

**JEFFERSON TOWNSHIP LOCAL BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING MINUTES
Monday, May 11, 2026**

The Jefferson Township Local School District Board of Education met for a Regular meeting on Monday, May 11, 2026 at the Administration Office, 2625 South Union Road, Dayton, OH. The meeting was called to order at 6:26 p.m.

President Michelle Cooper requested all present stand and recite the Pledge of Allegiance.

Roll Call:

Ms. Patricia Babetto, absent; Ms. Bonita Bembry, present; Ms. Michelle Cooper, present; Ms. Shaunece Gillespie, present; Ms. Renee McDaniel, absent. Three members present.

Superintendent Ronda Welch and Treasurer/CFO Craig A. Jones were present. Assistant Treasurer's Cara Haywood and Amanda Palmer, Executive Assistant to the Superintendent Beverly Rogers and Special Education Supervisor Lynda Huggins, Ed.D. were also in attendance.

(Resolution #26.054) ADOPTION OF AGENDA

The adoption of the May 11, 2026 agenda was moved by Ms. Gillespie and seconded by Ms. Bembry.

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembry, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

(Resolution #26.055) APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The approval of the April 13, 2026 Regular meeting and the April 27, 2026 Special meeting minutes was moved by Gillespie and seconded by Ms. Bembry.

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembry, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

BOARD REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

(Resolution #26.056) Board Officer-Vice President Recommendations
Ms. Cooper moved and Ms. Gillespie seconded to table the approval of the following Board recommendations:

➤ Board Officer-Vice President Resignation

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, the acceptance of the resignation of Vice President Patricia Babetto from her Board Officer position effective April 27, 2026."

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➤ Election of Board Officer-Vice President

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TREASURER/CFO REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

(Resolution #26.057) TREASURER/CFO REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS:
The approval of the following Treasurer/CFO recommendations was moved by Ms. Bembry and seconded by Ms. Gillespie:

➤ Financial Reports

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, the April 2026 Financial Reports, as presented."

➤ Approve Correction to Resolution 26.048 Then and Now Certifications

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, the following Then and Now Certification correction **(the April 13, 2026 Agenda incorrectly listed the amount as \$1,324 not \$13,244) :**"

Vendor	PO No	PO Date	Invoice Amount
Gordon Food Service	2501023	07/01/2025	\$ 13,244.00

➤ Approve Asset Control Solution, Inc. Asset Reinventory Agreement

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, in accordance with Policy 7450-Property Inventory, the agreement with Asset Control Solutions, Inc. to perform an Asset Reinventory service."

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➤ Then And Now Certifications

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, the following Then and Now Certifications:"

Vendor		PO No	PO Date	Invoice Amount
CAPITOL VARSITY SPORTS	✓	202879	04/24/2026	\$ 3,887.77
Catapult Learning West LLC	✓	2600207	01/08/2026	\$ 8,744.25
Catapult Learning West LLC	✓	2600239	04/01/2026	\$ 18,247.84
Gordon Food Service	✓	2501023	07/01/2025	\$ 7,316.07
IGS Energy		2501033	07/01/2025	\$ 4,493.76
Maxim Healthcare Services Holdings, Inc.	✓	2501051	07/01/2025	\$ 11,175.12
Perfect-A-Waste Equipment, LLC	✓	2600005	07/01/2025	\$ 3,023.50
School Insurance Consultants, LLC	✓	202870	04/01/2026	\$ 5,065.00

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembrly, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

(Resolution #26.058) APPROVE SUPERINTENDENT RECOMMENDATIONS*
The approval of the following Superintendent recommendations was moved by Ms. Gillespie and seconded by Ms. Bembrly:

➤ Resignations

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Jones, Julie	Counselor, Jr./Sr. High	06/05/2026
Ellsworth, Emilee	Intervention Specialist	05/22/2026

➤ Approve Disposition of Surplus Property

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, in accordance with Policy 7310-Disposition of Surplus Property, the disposal of the following obsolete buses by proper waste removal:"

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Vehicle #	Bus ID No.	YEAR	MAKE	VIN	CAPACITY
1	04008	2010	BLUEBIRD	1BABHCPA7AF273849	72
3	04007	2010	BLUEBIRD	1BABHCPA3AF273850	72
8	17717	2004	BLUEBIRD	1BAKGCKA7F218168	72
10	00365	2008	BLUEBIRD	1BAKGCPA08F252371	72
22	17718	2004	BLUEBIRD	1BAKGCKA94F218169	72
24	03944	1994	FORD	1FDXJ65C3RVA11345	65
29	18641	2005	BLUEBIRD	1BAKGCKA95F224703	72

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembry, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

(Resolution #26.059) APPROVE SUPERINTENDENT RECOMMENDATIONS*
The approval of the following superintendent recommendation was moved by Ms. Gillespie and seconded by Ms. Bembry:

- Approve Addendum Items To The Agenda
Approve addendum items added to the agenda in accordance with board policy 0165.1 Regular Meetings.

- Approve Resignations

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Potter, Gilford	Academic Instructional Coach	05/29/2026

- Approve Supplemental Contract for Extended Days

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position</u>	<u>Effective</u>
Durham, Teresa	Intervention Specialist (Maximum of 10 hours of ESY Services)	June 2026

- Approve Empowering to Elevate Provider Agreement

"Be it resolved by the Board of Education of the Jefferson Township Local School District, a majority of its full membership therein concurring, that it approves, the agreement with Empowering to Elevate to provide mental health and educational services."

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembry, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

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Superintendent's Announcements:

- HS Graduation: May 14, 6:00 pm @ Jefferson Jr/Sr HS
- Grade 6 Graduation: May 20th, 2:00 - 3:30 pm @ Blairwood
- Kindergarten Graduation: May 21st 9:30 am @ Blairwood
- Levy Update: A thank you was shared with our volunteers and we will plan to host a committee meeting soon to review our recent process.
- Strategic Plan Revision Meeting for the 2026-2029 SY: Saturday, May 30 (8:30 - 1:30)
- Pre-K Westpark will depart from Blairwood at the end of this school year. We are seeking bids for another Pre-K for the 2026-2027 SY.

PUBLIC PARTICIPATION:

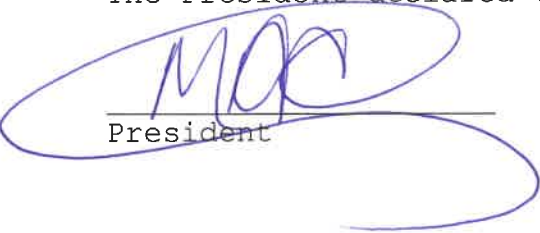
- Review of Policy 0169.1 Public Participation at Board Meetings

(Resolution #26.060) ADJOURNMENT

It was moved by Ms. Gillespie and seconded by Ms. Bembry that the meeting be adjourned.

Roll call: Ms. Babetto, absent; Ms. Bembry, aye; Ms. Cooper, aye; Ms. Gillespie, aye; Ms. McDaniel, absent. Motion carried.

The President declared the meeting adjourned at 7:19 p.m.



President



Treasurer/CFO