White Pigeon Board of Education Meeting
Wednesday, June 24, 2026
White Pigeon High School Gymnasium

1. The meeting was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by Nicole Hagenbuch.
   a. **Board Members Present:** Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart
   b. **Absent:** Michelle Strayer, Leonard Hinkson, and Andy Morris.
   c. **Administrators Present:** Shelly McBride and Michelle Delarye
   d. **Absent:** None.

2. The Pledge of Allegiance was said, led by Jennifer Stewart.

3. Superintendent McBride spoke as to the legacy and retirement of Connie Wright and Nina Freese. Principal Todd Reynolds spoke on the retirement of Carrie Miracle of her years of service and Principal Damien Loveless spoke about the many years of service by Mike Gropp to our district and entering his retirement.

4. Jennifer Stewart made a motion, supported by Dan Cropsey to approve meeting minutes from:
   a. May13th, 2026 Board of Education Meeting
   Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

5. No Public Participation

6. Jennifer Stewart made a motion, supported by Dan Cropsey to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.
   a. Approval of Payment of Bills:

General Fund	$	613,696.33
Athletic Fund	$	10,633.45
Food Service Fund	$	77,325.43
Sinking Fund "C"	$	15,583.01
2024 Capital Project	$	121,354.89
Activities	$	24,745.97

   b. Personnel Report
   Relative to Employee Recommendations:
   Gunner Bunning — Varsity Football Assistant Coach

   Relative to New Employee Recommendations:

   Relative to Employee Reassignments (For informational purposes only)

   Relative to Employee Resignations (For informational purposes only)
   Gunner Bunning — MS Football Coach
   Stacy McKee — MS Competitive Cheer Coach

   Relative to Employee Leave of Absence (For informational purposes only)

   Relative to Employee Retirements (For informational purposes only)

   c. Recognition and Acceptance of Gifts: NONE

Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

7. Stacy Jancasz made a motion, supported by Jennifer Stewart to approve the final amendment to the 2025-2026 budget as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

8. Dan Cropsey made a motion, supported by Jennifer Stewart to approve the proposed 2026-27 budget as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

9. Stacy Jancasz made a motion, supported by Dan Cropsey, to grant continuing probationary status to ten (10) non-tenured teachers and grant tenure to three (3) teachers for the 2026-27 school year as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

10. Dan Cropsey made a motion, supported by Stacy Jancasz, to approve the wage scale as presented between White Pigeon Community Schools and the White Pigeon Education Association for the 2026-27 school year.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

11. Jennifer Stewart made a motion, supported by Stacy Jancasz, to approve the contract for leadership team member Todd Reynolds for the period of the 2026-2028 school year as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

12. Stacy Jancasz made a motion, supported by Jennifer Stewart, to approve the contract addendum/wage opener contracts for the leadership team members for the 2026-27 school year as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

13. Dan Cropsey made a motion, supported by Jennifer Stewart, to appoint Thrun Law Firm, PC as the school attorney for the 2026-27 school year.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

14. Stacy Jancasz made a motion, supported by Dan Cropsey, to adopt the resolution for the MHSAA membership for the 2026-2027 school year.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

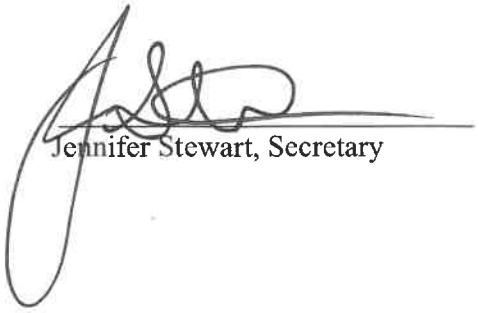
15. Dan Cropsey made a motion, supported by Stacy Jancasz, to approve the wages scales for the paraprofessionals, secretaries, clerks, custodial and maintenance and bus drivers for the 2026-27 school year as presented.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch. Stacy Jancasz, Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

16. Jennifer Stewart made a motion, supported by Dan Cropsey, to approve the letter of agreement with Sturgis Public Schools to share a bus mechanic for the 2026-27 school year.
Roll call vote; the motion carried 4-0. Ayes: Dan Cropsey, Nicole Hagenbuch, Stacy Jancasz Jennifer Stewart. Nays: None.

17. President Hagenbuch discussed the MASB evaluations and Superintendent McBride and her both discussed the upcoming White Pigeon Days.

18. Announcement as listed on the agenda.

The regular meeting adjourned at 7:03 p.m.



Jennifer Stewart, Secretary