



Southmont Schools Board of Trustees
Regular School Board Meeting
Corporation Board Room
Monday, September 14, 2026- 6:00 p.m.

Executive Session

The Board of School Trustees will meet in Executive Session on Monday, September 14, 2026 @ 5:00 p.m. in the corporation board room to discuss finance, bonds.

Public Hearing

The Board of School Trustees will meet in Public Hearing on Monday, September 14, 2026 @ 6:00 p.m. in the corporation board room regarding the opening of formal bargaining.

Public Meeting

- I. Call to Order
- II. Pledge of Allegiance
- III. Roll Call
- IV. Welcome and Recognition of Visitors.
-Students and Staff of the Month
- V. **Revisions to the Agenda**
- VI. Public Comments
- VII. **Consent Agenda:**
(minutes, monthly claims, field trips/facilities usage, contributions/gifts and personnel)
Minutes from previous meetings
Claims/Payrolls
Personnel:
-Approve maternity leave for Ramey Pitcock beginning March 1, 2027 through the end of the school year.
-Approve resignation of Sam Skaggs-Southmont Jr. High - effective September 25, 2026.
-Nathan Hodges - Full Time Sub - SouthmontHigh School.
-Ingrid Rodriguez - Instructional Assistant - Southmont High School.
-Cree Beatty - Instructional Assistant - New Market Elementary.
-David Carr - Emergency Medical Services and Fire & Rescue Agreement.
-Jason Starcher - Fire & Rescue Agreement.
-Whitney Anderson - JH/HS Fall Play Director - \$2000.00.
-Molly Blystone - JH/HS Fall Play Assistant Director - \$1500.00.
-Molly Blystone - JH/HS Spring Play Director - \$2000.00.
-Whitney Anderson - JH/HS Spring Assistant Play Director - \$1500.00.
-Haley Beach - 6th grade Class Sponsor - \$500.00.
-Matthew Couch - JH Student Council Sponsor - \$1000.00.

- Amy France - JH Academic Co-Coach - \$1000.00.
- Lesley Lashley - JH Academic Co-Coach - \$1000.00.
- Vince Brooks - JH FCA Sponsor - \$500.00.
- William Frazee - JH FFA Sponsor - \$1500.00.
- Jennifer Snook - JH Honor Society Co-Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Stefanie Brumett - JH Honor Society Co-Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Haley Beach - JH Royal Ambassadors Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Nicole Aguiar - JH Yearbook Sponsor - \$2000.00.
- Sharon Albertson - JH Computer Coding Club Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Catherine Simmerman - JH FCCLA Sponsor - \$1500.00.
- Cayla Dennis - Mentor Teacher - Science - (Brummett) - \$500.00.
- Matthew Couch - Mentor Teacher - Special Ed - (Wiers/Lenfesty) - \$1000.00.
- Whitney Anderson - Mentor Teacher - Social Studies - (Skaggs) - \$500.00.
- Erin Jones - Mentor Teacher - Pcc/Health - (Brooks) - \$500.00.
- Jamie McCormick - PLC Lead - Math - \$2000.00.
- Erin Jones - PLC Lead - ELA - \$2000.00.
- Cayla Dennis - PLC Lead - Science/Social Studies - \$2000.00.
- Donations made to Southmont in the amount of \$27,630.00.
- Mitchell Homan - 9th grade Class Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Rachel Scott - 10th grade Class Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Shelley Allen - 11th grade Class Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Addison Charles - 11th grade Class Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Reasley Thompson - 12th grade Class Sponsor - \$1500.00.
- Shelby Olofson - Math Academic Coach - \$2000.00.
- Rachel Scott - Science Academic Coach - \$2000.00.
- Lucy Johnson - English Academic Coach - \$2000.00.
- Jerry Long - FCA Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Erin Gilley - HS FFA Sponsor - \$2000.00.
- Lucy Johnson - HS National Honor Society Sponsor - \$2000.00.
- Sandy Minick - HS Yearbook Sponsor - \$2000.00.
- Catharine Simmerman - HS FCCLA Sponsor - \$1500.00.
- Caitlyn Tennison - New Teacher Mentor - \$500.00.
- Elizabeth Newnum - New Teacher Mentor - \$500.00.
- Julie Parent - New Teacher Mentor - \$500.00.
- Laura Cripe - HS Interact Club Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Jeremiah Sparks - HS Interact Club Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Mallory Kessler - HS BPA Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Shelley Allen - HS BPA Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Laura Cripe - English Department Chair - \$2000.00.
- Elizabeth Newnum - Fine Arts Department Chair - \$2000.00.
- Jeremiah Sparks - Math Department Chair - \$2000.00.
- Rachel Scott - Science Department Chair - \$2000.00.
- Reasley Thompson - Social Studies Department Chair - \$2000.00.

- Laura Duncan - Special Education Department Co-Chair - \$1000.00.
- Morgan Ross - Special Education Department Co-Chair - \$1000.00.
- Erin Gilley - Vocational/CTE Department Chair - \$2000.00.
- Ali Kraynak - Spanish Club Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Yessica Padilla - Spanish Club Co-Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Caitlyn Tennison - HS Student Council Sponsor - \$2000.00
- Elizabeth Newnum - Band Director - \$3000.00.
- Elizabeth Newnum - Marching Band Director - \$3500.00.
- Tyler Frazier - Choir Director - \$3000.00.
- Tyler Frazier - Show Choir Director - \$1500.00.
- Katy Yoakum - HS Chess Club Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Kelsey Feese - Bring Change to Mind Sponsor - \$1000.00.
- Brad Acton - HS Youth Civic Engagement Co-Sponsor - \$250.00.
- Kelsey Feese - HS Youth Civic Engagement Co-Sponsor - \$250.00.
- Michael Allen - HS Robotics Club Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Catharine Simmerman - HS Art Club Sponsor - \$500.00.
- Laura Cripe - English Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Elizabeth Newnum - Fine Arts Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Jeremiah Sparks - Math Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Rachel Scott - Science Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Reasley Thompson - Social Studies Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Laura Duncan - Special Education Department Co-PLC - \$1000.00.
- Morgan Ross - Special Education Department Co-PLC - \$1000.00.
- Erin Gilley - Vocational/CTE Department Co-PLC - \$1000.00.
- Ali Kraynak - HS Language Department PLC - \$2000.00.
- Caitlyn Tennison - HS Travel Club Co-Sponsor - \$250.00.
- Bobbi Harden - HS Travel Club Co-Sponsor - \$250.00.
- Katie Kern - HS FFA Sponsor - \$2000.00.
- Approve resignation of Sam Skaggs - Varsity Assistant Basketball Coach - effective September 25, 2026.
- SA-5 Reports for the period of January 1, 2026 to June 30, 2026 from Central Office, Ladoga Elementary, New Market Elementary, Walnut Elementary and Southmont Jr.-Sr. High School.

VIII. **Items for Action:**

1. Approve adding Coke Zero products to the cafeteria.
2. Refunding of the 2017 Bonds.
 - A. Approve Resolution approving refunding.
3. 2026 Lease
 - A. Adopt resolution approving formation of Building Corporation; and Adopt resolution approving Sixth Supplement to Master Continuing Disclosure Undertaking.

IX. Report from Superintendent:

- X. Items for Discussion by the Board
 - 1. NEOLA Board Policies Updates - 1st reading.

- XI. Adjournment

Future Meetings:

September 22, 2026 - Regular Meeting (Budget Hearing)-Corporation Board Room -6:00 PM

October 12, 2026 - Regular Meeting - Corporation Board Room - 6:00 PM

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