

**Regular Board Meeting
Monday, October 6, 2025
6:00 PM**

The Board of Education of Pryor School District No. I-01 met in Regular Session in the Board Conference Room located in the Administration Building at 405 SW First Street on Monday, October 6, 2025. All business at said meeting was conducted in accordance with the OKLAHOMA OPEN MEETING LAWS.

Attendance Taken at 6:00 PM.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Present
Fred Sordahl: Present
Chris Van Natta: Present

1. Procedural Item

1.A. Call to Order

1.B. Pledge of Allegiance

1.C. Review and Approval of Minutes of September 8, 2025 and September 16, 2025.

Motion made to approve Minutes of September 8, 2025 and September 16, 2025. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

1.D. Public Comment

2. Presentation

2.A. Teaching and Learning Department Update

3. Consent Agenda

3.A. Treasurer's Report

3.B. Encumbrance Report & Other Expense Reports

3.C. Approval of the district Gifted and Talented Plan for the 2025-2026 school year.

3.D. Approval of a resolution adopting the Mayes County, Oklahoma Multi-Jurisdiction Hazard Mitigation Plan Dated 8-27-2025.

3.E. Approval of agreement for Responsive Classroom Professional Development in June 2026.

3.F. Approval of renewal of agreement with Instructure for Canvas Learning Management System and Eligibility Dashboard

3.G. Approval of contractor agreement with MTI Consulting Group LLC dba MTI Greenhouse Solutions LLC to complete the construction of FFA greenhouse.

3.H. Approval of Memorandum of Agreement between Pryor Public Schools and Northeast Tech, allowing for high school graduation credit to be granted for completion of coursework.

3.I. Approval of Addendum to the School Resource Officer contract between the District and the City of Pryor Creek for the 2025-2026 school year.

3.J. Approval for Mariah Thomas and Rachel Sugg to use district transportation to travel out of state to Lawrence, KS to the Jim Knight Instructional Coaching PD October 26-31, 2025.

3.K. Approval for David Day and David Isenbart to use district transportation to travel to Pittsburg, KS, to pick up materials ordered for programs at the Innovation Center.

3.L. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve items A-K. (These items may be approved by one Board motion, unless any Board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all of these items).

Motion to approve Consent Agenda Items A-K. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent

Paul Melchior: Absent

Branson Perry: Yea

Fred Sordahl: Yea

Chris Van Natta: Yea

4. Action Agenda

4.A. Motion, discussion and vote to convene in executive session for the purpose of discussing any resignations or retirements tendered, the employment of the district administrators and directors for the school year. Hiring Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2025-2026 school year, Hiring Certified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2025-2026 school year, and discussing the purchase of real property, pursuant to Okla. Stat. tit.25 § 307(8)(1) (3).

Enter into executive session. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent

Paul Melchior: Absent

Branson Perry: Yea

Fred Sordahl: Yea

Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.B. Return to Open Session

4.C. Statement of executive session minutes (topics discussed and persons present)

4.D. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve any resignations or retirements tendered.

Motion to approve the resignations of Alisen Key- Lincoln Elementary Paraprofessional Hailey Eatherly- Lincoln Elementary Paraprofessional Debbie Bender- Lincoln Elementary Paraprofessional Brittany Walker- Lincoln Elementary Physical Education Aide. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.E. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve hiring the following Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2025-2026 school year. All Personnel will be hired by one vote unless any Board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all listed personnel.

Motion to approve hiring the following Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2025-2026 school year Melissa Brown- Lincoln Elementary Paraprofessional Kelsey Stone- Jefferson Elementary Paraprofessional Jocelyn Steele- Pryor District Custodian. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.F. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve extra duty and salary adjustments as submitted for the 2025-2026 school year.

Motion to approve extra duty and salary adjustments as submitted for the 2025-2026 school year. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.G. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve a one-time incentive payment for certified and non-certified personnel for the 2025-2026 school year.

Motion to approve a one-time incentive pay of \$2,000.00 for certified and non-certified personnel for the 2025-2026 school year. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.H. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve hiring staff for the Special Tigers Coaches as presented.

Motion to approve hiring staff for the Tiger Pride After School Program as presented. Tonya Mitchell Carrie Marsh Chad Thompson Kim McAnally Emily Stamper Vicki Payne Shelby Barnett Lisa Grissom Dylan Goodsell Adrianna Donnelly Jessica Terry Tava Egnor Rebekah Kallin Caitlyn Ward. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.I. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve hiring staff for the Tiger Pride After School Program as presented.

Motion to approve hiring staff for the Tiger Pride After School Program as presented. Raylee Kochenforffer- Student Staff Weston Griffin- Adult Leader. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.J. Discussion, then vote to approve or not approve the addition of 1.0 FTE Nurse Aide at Pryor Middle School.

Motion to approve the addition of 1.0 paraprofessional position at Roosevelt Elementary. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

Approve the addition of 1.0 FTE Nurse Aide at Pryor Middle School. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.K. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve the School District budget for the 2025-2026 school year.

Motion to approve the School District budget for the 2025-2026 school year. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent

Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.L. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve allowing the District Treasurer to invest any of the district's available cash funds in the district's own non-payable warrants from funds which are depleted within the current fiscal year.

Motion to to approve or not approve allowing the District Treasurer to invest any of the district's available cash funds in the district's own non-payable warrants from funds which are depleted within the current fiscal year. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Branson Perry, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

4.M. Discussion then vote to approve or disapprove Change Order No. 1 for the Pryor Stadium project.

Motion to approve Change Order No. 1 for the Stadium Project. This motion, made by Branson Perry and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Jeanette Anderson: Absent
Paul Melchior: Absent
Branson Perry: Yea
Fred Sordahl: Yea
Chris Van Natta: Yea

5. Superintendent's Report

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6. New Business

6.A. Board will address any pertinent new business that has arisen since the agenda was posted if deemed necessary. ("Any matter not known about or which could not have been reasonably foreseen prior to the time of posting." 25 O. s. § 311)

7. Adjourn

7.A. Ajournment