

Minutes
Pleasanton Public School Board
April 14, 2025

Meeting posted at the Pleasanton Post Office, River Stop, and Town & Country Bank, and published in the Beacon Observer newspaper.

The agenda was available at the office of the Superintendent.

The Board of Education for Pleasanton Public Schools, District 10-0105 met in regular session at 7:00 PM at the school. Members in attendance were: Epley: Present, Geisler: Present, Kucera: Present, Loeffelholz: Present, Nichols: Absent, Phillips: Present..

President Kucera called the meeting to order and opened with a statement that the board follows the Open Meetings Act, a copy of the law is located in the room, followed by reciting the Pledge of Allegiance.

Motion by Nathan Phillips, Seconded by Bruce Loeffelholz to excuse Lisa Nichols. Carried
Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Mr. Ahrens gave a presentation on how well Pleasanton FFA did at State FFA convention in Lincoln. Congratulations to Josh Pierce for being elected FFA State Vice President.

Seth Kucera, Nathan Phillips and Doug Geisler will be on a Construction Committee. Seth Kucera and Doug Geisler had participated in some school tours with Superintendent Lightle last week.

Motion by Justin Epley, Seconded by Nathan Phillips to approve the consent agenda. Carried
Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols:
Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Justin Epley, Seconded by Bruce Loeffelholz to approve the monthly bills. Carried
Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols:
Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Doug Geisler, Seconded by Justin Epley to approve A RESOLUTION AUTHORIZING THE ISSUANCE AND SALE BY BUFFALO COUNTY SCHOOL DISTRICT 0105 (PLEASANTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS) IN THE STATE OF NEBRASKA OF ITS GENERAL OBLIGATION SCHOOL BUILDING BONDS, SERIES 2025, IN ONE OR MORE SERIES AND IN AN AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT NOT TO EXCEED ELEVEN MILLION DOLLARS (\$11,000,000); CANVASSING THE RETURNS OF THE ELECTION HELD IN CONNECTION WITH SUCH BONDS; AUTHORIZING CERTAIN OFFICIALS TO DETERMINE THE FINAL AGGREGATE PRINCIPAL AMOUNT, MATURITIES, RATES, TERMS AND OTHER DETAILS OF SUCH BONDS; IMPOSING AN AD VALOREM TAX ON ALL TAXABLE PROPERTY WITHIN THE DISTRICT TO PAY THE PRINCIPAL OF, PREMIUM, IF ANY, AND THE INTEREST ON SUCH BONDS; AUTHORIZING THE DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN BONDS AS QUALIFIED TAX-EXEMPT OBLIGATIONS; AUTHORIZING THE SALE AND DELIVERY OF THE BONDS TO THE PURCHASER THEREOF; ADOPTING CERTAIN POST-ISSUANCE TAX COMPLIANCE AND DISCLOSURE POLICIES AND PROCEDURES WITH RESPECT TO THE BONDS; DECLARING THE DISTRICT'S OFFICIAL INTENT TO REIMBURSE CERTAIN CAPITAL EXPENDITURES FROM THE PROCEEDS OF THE BONDS; AUTHORIZING THE TAKING OF CERTAIN ACTIONS AND THE EXECUTION AND DELIVERY OF CERTAIN DOCUMENTS; AND PRESCRIBING OTHER MATTERS RELATING THERETO.. Carried
Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Doug Geisler, Seconded by Nathan Phillips to approve FFA to travel to Washington, DC, in June to attend the FFA Washington Leadership Conference.. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Nathan Phillips, Seconded by Justin Epley to approve a \$1 per hour pay increase for bus driver route pay starting in August of 2025.. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Bruce Loeffelholz, Seconded by Nathan Phillips to approve the Amendment to the 2025-2026 Negotiated Agreement as presented. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Bruce Loeffelholz, Seconded by Doug Geisler to approve the design contract with Wilkens Architecture Design and Planning LLC.. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Bruce Loeffelholz, Seconded by Nathan Phillips to approve the purchase of Spanish instructional materials from Wayside Publishing. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Justin Epley, Seconded by Doug Geisler to approve the 2024-2025 Multiculturalism Report as presented. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Motion by Nathan Phillips, Seconded by Doug Geisler to approve policies 6001, 6006, 6027, and 6035 as presented. Carried

Justin Epley: Yea, Doug Geisler: Yea, Seth Kucera: Yea, Bruce Loeffelholz: Yea, Lisa Nichols: Absent, Nathan Phillips: Yea
Yea: 5, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

May regular board meeting will be Monday, May 12 at 7:00 p.m.

Lisa Nichols
Secretary, Board of Education