NEW PHILADELPHIA BOARD OF EDUCATION

August 10, 2026

The Board of Education welcomed Dr. Sutton to her first school board meeting.

The Regular Meeting of New Philadelphia Board of Education was called to order at 6:30 p.m. by President Schrock at the Administration Office with the following members present: Dr. Bachman, Ms. Fontana, Mr. Petrullo, Mr. Ricklic and Mrs. Schrock. Also present were Mrs. Erwin, Dr. Sutton and Mr. Williams.

Approval of Agenda 101-26

Ms. Fontana moved, Mr. Petrullo seconded to approve the Board Meeting agenda including the addendum with additions or deletions to the agenda.

Roll call:	Ayes:	Fontana, Petrullo, Bachman, Ricklic, Schrock	(5)
	Nays:		(0)

Motion carried.

Minutes 102-26

Dr. Bachman moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the minutes of the Work Session dated July 13, 2026, the Regular Meeting dated July 13, 2026 and the Special Meeting dated July 21, 2026.

Roll call:	Ayes:	Bachman, Schrock, Fontana, Petrullo, Ricklic	(5)
	Nays:		(0)

Motion carried.

Recognition - None

Public Participation - None

Treasurer's Report 103-26

Five Year Forecast Presentation was presented by Julie Erwin, Treasurer

Mr. Ricklic moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the following items under the Treasurer's Report.

A. Approval of the July 2026 Financial Statement - Financial Report
B. Approval of FY 2026 Key Indicator Report - Key Indicator
C. Approval of the Cash Flow Report - Cash Flow
D. Approve the Check Register. - Check Register
E. Approval of the Bank Reconciliation - Bank Rec
F. Approve the purchase of a John Deere Gator TX in the amount of $11,027.50, including a trade-in of $8,000 for a net purchase of $3,427.49. - John Deere
G. Approve the quote from Dakota's Tree Service in the amount of $12,700 to trim trees at the South Elementary. - Dakota
H. Approve the quote from Carpenter Heating and Cooling for the replacement of the A/C compressor at the High School in the amount of $8,937. - Carpenter
I. Approve the quote for Flickinger Piping to replace the chiller compressor at South Elementary in the amount of $24,483. - Flickinger
J. Approve the proposal from Diversified Engineering for the plans and permits for the new vestibule at York Elementary. - Diversified.
K. Approve the statement of work from CDW-G for the White Glove service in the amount of $8,290. - CDW-G
L. Approve the Flood Insurance Renewal with Assurant for the Quaker Dome in the amount of $9,120. - Assurant
M. Approve the invoice from Kennedy Insurance for the second half billing in the amount of $90,107. - Kennedy
N. Approve the addition of the Sure Trac Trailer on the liability insurance in the amount of $93. - Kennedy addition
O. Approve the Annual Commercial Paper Reporting Requirement with RedTree Investments as required by ORC Section 135.142. - RedTree Reporting

P. Approve the Audiology Agreement with the ECOESC as estimated at $5,650.03. - ECOESC
Q. Approve the order for Hudl for three years at a total contract value of $46,000. - HUDL
R. Approve the service agreement with Muskingum Valley ESC for the Orientation and Mobility contract for Special Needs students in the estimated amount of $18,618. - Muskingum
S. Approve the GCL Education Services Agreement for a Special Education student for $240 per day.
T. Accept the following donations:

Reeves Foundation	$8000	PLTW
Marsh Foundation	$5000	PLTW
Zimmerman Foundation	$1000	PLTW
Blue River Pet Care	$ 100	Summer Science Camp

U. Authorize the Superintendent and the Treasurer to negotiate a land purchase.
W. Approve the amended Certificate of Estimated Resources for FY27 as follows:

Public Support (018)	$ 30,876.00	Increase
Other Local Grants (019)	$ 51,100.00	Decrease
Student Activities (200)	$ 36,360.00	Decrease
District Managed Activities (300)	$216,300.00	Decrease
Title I (572)	$200,000.00	Increase
Title IV (584)	$ 18,454.93	Increase

X. Approve the amended Appropriations for FY27 as follows:

Public Support (018)	$ 15,115.00	Increase
Student Activities (200)	$ 33,725.00	Decrease
District Managed Activities (300)	$187,350.00	Decrease
Title I (572)	$261,600.73	Increase
Title IV (584)	$ 19,476.30	Increase

Y. Approve the Five Year Forecast as presented. - Forecast

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Fontana, Bachman, Petrullo, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Personnel 104-26

Mr. Ricklic moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the following items under personnel.

Resignation
Aimee Voll - Dept. Head, High School - Intervention - Effective 6/26/2026
Kyler Ruegsegger - 5th Grade Teacher, Central - Effective 7/20/2026
Alexis Hobart - Title I Teacher, South - Effective 7/20/2026
Jessie McClanahan - Paraprofessional, Welty - Effective 8/3/2026
Evan Rudd - Co Assistant Band - Level 3 - Effective 8/4/2026
Todd Hiller - Bus Driver - Effective 8/7/2026
Kara Bowersock - FSW1, York - Effective 8/19/2026

Certified 2026-2027
Trisha Derheimer - 5th Grade Teacher, Central - 0 Yrs Exp. - BS - $43,345 - Effective 8/17/2026
Joy Brantley - 3-5 Literacy Teacher - 5 Yrs Exp. - M - $57,519 - Effective 8/17/2026

Limited 1-year Contract 2026-2027
Title 1 Tutors - $28.60 per hr

Danielle Levengood, Vanessa Hutras, Jackie Howell, Sharayah LoPresti, Erica Troyer

Classified 2026-2027
Maria Hassler - Preschool Secretary, Dome - 8 hrs/day - Step 0 - $16.28 per hr - Effective 8/3/2026

Supplementals 2026-2027
Travis Tristano - Assistant Golf, Varsity - Level 10 - $3,034
Paige Watt - Coach, Cheerleading Freshman - Level 10 - $3.034
Shelley Dunlap - Dept. Head, High School - Intervention - Level 12 - $2,384
Laurel Lewis - Co-Dept. Head, High School - English - Level 12 - $1,192

Mentors/Resident Educators Program - $1,500
Jessica Felton, Jamie Shuman, Megan Beachy, Michelle Pipes, Erin Watson, Julie Watson, Joyce Anderson, April Range, Megan Vogel, Carrie Morales, Julie Shimko, Mary Beth Edwards

Substitute Teachers 2026-2027
Laurie Artzner, Erica Casimir, Nancy Cooke, Jennifer Flaherty, Patrick Gibson, Jaclyn Halter, Tiffanie Harr, Wendy McAfee, Courtney Meyers, William "Bill" Morgan, Jacklyn Proctor, William Rinderknecht, Celine Roulet, Rachel Smith, Michael Velez-Carvajal

Substitute Secretaries/Aides 2026-2027
Jennifer Flaherty, Candace Brady

Substitute Bus Drivers 2026-2027
Xavier Best, Kip Brady, Todd Hiller, Rudy Felix, Sam Paden

Substitute Custodians 2026-2027
Patrick Gibson, Jan Heron

Volunteers 2026-2027
Amanda Archer, Katrina Asano, Shelly Barnhart Clark, Jason Beck, Nicole Beck, Rozalyn Belknap, Amanda Belknap, Avalyn Belknap, Drusilla Bichsel, Robin Bick, Destinee Blackwell, Rachelle Bonvechio, Pamela Brinton, Lindsay Compton, Ginger Cooper, Joshua Cottrell, Kathryn Crews, Christi Dawson, Tiffany Dennison, Emily DeVecka, Kim DeWalt, Connie Dolvin, Denise Endlich, Yvette Ewing, Rebeka Eynon, Deborah Ferrell, Marvin Fete, Courtney Friend, Sandra Gallentine, Sarah Ghezzi, Scott Ghezzi, Lynn Gilland, Stacie Godfrey, Cheryl Graham, William Graham, Melissa Grant, Olivia Hagey, Missy Harding, Tess Hawk, Julie Henke, Mark Henke, Emily Holmes, Kylie Hummel, Kristy Hutchison, Kathi Jackson, Joshua Johnson, Tonya Johnson, Nancy Johnson, Tiffany Kail, Ashley Kenily, Brian Knepper, Katarena Knepper, Angie Knisely, Akiko Komura, Ariel Kostelnik, Tonya Kreitzer, Shari Lewis, Joshua Limbacher, Mindy Limbacher, Jason Luken, Rebecca Luken, Taylor Mamarella, Marcus Mamarella, Brian Marsh, Elyssa Mason, Susan Masters, Adria Maxwell, Rachel Maxwell, Keaton McCormick, Haley McFarland, Zack McKibben, Natalie McKibben, Broc McMillen, Karie McMillen, Kellee Mears, Justin Merryman, Belinda Merryman, Patricia Millard, Daniel Millard, Hannah Milleman, Derrek Miller, Samantha Mollett, Anthony Montero, Rachel Montero, Lori Moody, Shannon Morris, Joy Mueller, Ariel Mullett, Amanda Murphy, Amy Mutti, Erin Neff, Travis Neff, Deirdre Newburn, Andrew Newburn, Cayla Nichols, Melissa Parrish, Heather Penso, Amy Phelps, Janessa Price, Kelly Rager, Jeremy Rager, Peggy Range, James Range, David Renner, Brittany Richards, Dawn Ronald, Karly Ross, Celine, Roulet, Tina Roth, Helen Schaar, Jennifer Sheets, Sara Shoup, Jennifer Shoup, Janay Skipper, Taylor Smith, Mary Smrek, Kimberly Snider, Rachel Stamm, Grace Stewart, Madalyn Stocker, Zane Swaldo, Lisa Tarulli, Amanda Thomas, Tracy Thorton, Diane Troendly, Tori Vanderpool, Justin VanFossen, Courtney VanFossen, Barb Wade, Deb Walker, Mary Warfield, Becky Werner, Crystal Wills, Megan Zimmerman, Michelle Zimmerman, Paul Zimmerman, Elizabeth Zlocki

Outside Agency Volunteers 2026-2027
Big Brothers Big Sisters - Emily DeVecka, Melissa Parrish, Amanda Thomas

Good News Club - Yvette Ewing, Kathi Jackson, Patricia Millard, Daniel Millard, Robin Bick, Tina Roth

Roll call:	Ayes:	Ricklic, Schrock, Fontana, Bachman, Petrullo,	(5)
	Nays:		(0)

Motion carried.

Personnel 105-26

Mr. Ricklic moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to move Jane Bachman from the volunteer 2026-2027.

Roll call:	Ayes:	Ricklic, Fontana, Petrullo, Schrock	(4)
	Nays:		(0)
	Abstain:	Bachman	(1)

Motion carried.

Personnel 106-26

Mr. Ricklic moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the following items under personnel.

Volunteers
David Schrock, Jennifer Schrock, Jane Bachman

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Fontana, Petrullo, (3)
Nays: (0)
Abstain: Bachman, Schrock (2)
Motion carried.

Committee /Representative Report

A. Business Advisory Council Information and Minutes
B. Facilities Committee Report
C. Other Committee Reports

Board Policies 107-26

Ms. Fontana moved, Dr. Bachman seconded to approve the following Board Policies.

Second Reading and Adoption of Board Policies
A. JED Student Absences and Excuses
B. JEDA Truancy

Roll call: Ayes: Fontana, Bachman, Petrullo, Ricklic, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Assistant Superintendent's Report 108-26

Ms. Fontana moved, Mrs. Schrock seconded to approve the following items under the Assistant Superintendent's Report.

A. Approval of the QDA Financial Reports - Exhibit (1), (2), (3)
B. Approval of the agreement with Walsh University for a student teacher candidate for the 2026-2027 school year - Walsh University Student Teacher Agreement
C. August 18, 2026 PD Day Discussion

Roll call: Ayes: Fontana, Schrock, Bachman, Petrullo, Ricklic (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Wednesday, August 12, 2026 is new teacher orientation, 15 new teachers.

Superintendent's Report 109-26

Mr. Ricklic moved, Ms. Fontana seconded to approve the following items under the Superintendent's Report.

A. Approve New Job Description for Literacy Coach

Dr. Sutton invited the Board to convocation on August 17, 2026 at 8:00 a.m.

Roll call: Ayes Ricklic, Fontana, Bachman, Petrullo, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Adjournment

Mr. Ricklic moved, Dr. Bachman seconded to adjourn the meeting at 7:32 p.m.

Roll call: Ayes: Ricklic, Bachman, Fontana, Petrullo, Schrock (5)
Nays: (0)
Motion carried.

Meeting adjourned.

President

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