

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

Minutes of

Waynedale Local School District

Regular Meeting

Held at 5:30 p.m.

WAYNEDEALE BOARD OFFICE

February 9, 2026

**ALL MEMBERS HAVING DUE NOTICE THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT:
VALORIE LEWIS, MATT McKELVEY, BRIAN MILLER, RICK REYNOLDS, DAVE TROYER**

PRESIDENT VALORIE LEWIS CALLED THE MEETING TO ORDER.

26-012 MR. McKELVEY MOVED AND MR. TROYER SECONDED THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE MINUTES OF THE JANUARY 5, 2026 ORGANIZATION MEETING AND THE JANUARY 5, 2026 REGULAR MEETING.

VOTE: YEAS: LEWIS, McKELVEY, MILLER, REYNOLDS, TROYER

MS. BEICHLER 239 JONES CIRCLE, FREDERICKSBURG, OHIO SPOKE CONCERNING VOLLEYBALL FOR THE 26-27 SCHOOL YEAR.

UPDATE ON AUDITORIUM/GYMNASIUM ADDITION AT WAYNEDEALE HIGH SCHOOL.

26-013 MR. REYNOLDS MOVED AND MR. MILLER SECONDED THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE TREASURER'S BUSINESS ITEMS AS PRESENTED:

VOTE: YEAS: LEWIS, McKELVEY, MILLER, REYNOLDS, TROYER

26-014 MR. REYNOLDS MOVED AND MR. MILLER SECONDED THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE SUPERINTENDENTS CONSENT AGENDA AND ITEMS AS PRESENTED:

Recommend the Board approve the resignation for the purpose of retirement of Allyson Gray, elementary teacher, effective June 1, 2026.

Recommend the Board approve Kyia Wolf as a pre-service substitute teacher, effective January 6, 2026 pending completion of all required documentation.

Recommend the Board approve the resignation of Mike Morosko, custodian, effective February 6, 2026.

Recommend the Board approve Jeffrey Vitallo as Intervention Specialist, BA/step 10, effective for the 2026-2027 school year.

Recommend the Board approve one-year supplemental contracts for the 2026-2027 school year, on the Board adopted salary schedule, pending completion of all required documentation.

Jeffrey Vitallo	WHS	Head Football (100%)	Step 10 / 1 st Year	0.180
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Recommend the Board approve Rick Geiser as Athletic Director at Waynedale High School effective July 1, 2026.

Recommend the Board approve the below list for support in the TGRG After-School program paid at the approved tutor rate:

- Becky Amstutz
- Rachel Miller
- Amber Parrot

Recommend the Board approve Hannah McCune for support in the TGRG After-School program paid at substitute teacher pay expressed as an hourly rate.

Recommend the Board approve Hannah McCune as a pre-service substitute teacher pending completion of all required documentation to fill in for maternity leaves for the remainder of the 2025-2026 school year.

Recommend the Board approve one-year supplemental contracts for the 2025-2026 school year, on the Board adopted salary schedule pending completion of all required documentation.

Lee Jacobs	WMS	Boys Head Track (100%)	Step 0 / 1 st Year	0.050
Dale Lemon	WMS	Girls Head Track (100%)	Step 6 / 24 th Year	0.080
Pamela Morris	WMS	Power of the Pen Coord	Step 1 / 2 nd Year	0.030
Shelby Prater	WMS	Student Council Adv	Step 1 / 2 nd Year	0.010

Recommend the Board approve administrative contracts for the following administrators effective for the 2026-2027 school year:

Holly Mastrine	3 year	Assistant Superintendent
Jamie Cicconetti	3 year	Student Services Director
Samantha Miglich	3 year	Principal
Shawn Snyder	3 year	Principal
Glenn Caudill	3 year	Technology Coordinator

AGREEMENTS / WELLNESS / CCP / IN-LIEU OF / HONOR CHOIR TRIP:

Recommend the Board approve the 2026-2027 Course Registration Booklet for Waynedale High School.

Recommend the Board approve the Student Handbooks for the 2026-2027 school year.

Recommend the Board approve update to Classified Support Staff Manual to include a 3.5% salary increase effective July 1, 2026, July 1, 2027, July 1, 2028 and a \$400 stipend.

Recommend the Board approve new/revised

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Recommend the Board approve the College Credit Plus agreement between The University of Akron and Waynedale Local Schools, effective with the 2026-2027 school year.

Recommend the Board approve the College Credit Plus agreement between Stark State College and Waynedale Local Schools, effective with the 2026-2027 school year.

Recommend the Board approve a resolution declaring that providing school transportation for the list of students is impractical and that the board agrees to payment-in-lieu-of providing such service, an amount which shall not exceed the state average cost to transport all pupils in the state the preceding year.

Recommend the Board approve a trip in February 2026, to Milwaukee for student(s) selected into the Midwest American Choral Directors Association (MWACDA) Honor Choir, and to cover the cost of registration. The music boosters will pay for food and lodging.

ADDENDUM

Recommend the Board approve to continue membership in the Ohio High School Athletic Association for the 2026-2027 school year.

VOTE: YEAS: LEWIS, McKELVEY, MILLER, REYNOLDS, TROYER

26-015 MR. TROYER MOVED AND MR. REYNOLDS SECONDED THE MOTION TO APPROVE THE SUPERINTENDENTS CONSENT AGENDA AND ITEMS AS PRESENTED:

Recommend the Board approve an amendment to James Ritchie's contract to include a longevity payment effective May 1, 2026.

Recommend the Board approve a 5 year contract as Superintendent for James Ritchie effective August 1, 2027 through July 31, 2032.

Recommend the Board approve an amendment to Mark Dickerhoof's contract to include a longevity payment effective May 1, 2026.

VOTE: YEAS: LEWIS, McKELVEY, MILLER, REYNOLDS, REYNOLDS

26-016 MR. MILLER MOVED AND MR. TROYER SECONDED THE MOTION TO ADJOURN TO EXECUTIVE SESSION TO CONSIDER THE APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT, DISMISSAL, DISCIPLINE, PROMOTION, DEMOTION, OR COMPENSATION OF A PUBLIC EMPLOYEE.

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PRESIDENT LEWIS CALLED THE BOARD BACK TO REGULAR SESSION AT 7:00 P.M.

26-017 MR. McKELVY MOVED AND MR. MILLER SECONDED THE MOTION TO ADJOURN.

VOTE: YEAS: LEWIS, McKELVEY, MILLER, REYNOLDS, TROYER


PRESIDENT


TREASURER