

Jasper City Schools
Board Minutes
June 4, 2026

The Jasper City Board of Education met on June 4, 2026 at 8:00 A.M. at the Central Office Conference Room. Members present were Willie Moore, Teresa Sherer, and Mary Beth Barber. Scott Thornley and Reed Pilling were absent. Superintendent Dr. Ann Jackson was also in attendance.

Chairperson Willie Moore called the meeting to order at approximately 8:00 A.M. with the first item to be approved being the agenda. A motion to approve the agenda was made by Teresa Sherer, a second given by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried unanimously.

Chairperson Willie Moore called for a motion to approve minutes from the May 18, 2026 Board Meeting. A motion to approve the board minutes was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried unanimously.

Superintendent, Dr. Ann Jackson, recommended adoption of a motion to approve the following personnel actions:

RESIGNATION

1. Approve the resignation of Taylor Keeton as Special Education Teacher (self-contained) at Jasper Junior High School, effective June 1, 2026.
2. Approve the resignation of Drew Martin as History Teacher at Jasper Junior High School, effective May 21, 2026.

EMPLOYMENT / TRANSFER / REASSIGNMENT

3. Approve the employment / transfer of Amber Wright from Special Education Teacher at Jasper High School to Assistant Principal – 10 Month at Maddox Intermediate School, effective July 20, 2026.
4. Approve the employment / reassignment of Ashley Goodwin from 2nd Grade Teacher to Library Media Specialist at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 3, 2026.

EMPLOYMENT

5. Approve the employment of Meagan Elizabeth Ingram as 2nd Grade Teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 3, 2026.
6. Approve the employment of Laura Lea Hadden as 2nd Grade Teacher at Memorial Park Elementary School, effective August 3, 2026.
7. Approve the employment of Bryan Andrew (Drew) Kirby as Speech Language Pathologist (Teacher) at T.R. Simmons Elementary School, effective August 3, 2026.

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8. Approve the employment of Tiffany Danielle Ballenger Bailey as English Language Arts Teacher at Jasper Junior High School, effective August 3, 2026.
*This placement is to fill a one-year leave of absence.
9. Approve the employment of Anthony Dewayne Dickerson as Substitute Bus Driver (part-time) for the District, effective June 4, 2026.

ASSIGNMENT

10. Approve the assignment of Annabelle Widra Terry as a non-employee paid volunteer to serve as an assistant softball coach at Jasper High School, effective date to be determined.

FOR NOTIFICATION ONLY

- Lori Blankenship, Central Office Secretary, requested FMLA Leave of Absence from May 12, 2026 to June 26, 2026.

A motion to approve the personnel report was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve district textbook disposals. A motion to approve the district textbook disposals was given by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve outside organization summer transportation for Boys & Girls Club. A motion to approve the summer transportation was given by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried unanimously.

CSFO Monique Rector to present Budget Amendment #2. Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the budget amendment as presented. A motion to approve the budget amendment was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the 2% State Raise for all full-time employees. A motion to approve the raise as recommended was made by Teresa Sherer, a second by Mary Beth Barber, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson recommended adoption of a motion to approve the 2026-2027 Salary Schedules and Supplement Schedules. A motion to approve the salary and supplement schedules as presented was made by Mary Beth Barber, a second by Teresa Sherer, and the motion carried unanimously.

Dr. Jackson presented the Board with a first reading copy of the 2026-2027 Parent Student Handbook / Policy Updates. No vote taken on this item as is first reading for presentation only.

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With no further business to come before the Board, the meeting was adjourned unanimously on a motion by Mary Beth Barber, and a second by Teresa Sherer.