Savannah Silang Rivera
 Romin Tristan Rivers
 Ramon Rizo
 Monserrat Rizo-Rosales
 Brooklyn Marie Robinson
 Angel Rodriguez
 Sean Louis Rodriguez Rodriguez

Alexander Heinrich Brown
 Alexander Jacob Brown
 Ethan Thayer Brown
 Sydney Grace Brown
 Liam Alexander McDaniel Browning
 Liam Andrew Bryant
 Hayley June Buerger
 Corbin Arthur Bulwinkle
 Aaron Rand Bundy
 Benjamin Roberto Burgeson
 Isabela Jane Burgeson
 Mateo Arce Burke
 McKenzie Elizabeth Bush
 Morgan Elizabeth Byers
 Stalin Jair Cabrera Vasquez
 Micah Cagwin
 Shelby Lynn Caldwell
 Ashton John Cannon
 Mia Anahi Cardoza
 Taylor J Carl
 Ema Sofia Castillo Alvarez
 Tykarl Tomas Castro Rodriguez
 Jared Gabriel Castro Shell
 Delaney Taylor Cellar
 Skyler James Centers
 Myiah Ashlyn Chandler
 Zoey Kelsey Chavez
 Isaac Paul Christopher
 Chloe Elizabeth Church
 Samuel Cipriano De Oliveira
 Faith JoAnne Clark
 Ferah Jane Clark
 Noah Bradley Click
 Raygan Elle Cline Morgan
 Jefferry Tran Co
 McKenna Lynn Coleman
 Samule Ryan Collins
 Jan Carlos Colon Santiago
 Aidan Trace Conn
 Olivia Paige Connor
 Mackenzie Ann Cooper
 Jonah Zane Counts
 Finnegan Thomas Cox

Jayleen Marie Holton
 Ace David Horne
 Andrew James Hornsby
 Jonas Rusch Howard
 Martina Howard-Farrugia
 Jared William Howey
 Tatyana Rachelle Hubbard
 Kayla Grace Huff
 Tyler Andrew Huff
 Jane Elizabeth Hughes
 Porter Henry Illig
 Isaac James Isenbarger
 Hannah Faye Jackson
 Myles Gabriel Jarvis
 Gabriel Ryan Jay-McDanel
 Madison Elizabeth Jenkins
 Joshua Brent Jenks
 Karim Ali Jhemi
 Camryn Claire Johnson
 Deldraco Marquis Johnson
 Graham William Jones
 Jayden Michael Jones
 Joshua David Jones
 Roman Tyler Jones
 Destiny Justice*
 Annika Elizabeth Justice
 Kaleb Lucas Kapp
 Marley Elizabeth Kasser
 Paige Eileen Keller
 Mason Joshua Kelly
 Brooklyn Olivia Kennedy
 Clayton Edward Lee Kennedy
 Nichole Lynn Kennedy
 Cali Lynn Kent
 Sydney Renea Kiess
 Laney Elizabeth King
 Tyler Finnicum King
 Izabella Eva Kinikin
 Jacob Matthew Klein
 Lauren Miriah Knippenberg
 Evelyn June Krauss
 Taylor Carolyn Kress
 Wyatt Simpson Kumpf

Caleb Gary Rosa
 Caleb Edward Rowe
 Jimena Maria Ruano Castellanos
 Jeremiah Ryan Russell
 Rania Sahir Safi
 Mbita Jeremiah Sakala
 Taizya Katavi Jada Sakala
 Francita Catherine Salem
 Nya Love Sanchez
 Samuel Luis Dominguez Sanchez
 Presley Jayde SanFillipo
 Hailie Nichole Sue Sanner
 Zachary William Sanson
 Alexandria Shea Sayre
 Madison Corinn Schnell
 Alexander James Schultz
 Jenna Lynn Seely
 Jacob Leo Settles
 Evan Michael Shadley
 Katelyn Marie Shipp
 Jocelyn Marie Sigman
 Matthew Alan Sinzinger
 Aiden Thomas Skillen
 Gracen Jo Ellen Slane
 Ronin Addigun Slattery
 Berkley Rebecca Smith
 Kayde Daniel Smith
 Kinzie Shae Smith
 Tyler Joseph Smith
 Ryan David Sorg
 Jose Amado Sosa
 Delenn Joann Souder
 Bridgette Ann Spires
 Haidyn Grace Spohn
 Ava Lynn Stake
 Slade Orion Starr-Bowen
 Adalyn Marie Steinbrunner
 Zamiya Imani Stephens
 Jazieya Maria Marie Stewart
 Joseph Darrian Stilwell
 Serenity Leigh Storts
 Louisa Delphine Street
 Tyler Michael Stricker

Hayden Michael Cox
 Lincoln Noah Cox
 Taylor Mae Cox
 Micah Robert Crain
 Aidin Michael Crawford
 Carlos Antonio Cruz
 Kensie Marie Cudia
 Tyler James Cuffle
 Avery Elaine Curtis
 Nicole Ellen D'Arcangelo
 Thomas Macklin Dabe
 Ava Laryne Darnell
 Hunter Daniel Daulton
 Ayden Eugene David
 Claire Nicole Davis
 Laurel Elizabeth Day
 Dayanna De Jesus Modesto
 Nathaniel William James Deaver
 Michael David Decaminada
 Hailey Marie Decker
 Landyn Cooper Dempsey
 Elijah Aron Derstine
 Braxton Paul James Detter
 Nathan Thomas DeVillers
 Kortney Jade Dew
 Cecelia Grace DeWeese
 Eric Alan Dickinson Jr
 Charles Emerson Dilbeck
 Samara George Dobbs
 Nathaniel Steven Drake
 Myaunte Array Draper
 Deacon Kennedy Dutton
 O'Riley Kendall Eley
 Adelaide Joy Etheridge
 Mark Aron Fausnaugh
 Ge'Vauntae Darnell Lee Felton
 Luke Allen Ferringer
 Amelia Noelle Fink
 Sarah Elizabeth Fink
 Mazie Steele Fitzharris
 Lucas Aaron Flack
 Liam Scott Flynn
 Taylor Mae Flynn

William Spencer Lake
 Kantz Laporte Jr
 Taylor Ann Larason
 Nico Ryan Larson
 Elijah Thomas Lavender
 Haven Michael Lavender
 Jackson Walker Leach
 Ella Maureen Legg
 Zachary Michael Lemaster
 Brianna Sue Lesley
 Sophia Kay Lessig
 Linbell Lewis IV
 Mira Richel Loftin
 Alexander Edward Long
 Cristian Agustin Lopez Mendoza
 Kole Charles Lowman
 Maria Carmen Maes
 Lucille Eleanor Majka
 Jeremy Xavier Mantilla Saltos
 Madison Olivia Manwaring
 Stephen Daniel Manwaring
 Justin Martinez
 Grant Mitchell Mayer
 Lucy Mae Mayes
 Hannah Grace McAllister
 Benjamin Ross McBride
 Grayson David McCartney
 Blake Elden McCumber
 Liam Mogue McMahon
 Lydia Elizabeth Medina
 Marilyn Michelle Mejeur
 Ava Carole Menendez
 Adam Hodge Mickes
 Lorenzo Carl Miller
 Noah Alexander Miller
 Sydney Ann Milligan
 Emerson Kate Milliken
 Braden Michael Mittendorf
 Alexis Marie Moder
 Muna Aden Mohamed
 Jessica Kathleen Molina
 Liam Patrick Monahan
 Michael Anthony Montano

Carson Matthew Stroupe
 Charles Joseph Summers
 Holden Michael Swartzfager
 Grant James Talbott
 Colton Ryan Taylor
 Mallory Hope Taylor
 McKaelyn Nevae Taylor
 Shawn Allen Tedhams
 Kamauri Bryant-Makaio Telfair
 Shivani Tennety
 Adelyn Snow Thiele
 Cara Lynn Thompson
 Lucas Keith Thompson
 Sealia Paige Thompson
 Liam Donald Thornton
 Stephany Janeth Tigulla
 Chloe Christine Titus
 Titus Nathaniel Tompkins
 Connor Evan Toombs
 Alfredo Manuel Torres Rivera Jr.
 Yadiel Omar Torres Ruiz
 Eugene James Toth
 Isabell Marie Tracht
 Seth Liam Travis
 Ella Rose Trzpit
 Avela Chanelle Umland
 Danika Diana Vallieres
 Alanna Shanell Vargas Rumaldo
 Jacob Vazquez
 William Anthony Vessels
 Carlos Benjamin Villanueva Henkle
 Isaiah Antonio Villarreal
 Austin William Wade
 Jaylin Noel Walker
 Emily Rose Walter
 Robert Dmitrii Walters
 Davis Joshua Ward
 Colin David Waselko
 Mallory Louann Weatherby
 Jasmine Nichole Webb
 Violet Marie Weber
 Jack Spencer Welcome
 Jordyn Michael Palanas Welling

Elaine Eyrum Foli
 Sydney Michelle Forrest
 Mary Bernadine Fowler
 Marley Hayze Fralick
 Vaughn Wolfgang Froehlich
 Cooper Maddox Frye
 Rosalia Nicole Fuller
 Havalynn Savina Furlan
 Jonathan Graham Gandee
 Andre Joseph-Leonidas Garceau
 Lucienne Rose Gavula
 Dominic Timms

Abigail Rose Moody
 Maverick Alexander Moore
 Samuel David Moose
 Izayah Lamar Morgan
 Hailey Jean Morrow
 Nevin Maewyn Mumper
 Maureen Kirabo Nafula
 Hayden Noah Natoli
 Isaac Lee Nichols
 Xavier Wendell Nienkirchen
 Audrey Michelle Nye
 Jedidiah Tetteh Odonkor

Savannah Diane Wells
 Katherine Leigh Whaley
 Logan Matthew Wikoff
 Lilly Ann Kairi Wilson
 Charles Dustin Wood
 Blake Earl Wright
 Huxley Ernest Wright
 Angel Gabriel Yanez Hernandez
 Ava Grace Yost
 Emma Grace Young
 Olivia Marie Zorio

***22+ Graduate**

B. Approve Overnight Field Trips

1. Cross Country Team Camp - Exhibit B

I recommend the Board approve the Hayes High School Cross Country team for an overnight field trip from 8/3/2026 to 8/5/2026 to the Cross Country Team Camp in Lakeside, Ohio as presented.

2026-MR-3.2 Personnel

2026-MR-3.2A Approve Resignations

1. Certified Staff

Approve and accept the resignation of the following individuals:

Aaryn McCauley	Language Arts Teacher Dempsey	Last Day of Work 5/28/2026
Loren Steinel	Intervention Specialist Dempsey	Last Day of Work 5/28/2026

2. Classified Staff

Approve and accept the resignation of the following individuals:

Diane Floring	Administrative Assistant Hayes	Last Day of Work 6/5/2026
Kim Legander*	Cook/Cashier	Last Day of Work 8/14/2026

Hayes

Courtney Smith

Cook/Cashier
Conger

Last Day of Work 4/30/2026

2026-MR-3.3B Approve Employment

1. Certified Staff

Approve certified employment for the 2025-2026 school year specifically conditioned on and subject to acceptable background checks, receipt and final administrative review and approval of all application records, licensure, and receipt of other necessary documentation.

Current assignments are as follows:

Matthew Kelly	Director of Technology	Salary Scale CLS-1, Step 7
	Willis	\$124,875.40
		3 year contract
		Effective 8/1/2026

2. Classified Substitute for the 2025-2026 School Year

Employ, according to Board approved policy and wage schedules, the following individuals as a classified substitute for the 2025-2026 school year: Administrative Assistant \$14.50/hr., Bus Driver \$17.80/hr., Cook/Cashier \$12.80/hr., Custodian \$15.85/hr., Educational Assistant \$14.50/hr., Library Media Specialist Assistant \$14.50/hr., Nurse \$150.00 a day, Technology Specialist \$14.50/hr.

Approve employment for the 2025-2026 school year conditioned on and subject to acceptable background checks, receipt and final administrative review and approval of all application records, receipt of all other necessary documentation and licensure (if applicable).

Holly Schaber	Cook/Cashier
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Jeremy Clem	Bus Driver
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2026-MR-3.3 Approve Supplemental Contracts for the 2025-2026 School Year

Approve the following supplemental employment for the 2025-2026 school year specifically conditioned on and subject to acceptable background checks, receipt and final administrative review and approval of all application records, receipt of all other necessary documentation, and Pupil Activity Permit (if applicable):

LAST NAME	FIRST NAME	SUPPLEMENTAL	BUILDING	2025-26 SALARY
Abrams	Jeannine	8th Grade Activity Coordinator (0.333 FTE)	DEMPSEY	\$516.96
Brown	Erika	8th Grade Activity Coordinator (0.333 FTE)	DEMPSEY	\$516.96
Piroska	Hunter	Lacrosse Volunteer Assistant Coach Boys	HAYES	Volunteer
Stanley	Kendall	8th Grade Activity Coordinator (0.333 FTE)	DEMPSEY	\$516.96

2026-MR-3.3D Approve Classified Staff Supplemental Contract

1. I recommend the Board approve the Salary Adjustment for Kempter Anaple, Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls.

Originally went to Board on 2/9/2026

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 0, \$775.44, 0.25 FTE

Adjustment

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 0, \$1,550.88, 0.50 FTE

2. I recommend the Board approve the Salary Adjustment for Erin Co, Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls.

Originally went to Board on 2/9/2026

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 1, \$2,326.32, 0.75 FTE

Adjustment

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 1, \$3,101.75, 1 FTE

3. I recommend the Board approve the Salary Adjustment for Hannah Francisco, Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls.

Originally went to Board on 3/16/2026

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
\$1,550.88, 0.50 FTE

Adjustment

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls Step 1,
Step 1, \$2,326.32, 0.75 FTE

4. I recommend the Board approve the Salary Adjustment for Kyle Manion, Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls.

Originally went to Board on 3/16/2026

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 0, \$775.44, 0.25 FTE

Adjustment

Track Assistant Coach Varsity Boys & Girls
Step 0, \$1,550.88, 0.50 FTE

2026-MR-3.3E Approve Extended Days/Time

1. I recommend the Board approve extended time for the following transportation personnel at their regular hourly rate to cover transportation needs for service dates May 29, 2026 to August 14, 2026.

	George Adams	Jessica Hamon	Jennifer Payne
	Blanca Alegria	Shelby Harmon	Apryl Price
	Peter Beck	George Hellinger	Yashodira Ragoza de Ramirez
	Lynda Bender	Cheryl Hill	Adrian Rhodeback
	Randy Bender	Debbie Johnson	Judy Riley
	Nathan Birchfield	Carla Kapp	Scott Russell
	Betsy Brown	Terrie Kanniard	Donald Shannon
2. I	Gus Comstock	Elisabeth Kelley	Carla Smith
	Janet Compton	Michael Kusche	Benjamin Sweet
	Stephen Cook	Megan Latham	Marsha Taynor
	Shawna Craft	Kimberly Lee	Monica Taynor
	Brooks Damphouse	Melinda Lyons	Lisa Turner
	Michelle Davenport	Jerry Miller	Lisa Young
	Cindy Fisher	Alan Mustard	Bibiana Williams
	Darla Frakes	Lea Nichols	Charles Zinn
	Theresa Goddard	Dennis Palmquist	

recommend the Board approve transitional days for Matthew Kelly as Director of Technology, to be paid at the per diem rate, not to exceed 37 days, for service dates from June 1, 2026 to July 31, 2026.

2026-MR-3.4G Financial

1. Approve Home Instructors

I recommend the board approve Laurie Dodez as a Home Instructor at \$ 20.00 per hour starting March 1, 2026 as needed for the remainder 2025 – 2026 school year.

2026-MR-3.5 Donations

I recommend the Board approve and accept the following donations:

- A. Green Standard, LLC, Monetary, valued at \$4702, to Hayes High School, for the purpose of classroom and office use.

2026-MR-3.6 Surplus Declaration

- b. I recommend the Board approve a resolution to declare the items listed below as surplus to the needs of the District and to be disposed of in accordance with Board Policy.

QTY.	Item	Description
9	Cell Phones	Replaced due to age and condition

2026-MR-4.0 Discussion

2026-MR-5.0 Action Items

2026-MR-5.1 Approve District Enrollment Agreement with Bridgeway Academy for ESY 2026

I recommend the Board approve the District Enrollment Agreement with Bridgeway Academy for ESY 2026 as presented.

Moved by Mrs. Gasaway, seconded by Mr. Wiener to approve the Enrollment Agreement with Bridgeway Academy as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-5.2 Approve SESI/High Road Contract

I recommend the Board approve the following contract with Specialized Education of Ohio, Inc. SESI/High Road School of Marion County for educational services for the 2025 – 2026 School Year for Student E as presented.

Moved by Mrs. Buckerfield, seconded by Mr. Wiener to approve the contract with Specialized Education of Ohio SESI/High Road School of Marion County as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Buckerfield, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Ms. Harris, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-5.3 Bridges 3rd Edition, the Math Learning Center, for K-5 Math Curriculum

I recommend the Board approve the Bridges 3rd Edition, The Math Learning Center, for K-5 Math Curriculum

Moved by Mrs. Gasaway, seconded by Ms. Harris to approve the Bridges 3rd Edition, the Math Learning Center, for K-5 Math Curriculum as presented.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-5.4 Resignation

Approve resignation of Delaware City Schools employee Tanner Levings as a custodian at Hayes High School. His last day of work was 4/20/2026.

Moved by Mr. Wiener, seconded by Ms. Harris to approve the resignation of Tanner Levings, Hayes High School Custodian.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mr. Weinder, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mr. Backus, abstain; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the motion carried.

2026-MR-6.0 Superintendent Comments

- Mr. Pomeroy highlighted the many accomplishments and celebrations recognized during the meeting and acknowledged the dedication and efforts of staff members in making a positive impact on students.

2026-MR-7.0 Board Comments

- Mr. Backus requested that the Board hold a future meeting at the Delaware Area Career Center.

2026-MR-8.0 Calendar

- May 4 - Hayes Orchestra Concert
- May 6 - Dempsey Orchestra Concert
- May 7 - Dempsey Choir Concert
- May 11 - Hayes Choir Concert
- May 13 - Hayes Band Concert

- May 13 - Stuff the Bus Band Fundraiser 5:30-7:30pm
- May 14 - Community Engagement Session Facilities Master Planning
- May 19 - 5th Grade Orchestra Concert
- May 22 - Hayes Graduation
- May 25 - No School (Memorial Day)
- May 27 - Last day of School
- May 28 - Teacher Work Day

2026-MR-9.0 Executive Session

I recommend the Board enter into executive session for the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, dismissal, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official.

Moved by Ms. Harris, seconded by Mrs. Gasaway to enter into executive session for the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, dismissal, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official.

Roll call resulted as follows: Ms. Harris, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the Board in executive session at 7:29 pm.

Moved by Mrs. Gasaway, seconded by Ms. Harris to exit out of executive session for the purpose of considering the appointment, employment, dismissal, promotion, demotion, or compensation of a public employee or official.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea; Mrs. Buckerfield, yea.

President Backus declared the Board out of executive session at 10:13 pm.

2026-MR-10.0 Adjournment

Moved by Mrs. Buckerfield, seconded by Ms. Harris to adjourn this meeting.

Roll call resulted as follows: Mrs. Buckerfield, yea; Ms. Harris, yea; Mr. Backus, yea; Mrs. Gasaway, yea; Mr. Wiener, yea.

President Backus declared the meeting adjourned at 10:14 pm.

President

Treasurer

**Denotes student Board member*