

**LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES**

Please note: Minutes are not official until approved during the next Regular Board Meeting on August 10th at 8:00 PM

Kind of Meeting: Regular Meeting

Meeting Date: July 13, 2026

Presiding Officer: Keith Runge

Regular Board Meeting

1. Opening Procedures

- 1.1. Call to Order Chairman Runge called the regular meeting to order at 8:02 PM.
- 1.2. Pledge of Allegiance The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Jeremy Sprunk.
- 1.3. Open Meetings Act Chairman Runge noted the meeting would follow the open meeting act.
- 1.4. Verification of Publication and Notification The agenda was posted in all school buildings and the meeting notice was published in The Columbus Telegram on 7/1/2026.
- 1.5. Roll Call All members were present.
- 1.6. Excuse Absent Board Members None.

2. Approval of Agenda

It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the agenda as presented. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

3. Staff/Student Presentations None.

4. Recognition of Visitors/Communications from the Public Sharon Ens Dorf of NASB was present.

5. Public Comment None.

6. Administrative Reports

- 6.1. Superintendent Report Mr. Meyer gave a report on the following items for the upcoming 2026-2027 school year:
- Retirement
 - Building updates for Platte Center, Shell Creek, and Jr/Sr High School
 - Budget Updates

- 6.2. Principal Reports Principals do not attend July board meetings. No reports were given.

7. Consent Agenda

It was moved by Jeremy Sprunk and seconded by Eric Stuthman to approve the consent agenda as presented which includes items 7.1 - 7.3. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

- 7.1. Minutes of Previous Meeting

7.2. Monthly Financial Report

7.3. Payment of Invoices Including Building Fund

8. **Action Items**

8.1. Approval of Resignations No resignations at this time.

8.2. Approval of New Hires

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the hire of Mikayla Mueller as School Nurse for Lakeview Community Schools, Tanner Knutsen as Platte Center Para and After School Coordinator, Kamryn Chochan as Shell Creek Para, Shannon Vavra as Shell Creek Para, and Trenton Ditter as Assistant Bowling Coach. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.3. Approve Grant Writer Services through ESU 7

It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Eric Stuthman to approve participation in ESU 7 Grant Writer Services in the amount of \$5,200 annually, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.4. Discuss and Possibly Take Action on Server Purchase through ESU 7

It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the purchase of a replacement on-site server and off-site backup server through ESU 7 in the amount of \$9,340 paid over the next five years, to be paid from the Depreciation Fund as part of the district's technology infrastructure plan. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.5. Discuss and Possibly Take Action on the Sale of 1992 Yellow Bus

It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to declare the 1992 school bus as surplus property and authorize the administration to solicit written purchase offers. Written offers shall be due by 8:00 p.m. on August 10, 2026, and the Board reserves the right to accept or reject any offer. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.6. Perry Board Policies The Board completed the first reading of the proposed Perry Law Firm Board Policy Manual. No action was taken. The second reading and consideration for adoption will occur at the July special board meeting.

9. **Discussion Items**

9.1. Board Committee Reports

10. **Executive Session**

It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to enter executive session to discuss the superintendent evaluation, to protect the reputation of individuals and the district's bargaining position, as permitted by Nebraska Law. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to reconvene the regular meeting of the Lakeview Board of Education at 9:47 PM. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

The Board entered into Executive Session at 9:22 PM and took a break from 9:22-9:26 PM.

11. **Announcements**

- Special Board Meeting at 8:00 PM July 27, 2026 in LV Board Room.
- Next Regular Board Meeting at 8:00 PM August 10, 2026, in LV Board Room.

12. **Adjournment**

It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to adjourn the meeting at 9:48 PM. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea

Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea

Keith Runge: Yea

Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea

Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Board Clerk