

**ZANESVILLE BOARD OF EDUCATION
SPECIAL BOARD MEETING**

June 8, 2026

Mrs. Lee, Vice-President called the meeting to order @ 7:00 a.m. Those answering roll call: Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Lee. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Waite were absent. Also present were Ms. Tompkins, Superintendent and Mr. Young, Treasurer.

Reading Notice

The purpose of the special board meeting is (#1) to discuss personnel, (#2) to approve budget changes and (#3) approve contracts for athletic repairs to the ZHS track and tennis courts.

Open session will be held to approve any resolutions.

#26-147 RESIGNATIONS – CERTIFICATED

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the resignation of Rachel Ladner, Teacher at Zane Grey Intermediate, effective August 20, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Lauren Absten, Orchestra Teacher at Zanesville High School/Zanesville Middle School, effective August 14, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Riley Alberston, Teacher at Zane Grey Intermediate, effective August 20, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Inzie Browning, Teacher at John McIntire Elementary, effective August 20, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Joel Kunkle, Intervention Specialist at Zanesville Middle School, effective August 21, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

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

#26-148 RESIGNATIONS – CLASSIFIED

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the revised resignation of Logan Burkart, Transportation and 3-hour Food Service at Zanesville Middle School, to reflect an effective date of May 22, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Pamela Detty, Educational Aide at Zanesville Middle School, effective August 20, 2026. Reason for resignation is personal.

Approve the resignation of Becky Cook, Educational Aide at National Road Elementary, effective September 25, 2026. Reason for resignation is retirement.

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Lee, Mr. Baldwin. Vice-President declared motion carried.

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#26-149 EMPLOYMENT – CERTIFICATED

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve the following certificated personnel for the 2026-2027 school year, pending appropriate certification requirements and background checks:

Jennifer Wahl – Intervention Specialist
Experience: Step 17
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zanesville Community School
College: Muskingum University
Amount: MA+45

Darra Durst – 4th Grade Math
Experience: Step 0
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zane Grey Intermediate
College: Franklin University
Amount: BA

Elizabeth Gibson – 4th Grade Math/Science
Experience: Step 0
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zane Grey Intermediate
College: Franklin University
Amount: BA

Madison Lee – 2nd Grade Teacher
Experience: Step 0
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: National Road Elementary
College: Muskingum University
Amount: MA

Gabriel Hickman – Intervention Specialist
Experience: Step 0
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zanesville High School
College: Boston University
Amount: BA

Josie Lovejoy – 1st Grade Teacher
Experience: Step 0
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zane Grey Elementary/
College: Marshall University
Amount: BA

Jordan Lent – Elementary Music Teacher
Experience: Step 2
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zane Grey Elementary/
Intermediate
College: Ohio University
Amount: BA

Wendy Boykin – 5th Grade Teacher
Experience: Step 20
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: John McIntire Elementary
College: University of Phoenix
Amount: MA

Julie Janicki – Intervention Specialist
Experience: Step 12
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zanesville Middle School
College: Muskingum University
Amount: MA

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Paige Hynus – Science Teacher
Experience: Step 3
Effective Date: August 21, 2026

Location: Zanesville Middle School
College: Western Governors University
Amount: BA

Those voting aye: Mrs. Lee, Mr. Baldwin, Mrs. Buchanan. Vice-President declared motion carried

#26-150 EMPLOYMENT – CLASSIFIED

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

Denise Nelson – Custodian
Salary Schedule: Maintenance I / Step 0

Location: STEAM / ZMS
Effective Date: June 9, 2026

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

#26-151 EMPLOYEE TRANSFERS

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the transfer of Vickie Ritchie, 7 Hour Head Food Service at Zane Grey Elementary to reflect 7 Hour Food Service at Zane Grey Elementary effective August 21, 2026. Rate of pay to be Cafeteria II, Step 47 from the appropriate salary schedule.

Approve the transfer of Ashley Wilson, 2nd Grade Teacher at National Road Elementary to reflect Title Teacher for Zanesville City Schools, effective August 24, 2026 subject to proper certification and background check. Rate of pay to remain the same.

Approve the transfer of Teresa Lightle-Brown, 1st Grade Teacher at John McIntire Elementary to reflect Title Teacher for Zanesville City Schools, effective August 24, 2026 subject to proper certification and background check. Rate of pay to remain the same.

Approve the transfer of Anne Robrecht, teacher at Zane Grey Elementary to reflect Dean of Students at John McIntire Elementary effective August 3, 2026 subject to proper certification and background check. This will be a 2-year contract with the rate of pay of DS (0-4) Step 0, 10 months, from the appropriate salary schedule.

Approve the transfer of Allison Burkhart, Teacher at Zanesville Middle School to reflect Assistant Principal at Zanesville High School effective August 3, 2026 subject to proper certification and background check. This will be a 2-year contract with the rate of pay AP10(0-4), Step 0, from the appropriate salary schedule.

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

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#26-152 EXTENDED TIME – CERTIFICATED

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve extended time for the following staff member as listed for the summer of 2026 prior to the 2026-2027 school year: Rate of pay to be their daily per diem.

Name	Position	Not to exceed
Payton Norris	Makerspace Teacher	20 Days
Allison Burkhart	Assistant Principal	5 Days
Anne Robrecht	Dean of Students	5 Days

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

#26-153 SUMMER EMPLOYMENT – TEACHER

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve the following to work as a Teacher for the 2026 Summer School Program as and when needed at the rate of \$40.00 per hour: 21st Century, DCY Funding, Title and/or IDEA Funds will be utilized.

Name
Linae Cox

Those voting aye: Mrs. Buchanan, Mrs. Lee, Mr. Baldwin. Vice-President declared motion carried.

#26-154 VOLUNTEERS

Mrs. Lee moved and Mrs. Buchanan seconded to approve the following volunteers as listed for Zanesville City Schools for the 2026-2027 school year pending appropriate backgrounds checks:

Name	Building	Type
Shane Hollins	ZHS	Boys Basketball
Olivia Parry	ZHS	Volleyball Coach
Kenneth Clouse	ZHS	Golf Coach
Lisa Burkett	ZHS	Soccer Coach
Rylee McCuen	ZHS	Soccer Coach

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

#26-155 SUPPLEMENTAL CONTRACTS

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the following Supplemental contracts as listed for the 2026-2027 school year pending required certification and background check:

Name		Sport	Position	Class
Joseph Bailey	Fall	Golf	Assistant/Freshman Coach	VIII
Jeffrey Moore	Winter	Basketball-Boys	Varsity Head Coach	II

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Name		Sport	Position	Class
Jason Smith	Fall	Football	Middle School Coach - 8th Grade	VIII
Tyler Bryant	Fall	Soccer - Boys	Varsity Head Coach	IV
Brailey Harris	Fall	Cheerleading	Middle School Advisor	IX
Brailey Harris	Winter	Cheerleading	Middle School Advisor	VIII
Brianna Warden Hoopes	Fall	Volleyball	7th Grade Coach	VIII
Zyarie Giamarco	Fall	Volleyball	8 th Grade Coach	VIII

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

#26-156 APPROPRIATIONS

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve the Treasurer to make the following appropriation adjustments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2026.

Other Grants	019	400,000.00	To update for current year rev/exp
Misc State Grants	499	117,000.00	To update for current year rev/exp
Title I	572	(12,725.18)	To update for current year rev/exp
Misc Federal Grants	599	(241.42)	To update for current year rev/exp

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

#26-157 CONTRACTS – ZHS ATHLETIC FACILITIES

Mrs. Buchanan moved and Mr. Baldwin seconded to approve a contract with A.G. Sports Services, LLC, to resurface the track at Zanesville High School. The amount of the contract is \$398,000.00 and is being awarded through the state bidding procedures. Funds will be provided through a grant from The J.W. and M.H. Straker Charitable Foundation.

Approve a contract with The Motz Group to repair and resurface the tennis courts at Zanesville High School. The amount of the contract is \$87,802.00 and is being awarded through the state bidding procedures. Amount to be paid from the General Fund.

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

#26-158 FIELDTRIP – ZANESVILLE HIGH SCHOOL TRACK GROUP

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded to approve Zanesville High School Track Coaches and Athletes to travel to the Adidas Track and Field National competition in North Carolina June 17 and June 18, 2026. Parents and Coaches will be providing transportation and donations will be accepted to help cover costs.

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

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#26-159 ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Baldwin moved and Mrs. Lee seconded that the Zanesville City Schools Board of Education meeting is adjourned @ 7:15 a.m.

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

Valencia Clark

President

Mrs. D. D. Lee

Treasurer