

**U.S.D. 305 BOARD AGENDA
SPECIAL MEETING
District Offices
1511 Gypsum
September 8, 2026
5:15 pm**

Mission Statement

The mission of Salina Public Schools is to be the best place to learn and work by embracing challenges, creating belonging, fostering pride and inspiring hope.

Speaker

- I. Call to Order
- II. Approve Agenda
- III. **2026-2027 Exceeding the Revenue Neutral Tax Rate Hearing**
 - a. **Approve the 2026-2027 Exceeding the Revenue Neutral Tax Rate Resolution**
- IV. **2026-2027 Budget Hearing**
- V. Adjourn

Notice of Nondiscrimination

Unified School District #305 does not discriminate on the basis of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability in admission or access to, or treatment or employment in, its programs and activities and provides equal access to the Boy Scouts and other designated youth groups. Any person having inquiries concerning Unified School District #305 compliance with the regulations implementing Title VI, ADA, Title IX, or Section 504 is directed to contact the Unified School District #305 Executive Director of Human Resources, P.O. Box 797, Salina, Kansas 67402, 785-309-4726.

III. 2026-2027 EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL TAX RATE HEARING

We will now open the hearing for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to exceeding the Revenue Neutral Tax Rate for the 2026-2027 school year.

**III.A. APPROVE 2026-2027 EXCEEDING THE REVENUE NEUTRAL TAX RATE
RESOLUTION**

It is recommended that you approve the 2026-2027 Exceeding the Revenue Neutral
Tax Rate Resolution as presented.

RESOLUTION 0326

A resolution expressing the property taxation policy of USD 305 Salina with respect to exceeding the Revenue Neutral Tax Rate for financing the annual budget for 2026-2027.

WHEREAS, K.S.A 79-2988, provides that a levy of property taxes to finance the 2026-2027 budget of Unified School District No. 305, Saline County, Kansas, exceeds the Revenue Neutral Tax Rate to finance the 2026-2027 budget of Unified School District No. 305, Saline County, Kansas, be authorized by a resolution; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 305, Saline County, Kansas held a hearing on September 8, 2026 allowing all interested taxpayers desiring to be heard an opportunity to give oral testimony; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 305, Saline County, Kansas, having heard testimony, still finds it necessary to exceed the Revenue Neutral Rate.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Board of Education of Unified School District No. 305, Saline County, Kansas that the 2026-2027 budget with a levy of property taxes exceeding the Revenue Neutral Tax Rates calculated for 2026-2027, as adjusted pursuant to K.S.A. 79-2988 is hereby adopted.

Adopted this 8th day of September, 2026, by the Unified School District No. 305 Salina, Saline County, Kansas.

President, Board of Education
Salina Unified School District No. 305
Saline County, Kansas

Clerk, Board of Education
Salina Unified School District No. 305
Saline County, Kansas

CERTIFICATE

	Vote Yes	Vote No	Absent
Board Member: Amy Freelove	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Scott Gardner	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Paul Gebhardt	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Gabe Grant	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Dana Johnson	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Dana Kossow	☐	☐	☐
Board Member: Ann Zimmerman	☐	☐	☐

IV. 2026-2027 BUDGET HEARING

We will now open the budget hearing for the purpose of hearing and answering objections of taxpayers relating to the proposed use of funds and the amount of tax to be levied.