

CRAWFORD BOARD OF EDUCATION, DISTRICT 23-0071
BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES
May 11, 2026

The Crawford Board of Education met Monday, May 11, 2026 at 6:00 P.M. in the High School Auditorium. Publicized notice of the meeting was posted in Crawford High School, Crawford Elementary School, Security 1st Bank, Stockman's Drug, City Hall and published in the May 6, 2026 Crawford Clipper. Said posting gave date, time, and location of the meeting.

- 1 Board President Joe Vogel called the regular school board meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.
 - 1.1 ROLL CALL
 - 1.1 The following Board of Education members were present: Joe Vogel, JR Wasserburger, Erin Norman, Don Edelman, Steve Mallery and Jarrod Allen.
 - 1.2 The following Administrators were present: Superintendent Keri Homan and Principal Matt Stetson.
 - 1.3 APPROVAL OF THE AGENDA
Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Mallery to approve the agenda. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger Mallery, Norman, Edelman, Allen and Vogel. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
- 2 PUBLIC COMMENT
 - 2.1 None
- 3 SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS
 - 3.1 Elementary Student of the Month – Kamila Munoz Salizar
 - 4.2 JH/HS Student of the Month – Tehgan Prossser
 - 4.3 Classified Staff Member of the Month – Carolyn Erixson
 - 4.4 Certified Staff Member of the Month – Ryan Osmotherly
- 4 CONSENT AGENDA
 - 4.1 Motion by Norman, seconded by Edelman, to approve the minutes of the April 13, 2026 regular board meeting. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Norman, Edelman, Wasserburger, Vogel Allen and Mallery. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
- 5 APPROVAL OF CLAIMS, WARRANTS AND TRANSFERS
 - 5.1 Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Allen to approve the claims, warrants, transfers and payroll disbursements effective May 15, 2026. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger, Allen, Mallery, Edelman, Norman and Vogel. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
- 6 STUDENT REPORT
 - 6.1 Miranda Betson reported for Student Council. They have done the final Cart of Sunshine. Mrs. McKillip will be the new STUCO sponsor next year. The shelves are up in the STUCO closet. They have met to decide on next year's officers. They will have class meetings next year with each grade level to better represent all students. They have already started discussing Homecoming for next year.
- 7 STAFF MEMBER'S REPORT
 - 7.1 Marissa Betson and Chelsie Deaver reported for TeamMates. They discussed what Teammates is and why it matters. Next year third grade will be included in the program. They are looking for new Board Members. They have done several promotions throughout the year such as Root Beer Floats, Back to School Bash, Demoine Adams and Miss Nebraska visit. They began a Read Program this year with the book vending machine. The annual Golf fundraiser will be in June.
- 8 BOARD MEMBERS REPORT
 - 8.1 Negotiations Committee met 04/27and discussed classified wages, Sub Para pay and the Coaching & Co-op salaries.

- 9 PRINCIPAL'S REPORT – Matt Stetson
 - 9.1 Congratulations to the Girls Track Team and their coaches– they are PAC Champions
 - 9.2 We honored our Administrative Assistants on April 22
 - 9.3 Last Week was Teacher Appreciation Week.
 - 9.4 Enrollment numbers
 - 9.5 Preschool Graduation is May 16 at 6:00 pm
 - 9.6 We held Preschool and Kindergarten Blast Off
 - 9.7 Testing has been completed.
 - 9.8 The elementary school concert was May 7
 - 9.9 We have received the Pre-ACT results
 - 9.10 End of year banquets and awards ceremonies were held.
 - 9.11 Graduation was May 9
- 10 SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT
 - 10.1 Graduation was May 9
 - 10.2 Co-Op – Most coaching positions have been filled. All coaches will meet May 14 to go over expectations and building the Co-op culture
 - 10.3 Updates on window film, fans, water wheel and gym floor
 - 10.4 We are 100% compliant with the FASFA state requirements
 - 10.5 Contracts & classified wages
 - 10.6 Still waiting on the Quote for Big Ideas Math.
- 11 ACTION ITEMS
 - 11.1 APPROVE THE FINE ARTS CURRICULUM FOR CRAWFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS
Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Edelman to approve the Fine Arts Curriculum for Crawford Public Schools. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger, Edelman, Allen, Vogel, Norman and Mallery. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.2 APPROVE THE SCIENCE CURRICULUM FOR CRAWFORD PUBLIC SCHOOL
Motion by Allen, seconded by Norman to approve the science curriculum for Crawford Public Schools. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Allen, Norman, Edelman, Wasserburger, Mallery and Vogel. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.3 APPROVE POLICY REVIEW WITH THE RECOMMENDED CHANGES TO POLICY 6105: CRAWFORD CURRICULUM POLICY
Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Allen to approve Policy 6105: Crawford Curriculum Policy with the recommended changes. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger, Allen, Vogel, Mallery, Norman, and Edelman. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.4 APPROVE A CONTRACT WITH MARISSA BETSON AND CHELSIE DEAVER FOR \$5,000 TO SERVE AS THE CO-PROGRAM COORDINATORS FOR THE CRAWFORD TEAMMATES PROGRAM DURING THE 2026-27 SCHOOL YEAR
Motion by Norman, seconded by Allen to approve a contract with Marissa Betson and Chelsie Deaver for \$5,000 to serve as the Co-Program Coordinators for the Crawford TeamMates Program during the 2026-27 school year. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Norman, Allen, Wasserburger, Edelman, Vogel and Mallery. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED; 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.5 APPROVE AN INCREASE OF \$.35/HOUR FOR ALL CURRENT CLASSIFIED EMPLOYEES TO GO INTO EFFECT ON SEPTEMBER 1, 2026
Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Edelman to approve and increase of \$.35/hour for all current classified employees to go into effect on September 1, 2026. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger, Edelman, Mallery, Allen, Norman and Vogel. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.6 APPROVE AN INCREASE TO THE HOURLY RATE, BASED ON PREVIOUS EXPERIENCE, FOR THE FOLLOWING EMPLOYEES: JASON VAN BEEK, JULIE VAN BEEK, TERESA MCGINNIS, AMANDA DUBS AND CAROLYN ERIXSON. THE EXACT AMOUNT WILL BE APPROVED AT THE JUNE BOARD MEETING.
Motion by Mallory, seconded by Wasserburger to table item 17 f until the June meeting. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Mallery, Wasserburger, Edelman, Norman, Vogel and Allen. VOTING NO - None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.
 - 11.7 APPROVE A CONTRACT EXTENSION WITH KIM MARX TO SERVE AS THE SPED DIRECTOR FOR CRAWFORD PUBLIC SCHOOLS THROUGH THE 2026-27 SCHOOL YEAR

Motion by Wasserburger, seconded by Allen to approve a contract extension with Kim Marx to serve as the SPED Director for Crawford public Schools through the 2026-27 school year. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Wasserburger, Allen, Mallery, Vogel, Edelman and Norman. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.

12 DISCUSSION ITEMS

- 12.1 Graduation Requirements discussion. No change to policies at this time.
- 12.2 Bus Leasing Policy – We will pursue this
- 12.3 Co-Op questions - none

13 INFORMATIONAL ITEMS

- 13.1 Human Performance Project – Administrative Law Conference with KSB. Keri, Matt, Trace and Gavin will attend
- 13.2 June Regular Board Meeting will be June 8, 2026 in the High School Auditorium.
- 13.3 Superintendent Final Report due in June

14 MEETING ADJOURNED

- 14.1 Motion by Vogel, seconded by Wasserburger to adjourn the meeting at 6:56 pm. ROLL CALL VOTE: VOTING YES – Vogel, Wasserburger, Mallery, Norman, Allen and Edelman. VOTING NO – None. MOTION CARRIED: 6 Yes/0 No.

Don Edelman, Secretary per Teresa McGinnis, Recording Secretary