

Minutes of the **REGULAR BOARD MEETING** of the **DOVER BOARD OF EDUCATION** of Dover, Ohio, held in the **BOARD ROOM** on **August 10, 2026** at **6:00 P.M.**

Roll Call: Ms. Anne Bruno, Mr. Brian Hanner, Mr. John Maxwell, Mr. Mike Studer and Mr. Kyle Stemple

57-26 Mr. Stemple moved and Mr. Maxwell seconded the Board approved the minutes of the July 13, 2026 Regular meeting as presented.

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

58-26 Mr. Hanner moved and Mr. Studer seconded the Board approve the following items as presented by the Treasurer:

- Approved the Five-Year Forecast, August 2026
- Approved Monthly Financial Report
- Approved Invoices for Payment

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

Mr. Seibert introduced our 2026-2027 New Teachers

59-26 Mr. Studer moved and Mr. Hanner seconded the Board approve the following personnel items:

- Approved the hire of the following teachers for the 2026-2027 school year:
Sydney Linsky, First Grade Teacher at South School
Kyler Ruegsegger, Social Studies Teacher at Dover Middle School
- Approved the following as Itinerant Teachers for the 2026-2027 school year:
Joanne Decker, Gina Franks, Sarah Lehman, Sherrel Rieger, Jane Rinehart
- Accepted the following classified employee resignations:
Megan Chrisman, Bus Driver and Noontime Assistant, effective August 10, 2026
Allyson Wagner, Special Education Classroom Assistant at Dover High School, effective August 14, 2026
Kelie Ward as Noontime Assistant at Dover Avenue, effective July 14, 2026
- Approved the resignation for the purpose of retirement of **Brian Bullock**, Physical Education Teacher at Dover Avenue Elementary, effective March 3, 2027, per the attached agreement
- Approved the following substitutes for the 2026-2027 school year:
Substitute Bus Drivers: **Xavier Best, Megan Chrisman**
Substitute Cafeteria Worker: **Laura Bowe, Shannon Mast**
Substitute Teacher: **Doug Baker, Michele Haverfield, Jenna Kanter, Kami Miller, Gene Troyer**
- Approved the hire of the following classified employees for the 2026-2027 school year:
Matthew Maize, Part-Time Custodian
William (Dave) Starr, Temporary Bus Driver
Deb West, Cafeteria Worker at South Elementary
- Approved the following supplemental contracts for the 2026-2027 school year:
Mary Cooper, Assistant Orchestra Director
Kampbell Hall, Volunteer Football Coach
Shanda McGarry, Mentor Teacher
Matt Rinehart, Volunteer Football Coach, *pending licensure*
Grace Williams, Assistant Student Council Advisor
Colleen Smith, Mentor Teacher

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

60-26 Mr. Stemple moved and Mr. Maxwell seconded the Board approve the following items:

- Approved supply fees for students for the 2026-2027 school year as follows: Grades K-5 \$25.00, Middle School \$50.00, High School as determined by student course enrollment
- Approved attached Memorandum of Understanding with OAPSE Local #392 regarding the addition of "Part-Time Custodian" to the Custodial/Maintenance classification series
- Approved participation in the Community Eligibility Provision (CEP) meal program for all K-12 students for the 2026-2027 school year
- Approved Transition Agreement and Interagency Agreement with East Central Ohio Educational Service Center for the 2026-2027 school year
- Approved the following field trips for the 2026-2027 school year:
Sixth Grade Camp, August 24-28, 2026

Dover High School Marching Band Trip to Orlando, Florida, March 20-25, 2027
Eighth Grade Trip to Washington, D.C., May 18-21, 2027

- Approved bus routes for the 2026-2027 school year, as attached
- Accepted, with gratitude, the following donations:
 - \$8,000 from The Reeves Foundation for Project Lead the Way
 - \$1,000 from Dover Rotary for Safety Town
 - \$250 from Samara J Tschantz and Lawrence J Miller for the Kevin Eckhardt Memorial Scholarship, in Memory of Terry Menges
 - \$1,000 from the Zimmerman Foundation for Project Lead the Way Kits and

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

The Board appointed John Maxwell as delegate, and Anne Bruno as alternate for the OSBA Capital conference Annual Business Meeting

61-26 At 6:24 p.m., Mr. Stemple moved to go into Executive Session for the purpose of discussion (1) regarding employment and compensation of a public employee or official; (2) regarding the purchase and sale of property for public purpose; and (3) regarding the evaluation of the superintendent and treasurer. No action to be taken. The motion was seconded by Mr. Studer

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

62-26 At 7:42 p.m., Mr. Stemple moved and Mr. Studer seconded a motion to adjourn the meeting.

Yeas: Ms. Bruno, Mr. Maxwell, Mr. Studer, Mr. Hanner and Mr. Stemple

Board President

Treasurer