Minutes of Regular Meeting of the Louisville Board of Education

June 22, 2026

REGULAR MEETING 06/22/2026

The Louisville Board of Education met in regular session on Monday, June 22, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. at the Louisville Board of Education Office, 407 East Main Street, Louisville, Ohio 44641 with the following members present: Mr. Jon Aljancic, Mr. Frank Antonacci, Mr. Brian Beatty, Mrs. Barbara DeJacimo, and Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux. Also in attendance were: Ms. Michele Shaffer, Mrs. Anna Minor, and Mr. Derek Nottingham.

A. SPECIAL RECOGNITION

Girls Track and Field State Relay Team
- Amelie Anderson
- Maddy Bailey
- Stella Blommel
- Nora Kiko
- Kylah Meyer
- Peyton Novosel
- Jerry Fresenko, Head Coach

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B. COMMITTEE REPORTS

RG Drage Representative- Mr. Frank Antonacci
- Cody Emmons earned gold at Nationals in diesel mechanics
- Katie Cumberledge earned top ten at Nationals

Athletic/Extra Curricular Committee- Mr. Jon Aljancic, Dr. Brenda Ramsey-L'Amoreaux
- Community celebrates spring sports successes
- Looking for a girls lacrosse coach
- Hosted district finals
- Gym floors resurfaced and polished at the middle and high schools
- Summer camps are underway and well attended

Curriculum and Program Committee- Mr. Frank Antonacci, Mrs. Barbara DeJacimo
- Federal Program application has been submitted
- Continue to study data on student progress
- Waiver days planned for next school year
- Discussed getting better participation for students to apply for grants at the high school
- Summer school is being held in late July- early August

Facilities Committee- Mr. Frank Antonacci, Mr. Brian Beatty
- Meeting was held on June 11
- Heavy duty security film installed in certain areas at LES and NN
- Transportation department continues to look at ways to reduce expenses
- 219,870 breakfasts were served in the cafeteria in 2025-26
- 302,704 lunches were served in the cafeteria in 2025-26
- Gordon Food Service Balanced Ordering Rebate Program being utilized

26-119 ADOPT MEETING AGENDA

Motion by Mrs. DeJacimo and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to adopt the following agenda for the June 22, 2026 Louisville Board of Education Regular Meeting.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-120 CONSENT AGENDA
Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mr. Antonacci to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

RESIGNATIONS

1. Approve the resignation/retirement of the following employees:

Chelsea Ball	Resignation: Intervention Specialist, LMS (effective 6/17/26)
Ashley Barich	Resignation: Athletic Secretary, LHS (effective 6/30/26)
Alexandra Chiarappa	Resignation: Proctor (2.5 hrs), LES (effective 6/3/26)
Sherry Wilmer	Resignation: Intervention Specialist, LMS (effective 6/18/26)
Jillian Zamarelli	Resignation: Intervention Specialist, LES (effective 6/12/26)

HIRING

2. Approve the employment of the following Certified employees for the 2026-27 school year, contingent upon meeting employment requirements:

Alexandra Davis	Intervention Specialist, NN (effective 8/14/26)
Aerien Starkey	Intervention Specialist, LMS (effective 8/14/26)
Daniel Westlake	Intervention Specialist, LMS (effective 8/14/26)

3. Approve the following employment of the following classified employees for the 2026-27 school year as presented on Exhibit C-3.:

Haley Floom	Asst. Cook (3 hrs.), LES (effective 8/14/26)
Martha Summerfield	Asst. Cook (3 hrs.), LES (effective 8/14/26)

4. Approve the employment of the following classified substitutes for the 2026-27 school year:

Cheyenne Risher	Cafeteria, Bldg. Proctor, Study Hall Monitor, Paraprofessional, Library/Tech Aide (effective 8/14/26)

5. Approve the following employment recommendations for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 school years:

Transfers

Clint Butler	From Head Custodian at NN to Head Custodian at LMS (effective 8/1/26)
Samantha Anna	From Paraprofessional at LES to Monitor at LHS (effective 8/14/26)
Jill Druckenbrod	From Paraprofessional at NN to Paraprofessional at LES (effective 8/14/26)
Melissa Fach	From Language Arts Teacher at LMS to Instructional Coach at LMS and LHS (effective 8/14/26)
Kristen Knetsch	From Proctor at NN to Paraprofessional at LHS (effective 8/14/26)
Jennifer Oyer	From Proctor to Paraprofessional at NN (effective 8/14/26)
Mary Sisemore	From Asst. Cook (3 hrs.) at LES to Asst. Cook (3 hrs.) at LHS (effective 8/14/26)
Cari Tippel	From Asst. Cook (4.5 hrs.) at LES to Paraprofessional at LES (effective 8/14/26)

Summer Technology Worker
Cael Benson

Vocal Music Volunteer
Terin Corn

Miscellaneous

Carolyne Beane	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Mike Gulling	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Kara Key	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Hollie Little	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Erin Neff	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Billie Sue Norris	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Melissa Robinson	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Jeremiah Sanders	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Brooklyn Shafer	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Courtney Stallman	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)
Brooke Whiteleather	Student Teaching 2026-27 (Per University Agreement)

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-121 PRESENTATION OF RECORDS
Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve the presentation of financial records as presented, and the invoices for payment.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-122 PRESENTATION OF MONTHLY EXPENSES
Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mr. Antonacci to approve invoices for payment.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.
Abstain: Mr. Beatty

26-123 BUGETARY
Motion by Mrs. DeJacimo and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to approve the following:

FY26 Revenue Budget Revision(s)	(Exhibit T-1)
FY26 Appropriation Revision(s)	(Exhibit T-2)
FY27 Revenue Budget Revision(s)	(Exhibit T-3)
FY27 Permanent Appropriations	(Exhibit T-4)
FY27 Purpose Clause/Budget Statements	(exhibit T-5)

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-124 DECLARATION OF URGENT NECESSITY
Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to approve a declaration of urgent necessity per ORC 3313.46 to forgo normal competitive bidding and procurement procedures for the greensand filter replacement for the water system at North Nimishillen Elementary School and approving the work to be completed as presented on Exhibit T-6.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-125
Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to approve the following:

Interfund Activity

Transfer	$168,896.04	from General fund	(001-0000)
		to Food Service	(006-0000)
Transfer	$1250.01	from General Fund	(001-0000)
		to Uniform School Supplies	(009-9011)
Transfer	$125,000.00	from General Fund	(001-0000)
		to Termination Benefits	(035-0000)

Donations

Louisville Athletic Booster Club	$5632.50	Boys Golf
Louisville Athletic Booster Club	$4096.50	Girls Golf
Christ Church of Louisville	$24.05	Summer Lunch Program
Louisville Eagles Athletic Club	$3000.00	Boys & Girls Golf Scramble
David Eichelberger	$150.00	Wheelchair for North Nim
Walter & Linda Rittberger	$100.00	Athletics-Memory of Elodie Ann Bryan

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-126
Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve students receive in lieu of transportation for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 school years, due to the impracticality of their educational placement as needed at the current state reimbursement rate, as presented on Exhibit S-1.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-127
Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mr. Antonacci to approve the overnight field trip to Cedarville University in Cedarville, OH on June 3-5, 2026 for the Louisville High School Girls Basketball Team Camp at no expense to the Board of Education.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-128
Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to approve the overnight field trip to Eastern Ohio Sports Complex in Sherrodsville, OH on June 28-30, 2026 for the Louisville Middle School Girls Basketball Team camp at no expense to the Board of Education.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-129
Motion by Mr. Antonacci and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to approve the unpaid leave request for employee C.P. effective on or about September 9, 2026 for 12 weeks.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

26-130
Motion by Mrs. DeJacimo and seconded by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux to approve the Online Learning Plan for Excessive Snow Days/Emergency Circumstances as presented on Exhibit S-5.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

C. STRATEGIC PLAN UPDATE

- Prepare students to be "Future-Ready"
- Empower educators to embrace and support the uniqueness of all children
- Optimize resources in a fiscally responsible way
- Expand communication with the community

D. ANNOUNCEMENTS

The next regular Board of Education meeting will be held Monday, August 17, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. at The Board of Education Office located at 407 East Main Street, Louisville, Ohio 44641.

E. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION

Shannon Benson Rotary Exchange Student Program

26-131 EXECUTIVE SESSION

Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mr. Antonacci to enter into Executive Session at 7:32 p.m. in accordance with ORC 121.22 to discuss the employment of district personnel and other matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or state statute.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

Board President declares the Board out of Executive Session and back in to open session at 9:50 p.m.

26-132 ADJOURN

Motion by Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux and seconded by Mrs. DeJacimo to adjourn the meeting at 9:50 p.m.

Roll Call: Ayes: Mr. Aljancic, Mr. Antonacci, Mr. Beatty, Mrs. DeJacimo, and Dr. Ramsey-L'Amoreaux.

Attest

President