

**ZANESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL REGULAR BOARD MEETING**

March 25, 2026

Mrs. Clark, President called the meeting to order @ 4:30 p.m. Those answering roll call: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. Also present were Ms. Tompkins, Superintendent and Mr. Young, Treasurer.

#26-064 APPROVAL OF BOARD MINUTES

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded that the Board of Education approves the minutes of the Zanesville Board of Education of the Regular Meeting on February 17, 2026.

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.

#26-065 REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the following recommendations.

February Financial Reports

Approve the following financial reports:

Financial report by fund

Expenditure report

Investment report

Reconciliations

Approve the following reconciliations for February:

General

Payroll

Monthly Financials – Zanesville Community High School

Approve the February 2026 minutes, bank reconciliation and financial reports for Zanesville Community High School.

Appropriations

Approve the Treasurer to make the following appropriation adjustments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026.

Food Service	006	348,960.00	To update for current year rev/exp
Special Trust – Private Purpose	007	(1,476.00)	To update for current year rev/exp
Other Grants	019	90,000.00	To update for current year rev/exp
Auxiliary Funds	401	55,160.00	To update for current year rev/exp
Title VI-B	516	(8,439.18)	To update for current year rev/exp
Limited English Proficiency	551	1,380.75	To update for current year rev/exp
Title I	572	(31,076.55)	To update for current year rev/exp
Title IV-A	584	1,044.91	To update for current year rev/exp
ECE Preschool SE Grant	587	(598.68)	To update for current year rev/exp
Title II A (Imp Teacher Quality)	590	5,548.87	To update for current year rev/exp

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Advance

Approve the Treasurer to make the following advance for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026, effective March 25, 2026.

Date	From Fund	To Fund	Amount
3/25/26	001-0000 General Fund	024-9700 Health Insurance Account	400,000.00

Acceptance of Amounts and Rates of Budget Commission for Calendar Year 2026

WHEREAS, The Budget Commission of Muskingum County, Ohio, has certified its action thereon to this Board together with an estimate by the County Auditor of the rate of each tax necessary to be levied by this Board, and what part thereof is without, and what part within, the ten mill tax limitation; therefore, be it

RESOLVED, By the Board of Education of the Zanesville City School District, Muskingum County, Ohio, that the amounts and rates, as determined by the Budget Commission in its certification, be and the same are hereby accepted; and be it further

RESOLVED, That there be and is hereby levied on the tax duplicate of said Zanesville City School District the rate of each tax necessary to be levied within and without the ten mill limitation as follows:

	Inside (10 mill)	Outside (10 mill)	Inside	Outside	Total
General Fund	\$ 2,615,309.24	\$.00	4.45	.00	4.45
Gen Fund – 1976 Levy	.00	6,028,765.49	.00	23.60	23.60
Gen Fund – 1977 Levy	.00	1,385,935.64	.00	5.00	5.00
Gen Fund – 1996 Levy	.00	2,328,936.17	.00	6.90	6.90
Gen Fund – Emerg. Levy	.00	1,351,732.86	.00	2.30	2.30
Bond Retirement	.00	2,115,755.79	.00	3.60	3.60
Classroom Facilities	.00	187,279.73	.00	.50	.50
Total	\$ 2,615,309.24	\$ 13,398,405.68	4.45	41.90	46.35

And be it further RESOLVED, that the Treasurer of this Board be and he is hereby directed to certify a copy of this Resolution to the Muskingum County Auditor.

Donations/Grants

Accept the following grants:

\$15,000.00 from The J.W. and M.H. Straker Charitable Foundation to be used for small grants and incentives.

\$500.00 from the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution to be used for JROTC expenses.

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Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin. President declared motion carried.

#26-066 RESIGNATION – CERTIFICATED

Mrs. Clark moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve the resignation of Edith Steil, Teacher at John McIntire Elementary, effective May 31, 2026. Reason for resignation is retirement.

Approve the resignation of Laloni (Loni) Tysinger at Zanesville Community High School, effective May 29, 2026. Reason for resignation is retirement.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. President declared motion carried.

#26-067 EMPLOYMENT – CLASSIFIED

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Clark seconded to approve the following classified personnel as listed for the 2025-2026 school year, pending appropriate certification requirements and background checks:

Kylee Settles – Special Education Aide 1:1
Salary Schedule: MD Aide Step 0
2026

Building: National Road Elementary
Effective Date: March 23,

Those voting aye: Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark. President declared motion carried

#26-068 SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS

Mrs. Waite moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the following Supplemental contracts as listed for the 2025-2026 school year pending required certification and background check:

Name	Season	Sport	Position	Class
Garrett Young	Spring	Track	Middle School Coach	VIII
Alexandria Young	Spring	Track	Middle School Coach	VIII

Approve the following Supplemental contracts as listed for the 2026-2027 school year pending required certification and background check:

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Name	Season	Sport	Position	Class
Zachariah Clapper	Fall	Football	Varsity Head Coach	II
Zachariah Clapper	Fall	Football	August Practice	IX
Zachariah Clapper	Fall	Football	Offensive Coordinator	X
Chad Grandstaff	Fall	Football	Asst Varsity coach	VI
Chad Grandstaff	Fall	Football	August Football Practice	IX
Chad Grandstaff	Fall	Football	Varsity Defensive Coordinator	X
Katie McCuen	Fall	Soccer - Girls	Varsity Head Coach	VI
Katie McCuen	Fall	Soccer - Girls	Summer Fitness	X
Andrea Ritterbeck	Fall	Volleyball	Varsity Head Coach	V
Grant Moore	Fall	Football	Head JV Coach	V
Grant Moore	Fall	Football	August Practice	IX
Chelsea Rivera	Fall	Cheerleading	Varsity Advisor	VIII
Chelsea Rivera	Winter	Cheerleading	Varsity Advisor	VII

Those voting aye: Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee. President declared motion carried.

#26-069 PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT – S.O.S. TRAINING

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded to approve the following staff as listed to receive \$60.00 each to attend the S.O.S. training after school on March 3, 2026. General Fund or Title II Funds will be used.

Name		
Madison Coffey	Dawn Dailey	Alisha Dougherty
Patrick Lawson	Melissa Ogg	Avery Walker

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.

#26-070 VOLUNTEERS

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the following volunteers as listed for the Zanesville City Schools for the 2025-2026 school year pending appropriate background checks:

Name	Building	Type
Tonya Steele	NRE	Community
Nicole Bulow	ZGI	Parent
Lillyinn Skinner	ZMS/ZHS	Community
Brittany Paul	ZGI	Parent

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Name	Building	Type
Robin Hardesty	ZGI	Parent
Jeff Tysinger	ZHS	Baseball Coach
Damian Ortiz	ZHS	Soccer Coach
Ryan Watson	ZHS	Soccer Coach

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin. President declared motion carried.

#26-071 BREECH OF CONTRACT – CERTIFICATED

Mrs. Clark moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to resolve to reaffirm the Superintendent's authority to backfill the 3rd Grade Teacher at John McIntire Elementary position that was abandoned by Stacie Fitz through submission of her resignation in breach of her contractual agreement with the Board of Education in violation of Ohio Revised Code 3319.15, and further resolve that this Board of Education does not accept nor approve Ms. Fitz's resignation.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. President declared motion carried.

#26-072 CLASS TRIP – ZANESVILLE MIDDLE SCHOOL – 8TH GRADE

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Clark seconded to approve the Zanesville Middle School 8th grade students to travel to Washington, D.C. March 25, 2026 to March 27, 2026. School Staff will chaperone the class trip.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark. President declared motion carried

#26-073 EXTENDED TIME – SPECIAL EDUCATION DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Waite moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve extended time for the following staff members as listed for the summer of 2026. The purpose is to allow the staff members to evaluate and meet with preschool parents as and when needed. The rate of pay will be hourly rate of their daily per diem.

Name	Position	Not to exceed
Rachel Bigham	Intervention Specialist – Vision	75 hours
Morgan Brown	Speech Pathologist	75 hours
Hollie Eltringham	Intervention Specialist	75 hours
Abbe Mumford	Speech Pathologist	75 hours
Dee Peyton	Intervention Specialist	75 hours
Linda Seekatz	Psychologist	75 hours

Those voting aye: Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee. President declared motion carried.

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**#26-073 CONTRACT AND SALARY NOTIFICATIONS – ADMINISTRATIVE /
ADMIN SUPPORT**

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded to approve the following Administrative and Administrative Support Contracts and Salary Notifications as listed for the 2026-2027 school year:

Classification	Last Name	First Name	Department	Contract Issued 2026 -2027	Class 2026- 2027	Step 2026 - 2027
Administrative	Achauer	Abbey	Principal	SN	EP11(5-9)	9
Administrative	Amspaugh	Alyssa	Principal	3 yr	EP11(5-9)	5
Administrative	Appleman	Kevin	Executive Director of Operations	SN	NLED(20- 24)	23
Administrative	Barnhouse	Devin	Athletic Director	SN	AP12(5-9)	7
Administrative	Bunting	Carrie	Director of Student Services/EMIS	SN	NLD(0-4)	4
Administrative	Curtis	Solomon	Career Connections	SN	NLM(0-4)	1
Administrative	Delbrugge	James	JROTC- Commissioned	1 yr	CJO(25+)	30
Administrative	Emmert	Michael	Director of Human Resources/ Curriculum 7- 12	SN	LD(10-14)	12
Administrative	Fisher	Jacob	Director of Technology	SN	NLD(10-14)	12
Administrative	Gruey	Sammantha (Pete)	Psychologist/Vi rtual	1 yr	SP(5-9)	8
Administrative	Harris	Cedric	Asst. Principal/SpEd Supervisor 7-12	SN	AP12(5-9)	6
Administrative	Hilliard	Stephanie	Principal	1 yr	EP11(0-4)	4
Administrative	Hitchens	Mary (Libby)	Principal	3 yr	HSP(10-14)	11
Administrative	Hoskinson	Michelle	Assistant Principal/ Special Education Supervisor	SN	AP12(5-9)	5
Administrative	Johnson	Curtis(CJ)	JROTC-Non- Commissioned	1 yr	NJO(0-4)	2

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Administrative	Jordan	Michelle	Director of Exceptional Education	SN	LD(15-19)	19
Administrative	Lawyer	Clay	Principal	SN	EP11(0-4)	3
Administrative	Moore	Jeffrey	Exec. Director/ Principal	SN	LED(0-4)	0
Administrative	Neal	Michelle	Secondary Curriculum, Compliance & Coaching Supervisor	SN	CCS(0-4)	1
Administrative	Nicholas	Kent	Assistant Principal	SN	AP10(5-9)	6
Administrative	Rowe	Denise	District MTSS & Coaching Supervisor	SN	CCS(0-4)	1
Administrative	Seekatz	Linda	School Psychologist	3 yr	SP(25+)	28
Administrative	Seekatz	Nate	Dean of Students	SN	DS(15-19)	16
Administrative	Stallard	Mark	Dir.of Title I/Federal Programs/K-6 Curriculum	SN	LD(25+)	27
Administrative	Tolley	Judy	Assistant Principal	2 yr	AP11(5-9)	5
Administrative	Tonnous- Hoff	Mercedes	Assistant Principal	2 yr	AP10(0-4)	2
Administrative	Vogelsang	Stephen	Certified District Chef	SN	CDC(20-24)	22
Administrative	Weingart	Megan	District Elementary Curriculum and PBIS Supervisor	3 yr	CCS (5-9)	7
Administrative	White	Aaron	Assistant Principal	2 yr	AP10(10- 14)	10
Administrative	Williams	Adrian	Principal	SN	MSP(5-9)	6
Administrative	Williams	Kevin	Food Service Manager	SN	NLM(5-9)	7
Administrative	Winland	Matthew	Assistant Principal	2 yr	AP10(0-4)	2

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Administrative	Young	Garrett	Assistant Principal/ Teacher	SN	AP10(0-4)	1
Admin/Support Staff	Brown	Michael	Professional Security Guard	1 yr	PSG(10-14)	13
Admin/Support Staff	Curry	Fred	Attendance Officer / Professional Security Guard	3 yr	PSG(20-24)	22
Admin/Support Staff	Curry	Teresa	Assistant Treasurer - Budgetary	SN	NLS(10-14)	10
Admin/Support Staff	Dille	Jason	Public Information Officer	2 yr	FM(0-4)	1
Admin/Support Staff	Dodson	Joyce	Benefits Coordinator	SN	NLS(10-14)	10
Admin/Support Staff	Elswick	Paul	Coordinator of Systems & Networking	SN	FM(25+)	25
Admin/Support Staff	Ford	Jane	Transportation Manager	SN	FM(0-4)	2
Admin/Support Staff	Grimmett	Kelvin	Professional Security Guard	2 yr	PSG(10-14)	12
Admin/Support Staff	Hardesty	James	Computer Technician	SN	CTB(5-9)	8
Admin/Support Staff	Henthorne	Aaron	Computer Technician	SN	CTA(10-14)	10
Admin/Support Staff	Hiles	Deanne	Payroll Specialist	SN	NLS(10-14)	14
Admin/Support Staff	Lawler	Kelly	Assistant Treasurer - Payroll Manager	SN	NLM(0-4)	2
Admin/Support Staff	Phillips	Marvin	Computer Technician	SN	CTB(5-9)	6
Admin/Support Staff	Riley	Johanna	Admin Assistant to the Superintendent	3 yr	NLS(20-24)	21
Admin/Support Staff	Rutter	Austin	Coordinator of Instructional Support	SN	FM(10-14)	10

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Admin/Support Staff	VanKirk	Erica	EMIS Coordinator/ Powerschool	3 yr	FM(0-4)	2

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.

#26-075 EMPLOYEE TRANSFER

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the transfer of Erin Omen, Assistant Principal at John McIntire Elementary to reflect 4th Grade Teacher at John McIntire Elementary effective August 24, 2026. Rate of pay to be MA+45, step 28 from the appropriate salary schedule.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin. President declared motion carried.

#26-076 BSN SPORTS, LLC CONTRACT

Mrs. Clark moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve a contract with BSN Sports, LLC to continue to be the exclusive supplier for the purchase and supply of Nike apparel and footwear along with all other equipment and apparel offered for sale by BSN Sports, for use by the school and its athletic programs. This agreement is effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2031.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. President declared motion carried.

#26-077 2026-2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Clark seconded to approve the attached 2026-2027 School Calendar.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark. President declared motion carried.

#26-078 2026-2027 ZHS CURRICULUM SCHEDULING HANDBOOK

Mrs. Waite moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the 2026-2027 Zanesville High School Curriculum Scheduling Handbook

Those voting aye: Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee. President declared motion carried.

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#26-079 MOU – MUSKINGUM VALLEY HEALTHCARE CENTER

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded to approve a Memorandum of Understanding with Muskingum Valley Healthcare Centers to provide primary healthcare services for the Zanesville City School District effective March 2, 2026. This is a continuing contact until such time either party terminates within 30 calendar days or upon failure of either party to honor the terms.

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.

#26-080 GAMESTRAT – CONTRACT

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve a three-year agreement with GameStrat, Inc., to provide the GameStrat Football Premium Plus Package to ZHS Football at a total cost of \$9,237.50 with annual payments due July 1 of each year. This agreement is effective April 1, 2026 through March 31, 2029 and all costs will be reimbursed by the Zanesville Quarterback Club.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin. President declared motion carried.

#26-081 AGREEMENT – NGR CURTAILMENT SOLUTIONS, INC

Mrs. Clark moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve an agreement with NRG Curtailment Solutions, Inc., to enroll their Powerpay Demand Response Program. This program will generate electric rebates through reduced usage during peak hours when called to do so. There is no cost for the program and all rebates will be calculated on actual reductions during peak times.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. President declared motion carried.

#26-082 REHAB ASSOCIATES AGREEMENT

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded to approve an agreement with Rehab Associates to provide PT and OT services for students as needed. The cost for OTs and PTs would be \$66.60 per hour and OTAs and PTAs \$59.80 per hour. This is a five- year contract and would guarantee these rates for the full five year term. Effective start date is August 1, 2026.

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.

#26-083 SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACT

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the following Supplemental Contracts as listed for 2025-2026 school year pending required certification and background check:

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Name	Season	Sport	Position	Class
Eric Baldwin	Spring	Tennis - Boys	Assistant Coach	VIII

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin. President declared motion carried.

#26-084 EMPLOYMENT – SUBSTITUTES

Mrs. Clark moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve the following Substitutes as listed, as and when needed, pending appropriate certification and background checks for the 2025-2026 school year:

Transportation Aides	
Paiten Dimond	Ethan Crawford

Food Service
Paiten Dimond

Maintenance
Ethan Crawford

Those voting aye: Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. President declared motion carried.

#26-085 POLICY ITEMS FOR APPROVAL:

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Clark seconded to approve the following policy items.

Policy 2266	Nondiscrimination on the Basis of Sex in Education Programs or Activities
Policy 2430.02	Participation of Community Stem School Students Extracurricular Activities
Policy 3130	Assignment and Transfer
Policy 5130	Withdrawal from School
Policy 5200	Attendance
Policy 5223	Released Time for Religious Instruction During the School Day
Policy 5410	Promotion, Academic, Acceleration, Placement, and Retention
Policy 6152	Student Fees, Fines, and Charges
Policy 7540.02	Digital Content and Accessibility
Policy 8300	Continuity of Organizational Operations Plan
Policy 8305	Information Security
Policy 8400	School Safety
Policy 8462	Student Abuse and Neglect

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Policy 9270 Equivalent Education Outside the Schools & Participation in
Extracurricular for Students Not Enrolled in the District

Policy Items for Deletion:

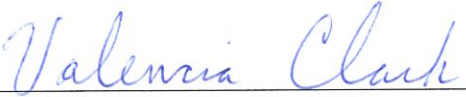
Policy 7541 Electronic Data Processing Disaster Recovery Plan

Those voting aye: Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark. President declared motion carried.

#26-086 MEETING ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Waite seconded that the Zanesville City Schools Board of Education meeting is adjourned @ 5:34 p.m..

Those voting aye: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. Waite. President declared motion carried.



President



Treasurer