MANSFIELD SCHOOL
BOARD OF DIRECTORS REGULAR BOARD MEETING
MANSFIELD SCHOOL DISTRICT #207
August 25, 2026

The Board of Directors met at the Mansfield School District. Board members present were Brad Murison, Dusty Wittig and Cassidy Tupling. Superintendent Bruce Todd and Business Manager Kim Pease were present. No guest present.

Board Vice Chair Brad Murison called the meeting to order at 8:00 PM.

Adoption of Agenda

Dusty Wittig motioned to approve the agenda, Cassidy Tupling seconded. Motion carried.

Consent Agenda

Board Meeting Minutes:

1. Budget Board Meeting Minutes July 28, 2026
2. Regular Board Meeting Minutes July 28, 2026

August Expenditures:

A. **Payroll Total** - $191,198.49
B. **Accounts Payable –**
   General Fund - $27,386.14
   Capital Projects - $3,611.60
   ASB Fund - $1,888.09
   TVF- None

Cassidy Tupling motioned to approve the consent agenda, Dusty Wittig seconded. Motion carried.

Personnel

Resignations

Renee' Bayless-Pre-School Para

Renee Bayless resigned from the 3 day a week pre-school para position. Dusty Wittig motioned to approve the resignation, Cassidy Tupling seconded. Motion carried.

Recommended Hire-

Martha Williams-Route Driver

Dusty Wittig motioned to approve the hire of Martha Williams as a route driver, Cassidy Tupling seconded. Motion carried.

Reports

Budget Report

July 2026 fund balances:
Gen Fund-$547,377.71
Cap Projects Fund- $89,963.86
ASB Fund-$78,359.14
TV Fund-$131,388.24

The July 2026 financials were reviewed with the board.

Enrollment –K-12 is 110

Superintendent's Report
Superintendent Todd shared his report for August 2026, which included the status on the school property fencing project, grant updates, proposed school bus/parent pick up area and surplus weight/fitness equipment.

AD Report – The new wall padding for the gym has arrived, the gym floor refinish is complete and practices have begun.

See included report for further details.

Principal's Report
None

Old Business
None

New Business
Resolution 2026-08-01-Adopting the Study and Survey
Discussion took place regarding the study and survey process and purpose. Dusty Wittig motioned to accept Resolution 2026-08-01 Adopting the Study and Survey, Cassidy Tupling seconded. Motion carried.

Surplus-Weight/Fitness Equipment
Dusty Wittig motioned to approve the list of weight/fitness equipment surplus, Cassidy Tupling seconded. Motion carried.

Good of the Order
Next scheduled board meeting is September 22nd at 7PM.

Executive Session
None

Board meeting adjourned at 8:25PM.

Bruce Todd
Board Secretary

These August 25, 2026 minutes are subject to Board approval at the next regularly scheduled meeting.

cc draft minutes:
Mansfield Board Members
Superintendent

Superintendent's Report for August 2026

Budget: General Fund (May) -$547,377.71, Capital Projects - $89,963.86, Debt Services - $0, ASB - $78,359.14, TVF - $131,388.24

Enrollment: K-12 = 110, PK-12 = 118 (projected for 2026-27 SY)

Planning Grant: $38,000 planning grant for next Biennium SDMG. Doors, windows, classroom cabinets, flooring, Lockers (locker room/hallway), bleachers, weight room, and stage curtain. Allows us to apply for the 2027-28 Biennium SDMG for $5.8 million.

Fencing School Property: Awarded the $300,000 safety & security grant to complete fencing around the school grounds. Bids/quotes for the fencing project were awarded to Detailed Fencing, cutting, & drilling, LLC. The fencing project will begin Tuesday, August 25th. Total Cost - $121,166.81

ADA Grant: Awarded a $150,000 ADA Grant to install a wider door from the Ag classroom into the Ag shop and install ADA automated door openers on all the doors leading into the Ag classroom and Ag shop. **Douglas County**

PUD Grant: Awarded the 2026 PUD grant for $100,000.00 to replace windows and doors (hopefully). Received $80,000 in February. The $20,000 remaining will be awarded upon project completion—combined **Grants into 1 Construction Contract.** I am currently working with Bryan Visscher to award a contract very soon for construction to occur this summer and fall.

School Bus Pick up/Parent pick up: Working on a plan with Patty Hanson, Transportation Director, and Shawn McCabe, Grounds & Maintenance, to improve school bus loading and unloading zones and parent pick up/drop off zones to improve student safety.

Lower Field Property: No update

Surplus Weight/Fitness equipment: On site. Surplus old equipment. Mr. Darlington and Shawn McCabe will have students remove old equipment and install newly aquired equipment.

AD Report: Gym wall padding is on site. Installation will occur this week. Stage padding was damaged by freight company. New stage padding is being remade (at their cost) and will be installed when it arrives.
Gym Floor: Refinished on August 12th. Looks great.
JH Fall Sports – 1st Practice: JH FB – August 25th, JH GBB – August 31st, JH Fall Cheer – September 1st.
HS Fall Sports – 1st Practice: HS FB – August 19th, HS VB – August 24th, HS Cheer – August 24th.