MINUTES OF THE REGULAR MEETING OF THE SCHOOL BOARD OF THE OREGON SCHOOL DISTRICT HELD ON OCTOBER 26, 2026

The regular meeting of the School Board of the Oregon School District was called to order by President Troy Pankratz at 6:30 PM on October 26, 2026 in the OSD Innovation Center at Oregon High School in the Village of Oregon, Dane County, Wisconsin. Upon roll call, the following Board members were physically present: Mr. Troy Pankratz. Mr. Nathan Hensal, Dr. Mary Lokuta. Mr. Matthew Ledbetter. Ms Leslie Wright. Board member(s) absent: Dr. Caleb Bush and Heather Garrison. Administrators present: Dr. Shannon Anderson, Dr. Nick Reichhoff, Ms. Erika Mundinger, Ms. Jina Jonen, Brian Johnson, Dr. Jon Tanner, Ms. Jarstad, Ms. Goltz and Ms. Seidenstricker.

Others present: Jen Schmitt, Online Coordinator, Rachel Zidon, OEA

Proof in the form of a certificate by the Oregon Observer of communications and public notice given to the public and the Oregon Observer, and a certificate of posting as required by Wis. Stat. sec. 19.84 as to the holding of this meeting was presented by Mr. Pankratz.

Mr. Hensal moved and Mr. Ledbetter seconded the motion to approve the agenda as posted. The following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Mr. Ledbetter, Ms. Wright, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0.

A. CONSENT CALENDAR:

Mr. Ledbetter moved and Ms. Wright seconded the motion to approve the following items on the Consent Calendar:

1. Approval of Minutes: October 12, 2026 Board Meeting Minutes
2. Approve payments in the amount of $1,255,677.66
3. Treasurer's Report: None
4. Staff Resignations/Retirements: None
5. Staffing Assignments: None
6. Field Trip Requests:
    - MSAN Field Trip 11/4/2026 - 11/7/2026 to Cleveland, OH
7. Acceptance of Donations:

Donor	Amount	Purpose of Donation
WI State Council - Knights of Columbus	$1,217.06	Special Education Programming

8. Approval of New Scholarships, if any: None
9. Approval of Safety Drill Reports, if any: None

In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Ledbetter, Ms. Wright, Mr. Hensal, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0.

B. INFORMATION ITEMS:

1. Superintendent's Report - Student Highlights: Dr. Anderson shared photos of recent student highlights. The Superintendent's Report can be found on the OSD website at www.OregonSD.org/board.
2. Public Comment: Student Presley Burmeister spoke about being afraid to use the bathroom or go swimming because there might be a boy in the girls bathroom. Leigh Burmeister spoke about girls not feeling safe at the middle school or high school because of the bathroom policy. Lacy Norman spoke about the need to change the bathroom policy because it violates Title IX and opens the District to a lawsuit. Student Makayla Frutiger spoke about not feeling safe to use the girls bathroom.
3. Oregon Education Association (OEA) Report: None

C. ACTION ITEMS:

1. Approval of 2026-27 Budget: Mr. Hensal moved and Mr. Ledbetter seconded the motion to approve the Original Budget for the 2026-27 school year as presented. Discussion was held. In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Mr. Ledbetter, Ms. Wright, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0.
2. Approval of 2026-27 Tax Levy: Mr. Hensal moved and Ms. Wright seconded the motion to approve a total tax levy in the amount of $48,519,930 for 2026-27 as presented. Discussion was held. In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Ms. Wright, Mr. Ledbetter, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0.
3. Policy 418: Online Learning: The Policy Committee recommended the Board approve Policy 418 as presented to be effective January 23, 2026. Discussion held. In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Mr. Ledbetter, Ms. Wright, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0.
4. Policy 551: Employee Travel: This policy will be discussed at the next Policy Committee meeting.

D. DISCUSSION ITEM:

1. Committee Reports
    a. Visioning Steering Committee - Mr. Hensal announced that the next Visioning meeting is Monday, November 16, 2026 and the topic will be space and future enrollment planning.
    b. Policy Committee - Ms. Jonen announced that the next Policy Committee meeting is also Monday, November 16 and the topics will include Employee Travel.

E. INFORMATION ITEMS:

1. Visioning and Strategic Planning: None
2. Brooklyn Elementary and Prairie View Elementary - Goals Update: Ms. Seidenstricker and Ms. Goltz shared an update on the goals and outcomes for Brooklyn Elementary and Prairie View Elementary from the 2025-2026 school year. They also spoke about strategies we will continue to focus on moving forward. Board members had the opportunity to ask questions.
3. Federal and State Legislative Update: None

4. Superintendent's Report - District Highlights: Dr. Anderson shared photos of recent district highlights. The Superintendent's Report can be found on the OSD website at www.OregonSD.org/board.

F. CLOSING:

1. Future Agenda: The next Board Meeting will be November 9, 2026 at 6:30 PM.
2. Check Out: Board members had the opportunity to provide updates.

Mr. Hensal moved and Mr. Ledbetter seconded the motion to move into closed session. In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Mr. Ledbetter, Ms. Wright, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0. The Board was in closed session at 8:55 PM.

G. CLOSED SESSION (Innovation Center Small Conference Room):

1. Discussion regarding negotiating the SRO Agreement for the 2026-2027 school year pursuant to Wis. Stat. s. 19.85(1)(e): Discussion Held.

H. ADJOURNMENT:

Mr. Hensal moved and Ms. Wright seconded the motion to adjourn. In a roll call vote, the following members voted yes: Mr. Hensal, Ms. Wright, Mr. Ledbetter, Dr. Lokuta and Mr. Pankratz. Motion carried 5-0. The meeting adjourned at 9:51 PM.

Leslie Wright, Clerk
Oregon School District