Poland Local Schools BOE

Board of Education Regular Meeting Minutes

Thursday, July 23, 2026 – 6:00 p.m.

Dobbins Board of Education Room, 3030 Dobbins Rd, Poland, Ohio 44514

I. Call to Order

A. The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order at 6:00 p.m. by President Polis.

B. Roll Call:

- Mrs. Erin Memo – absent
- Mr. Troy Polis – present
- Mr. Gregg Riddle – present
- Mr. Jeff Sabrin – present
- Mr. Larry Warren – present

Mr. Polis reported that Mrs. Memo's absence is due to the unexpected change in meeting date and its conflict with her prescheduled vacation and should not be held against her.

II. Presentations

- Dr. Tommelleo welcomed nine new staff members, most of whom were in attendance, and reported that Poland uses an extensive and inclusive process for hiring the best applicants.

III. Public Participation - none

IV. Treasurer/CFO's Requests of Consent

Motion by Mr. Riddle, second by Mr. Warren to approve items 1-4 as presented in the agenda.

A. Minutes of the Regular Meeting June 29, 2026
B. June 2026 Financial Reports as submitted
C. FY27 Appropriations and Certificate of Estimated Resources and submission to the Mahoning County Budget Commission
D. Donations – Mr. Polis commented that he would like to see Thank You letters sent to all donors.

During discussion of Item C, Mr. Riddle motioned to consider this item separately for clarification. Mr. Sabrin seconded the motion. **(#2026-122)**

Motion Carried 4-0.

Item C. FY27 Appropriations and Certificate of Estimated Resources and submit to the Mahoning County Budget Commission was removed from the consent agenda to be voted on after a discussion.

A vote for the consent agenda Resolution **(#2026-123)** without Item C passed 4-0.

V. Treasurer/CFO's Requests Not Included in Consent

A. **APPROVAL** of a Resolution determining to proceed with the submission to the electors of the School District of the question of the renewal of an existing Tax Levy, pursuant to Section 5705.194(C) of the revised code **(#2026-124)**

Motion by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. Sabrin.

Motion carried 4-0.

B. **APPROVAL** of a resolution submitting to the Electors of the School District the question of the renewal of an existing 1.0-mill Tax Levy for the Purpose of Permanent Improvements, pursuant to Section 5705.21 of the revised code **(#2026-125)**

Motion by Mr. Sabrin, seconded by Mr. Riddle.

Motion carried 4-0.

VI. Superintendent's Requests of Consent

Motion by Mr. Sabrin, seconded by Mr. Warren to approve items 1-11 as presented in the agenda**. (#2026-126)**

A. New Business – item 1
B. HR/Staffing recommendations – items 2-3
C. Student Services recommendation – items 4-7
D. Curriculum recommendation – items 8-9
E. Operations recommendations – item 10
F. Athletics recommendation – item 11

Motion carried 4-0.

After a brief discussion regarding the FY27 Appropriations and Certificate of Estimated Resources and its submission to the Mahoning County Budget that was removed from the Treasurer's Consent, a motion to approve the item followed. **(#2026-127)**

Motion by Mr. Riddle, seconded by Mr. Sabrin. Motion carried 4-0.

VII. Superintendent's Requests Not Included in Consent

A. APPROVE the addendum to the Treasurer's contract as previously presented to the Board and on file in the Treasurer's office **(#2026-128)**

Motion by Mr. Sabrin, seconded by Mr. Warren.

Motion carried 4-0.

VIII. Informational Items/Discussions – none

IX. Reports/Presentations - none

X. Adjournment (#2026-129)

Motion by Mr. Warren, seconded by Mr. Sabrin.

Motion carried 4-0.

Meeting adjourned at 6:34 pm

XI. Announcements

The next scheduled regular and/or work session will be held on August, 12 2026, at 6:00 p.m. at Dobbins.

Approved by the Board of Education on: _____

President, Board of Education: _____ Date: _____

Treasurer/CFO: _____ Date: _____