MINUTES
Ashland City School District Board of Education – Special Meeting
June 8, 2026

The Ashland City School District Board of Education met for a Special Meeting on Monday, June 8, 2026 at Ashland City School District Administrative Offices, Samaritan Hospital Foundation Conference Room, 1407 Claremont Ave, Ashland, Ohio. Mrs. Pam Mowry, Board President called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

I. **ROLL CALL** Mr. Rick Brindley, Mrs. Gina Deppert, Mrs. Pam Mowry, Mr. Greg Summers and Mr. John Teevan were present.

II. **PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE** The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Mrs. Pam Mowry, Board President.

III. **APPROVAL OF AGENDA 2026-06-78** Mrs. Deppert motioned; second by Mr. Brindley to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 5-0.

IV. **COMMENTS/QUESTIONS – (On agenda items only.)**

A. Public

B. The Board of Education will consider and approve the Retire-Rehire of Doug Shipper, Transportation Supervisor.

V. **SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

A. Recognition of:

- **Students of the Month**

AHS –	**Melody Schmitz**	**9th Grade**
	Oscar Parillo	**10th Grade**
	Ty Swain	**11th Grade**
	Haylee Bond	**12th Grade**
AMS –	**Palmer Zimmerman**	**6th Grade**
	Annabelle Babin	**7th Grade**
	Dylan Martinez	**8th Grade**
Taft –	**Piper Page**	**4th Grade –Mrs. Oberholtzer**
		4th Grade –Mrs. Krieger
		4th Grade – Mr. Beck
Edison –	**Linkin Pryor**	**2nd Grade – Ms. LaRue**
Reagan –	**Kimber VanHorn**	**Kindergarten –Mrs. Sauder**

- **Support Staff Member of the Month – Tina Dove**

- **Certified Staff Member of the Month – Amy Chandler**

B. CBI Year End Update – Mr. Smeltzer

C. Graduation Recap

D. Large Scale Emergency Drill at Reagan on Friday, June 12, 2026

E. Spring Sports Ending

F. Bus Opt-In, Final Forms, Free and Reduced Lunch Forms

G. Ashland County Veterans Appreciation Weekend – Volunteers Needed

H. Other

VI. NEW BUSINESS

A. Treasurer's Consent Calendar 2026-06-79 Mrs. Mowry motioned; second by Mrs. Deppert to approve the Treasurer's Consent Calendar as presented. Motion carried 5-0.

Note: Items under the consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted under one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items prior to the time the Board votes unless a Board member requests an item be clarified or removed from the calendar for separate action.

The Treasurer recommends the following actions:

Classified New Hire

Mazie Paramore	Paraprofessional I at Reagan Elementary Effective August 19, 2026	$17.40/hour

Paraprofessionals for Summer Camp 2026

Mazie Paramore	$14.50/hour

VII. NEW BUSINESS

A. Superintendent's Consent Calendar 2026-06-80 Mr. Summers motioned; second by Mr. Brindley to approve the Superintendent's Consent Calendar as presented. Motion carried 5-0.

Note: Items under the consent calendar are considered routine and will be enacted under one motion. There will be no separate discussion of these items prior to the time the Board votes unless a Board member requests an item be clarified or removed from the calendar for separate action.

The Superintendent recommends the following actions:

1. Certificated/Licensed Personnel

   Approve the personnel and/or contract recommendations detailed in the exhibit items listed below as per the dates, terms and other applicable specified conditions and pending completion of all state, local and district requirements.

   a. Rescind a Rehire for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   b. Certified Resignations (EXHIBIT A)

   c. Certificated One-Year Limited Contracts for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   d. Certificated One-Year Non-Renew Contract for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   e. Small Group Instructors for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   f. Certificated Transfers for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   g. Supplemental Duty Contract Adjustment for the 2025-2026 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   h. Graduation Workers for the 2025-2026 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   i. Extended Days for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   j. Summer Writing Camp 2026 (EXHIBIT A)

   k. OG Training 2026 (EXHIBIT A)

   l. Summer Curriculum Days 2026 (EXHIBIT A)

   m. ELL Tutors for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

   n. Camp Overture (EXHIBIT A)

   o. Volunteers for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT A)

2. Support Staff

   Approve the personnel and/or contract recommendations detailed in the exhibit items listed below as per the dates, terms and other applicable conditions specified and pending completion of all state, local and district requirements.

   a. Classified New Hires (EXHIBIT B)

b. Classified Transfers (EXHIBIT B)

c. One-Year Non-Renew for the 2026-2027 School Year (EXHIBIT B)

d. Other for School Year 2025-2026 (EXHIBIT B)

e. Other for School Year 2026-2027 (EXHIBIT B)

f. Paraprofessionals for Summer Camp 2026 (EXHIBIT B)

g. Special Duty Contract Resignation (EXHIBIT B)

h. Graduation Workers (EXHIBIT B)

3. Program/Other

a. Approve the Exempt Employee's Rates and Benefits Schedule for fiscal year 2027. (Exhibit C)

4. Items Removed for Separate Consideration

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B. Administrative Rates and Benefits Schedule 2026-06-81 Mrs. Deppert motioned; second by Mrs. Mowry to approve the Superintendent's recommendation to approve the Administrative Salary Schedule for fiscal year 2027. (EXHIBIT D) Motion carried 4-0. Mr. Brindley abstained.

C. Approval of New Hire for the 2026-2027 School Year 2026-06-82 Mr. Summers motioned; second by Mr. Brindley to approve the Superintendent's recommendation to approve Isaac Roop for a one-year limited contract as an Intervention Specialist at Ashland High School beginning January 2027, contingent upon completion of licensure. Motion carried 4-0. Mrs. Deppert abstained.

D. Approval of Summer Help Employee 2026 2026-06-83 Mrs. Mowry motioned; second by Mr. Summers to approve the Superintendent's recommendation to approve Isaac Roop as a Summer Help employee tentatively beginning June 8, 2026. Motion carried 4-0. Mrs. Deppert abstained.

E. Girls' Tennis Participation 2026-06-84 Mr. Summers motioned; second by Mrs. Deppert to approve the Superintendent's recommendation to approve Crestview Local School District resident home school student, Nora White, to participate in girls' tennis on behalf of and through Ashland City School District and Ashland High School Girls' Tennis as permitted by the Ohio High School Athletic Association (OHSAA) rules and guidelines for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried 5-0.

VIII. COMMENTS/QUESTIONS – (On agenda and non-agenda items.)

A. Public
B. Board Member

IX. EXECUTIVE SESSION 2026-06-85 Mr. Summers motioned; second by Mrs. Deppert to enter Executive Session. Motioned carried 5-0.

Whereas, as a public board of education may hold a executive session only after a majority of a quorum of this board determines by a roll call vote to hold such a session and only at a regular or special meeting for the sole purpose of the consideration of any of the following matters:

A. To consider one or more, as applicable, of the checkmarked items with respect to a public employee or official:
1. ____ Appointment.
2. _X__ Employment
3. ____ Dismissal
4. ____ Discipline
5. ____ Promotion
6. ____ Demotion
7. ____ Compensation
8. ____ Investigation of charges/complaints (unless public hearing requested).

B. To consider the purchase of property for the public purposes or for the sale of property at competitive bidding.

C. Conferences with an attorney for the public body concerning disputes involving the public body that are the subject of pending or imminent court action.

D . Preparing for, conducting, or reviewing negotiations or bargaining sessions with public employees concerning their compensation or other terms and conditions of their employment.

E. Matters required to be kept confidential by federal law or rules or state statutes.

F. Specialized details of security arrangements where disclosure of the matters discussed might reveal information that could be used for the purpose of committing or avoid prosecution for a violation of the law.

Now, therefore, be it resolved, that the Ashland City School Board of Education, by a majority of the quorum present at this meeting, does hereby declare its intention to hold an executive session on item(s) **___A2, E____** as listed above.

Entered Executive Session at 6:13 p.m.
Executive Session Ended at 7:22 p.m.

X. ADJOURNMENT 2026-06-86 Mr. Summers motioned; second by Mr. Teevan to adjourn the June 8, 2026 special meeting. Motion carried 5-0.

Meeting adjourned at 7:22 p.m.

Certificate Section 5705.412, Revised Code

It is hereby certified that the Ashland City School District Board of Education, Ashland County, Ohio, has sufficient funds to meet the contract agreement, obligation, payment or expenditure for the above, and has in effect for the remainder of the fiscal year and succeeding fiscal year the authorization to levy taxes which, when combined with the estimated revenue from all other sources available to the district at the time of certification, are sufficient to provide operating revenues necessary to enable the district to operate an adequate educational program on all days set forth in its adopted school calendar for the current fiscal year and for a number of days in the succeeding fiscal year equal to the number of days instruction was or is scheduled for the current fiscal year.

06/08/2026 _____
Treasurer

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Superintendent of Schools

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President Board of Education

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Pam Mowry, Board President Kyle Klingler, Treasurer

IMPORTANT DATES

BOE Regular Meeting	Monday, June 22, 2026	5:30 p.m.	Adm. Offices
NO July Work Session			
BOE Regular Meeting	Monday, July 27, 2026	5:30 p.m.	Adm. Offices
Work Session for August	Monday, August 10, 2026	5:30 p.m.	Adm. Offices
BOE Regular Meeting	Monday, August 24, 2026	5:30 p.m.	Adm. Offices