



**MINUTES OF THE SPECIAL
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING OF
May 5, 2026**

I. Call to Order - A Special Meeting of the Oakland Schools Board of Education was called to order by Board President Marc Katz at 4:00 pm on May 5, 2026, at Oakland Schools, 2111 Pontiac Lake Road, Waterford, Michigan.

II. Roll Call – Board Secretary Finkelstein called the roll.

Present: Board Members Marc Katz, Connie Williams, George Ehlert, Carol Finkelstein
Absent: Board Member Steve Gottlieb

Superintendent Ken Gutman was present.

III. Public Comments – There were no public comments.

IV. Closed Session

It was moved by Board Trustee Ehlert, with the support of Board Vice President Williams, to go into a closed session pursuant to MCL 15.268, Section 8(1)(d) to consider the purchase or lease of real property up to the time an option to purchase or lease that real property is obtained. The Board Secretary called the roll for the vote.

Katz – yes Williams – yes Ehlert – yes Finkelstein – yes

Motion carried

The Board went into a closed session at 4:02 pm.

At 4:27 pm, the Board returned to an open session.

V. Additional Items – There were no additional items.

VI. Adjournment – The Board President adjourned the meeting at 4:28 pm.

Approved on: May 19, 2026

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads 'Carol Finkelstein'.

Carol Finkelstein, Board Secretary