



Minutes Report

Byng Board of Education Regular Meeting

Monday, September 8, 2025 6:30 PM

**Superintendent's Office, Conference Room, 214 Stokes Drive, Ada, Oklahoma 74820
Pontotoc County, North of Ada on Highway 99, 1/4 mile East on Francis Road and 1/2 mile
South on the West side of the street.**

Note: The board may discuss, vote to approve, vote to disapprove, vote to table or decide not to discuss any item on the agenda.

Public notice of the meeting with an agenda was posted in prominent view at the Administration Building, in said school district, at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to this meeting, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, all in compliance with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.

1. Call to order and roll call of members.

Attendance Taken at 6:30 PM.

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Present

Mr. Chris McGill: Present

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Present

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Present

Others present were Kevin Wilson, Staci Capps, Angie Hargus, and visitor Jessica Franklin-Noyce.

2. Reading and approval of the August 11, 2025 Regular Board Meeting minutes as presented.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

3. Discussion and possible action on Estimate of Needs for FY26.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

4. Consent Agenda

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

4.A. Take action on:

General Fund Purchase Order No. 316-449 with total expenditure of \$120,876.69

Building Fund Purchase Order No. 42-48 with total expenditure of \$55,565.50

General Fund Payroll Purchase Order No. 50247-50255 with total expenditure of \$154,258.86

All Payroll Change Orders.

4.B. Take action on July investment report.

4.C. Take action on August investment report.

4.D. Take action to approve transfers within the activity fund.

There were no transfers to approve.

4.E. Take action on out-of-state travel for High School Cross Country team to Fayetteville, Arkansas.

4.F. Take action to approve amended FCCLA Definition of Account.

4.G. Take action to approve Professional Development Committee for FY26.

Stephanie Baldwin, Carrie Boyd, Shawna Brecheen, Staci Capps, Geni Fleet, Amy Graham, Ann Helms, Trey Logsdon, Laura Presley, Wyatt Shaw, Jessica Stettler, Angela Streater, Shari Taylor, and Logan Wall.

4.H. Take action to approve Gifted Committee for FY26.

Elizabeth McDowell, Francis Parent

Haley Coppedge, Homer Parent

Tiffany Logsdon, Byng Elementary Parent

Dalila Stafford - France Counselor

Sarah Austin - Homer Counselor

Carrie Boyd - Byng Elementary Counselor

Crystal Smith - Byng Junior High Counselor

Amy Shaw - Byng High School Counselor

Chris Elliott - Gifted Coordinator

5. Discussion and possible action with regard to capacity limitations for student transfers.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Joshua Mayo, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

6. Discussion and possible action on Athletic Emergency Plan.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

7. Discussion and possible action on Chase Morris Sudden Cardiac Arrest Response Plan(s).

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

8. Take action on resignation(s) received to date.

There were no resignations.

9. Vote to convene or not to convene into Executive Session to discuss employment of Lilah Carpitcher - Certified Teacher, Austra Stewart - 1st Grade Teacher, Charles Echols - Part Time Custodian, two Cafeteria Employees, and Special Education Paraprofessional for FY26. 25 O.S. §307(b)(1).

Motion to not convene and move to agenda item 12. This motion, made by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

10. Acknowledge the board's return to open session.

11. Executive session minutes compliance announcement.

12. Take action on employment of Lilah Carpitcher - Certified Teacher, Austra Stewart - 1st Grade Teacher, Charles Echols - Part Time Custodian, two Cafeteria Employees, and a Special Education Paraprofessional for FY26.

Shannon Timmons - cafe

Aldon Neeley - cafe

Kelsey Allen - SpEd para

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

13. Discussion and possible action to approve transportation personnel and contract salaries for FY26.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

14. Take action to approve contract salaries for FY26.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

15. Take action to approve Extended Day employee(s) for FY26.

HOMER: Serenity Butler, Catelyn Edwards, and Mandy Johnson

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Joshua Mayo, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

16. Take action to approve Robotic teachers for FY26.

BYNG ELEM: Aleah Crawford, Chris Elliott, Becky Henderson, Kelli Butler, Hollie Fuller, Calli Presley, Jessica Stettler, and Rhiannon Debrosky.

HOMER: Elizabeth Jenkins, Courtney Milligan, and Diana Wallis.

FRANCIS: Kayla Perry

JUNIOR HIGH: Greg Campirano

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

17. Take action to approve Academic Bowl sponsors for FY26.

BYNG ELEM: Emily Denney, Calli Presley, Becky Henderson.

JUNIOR HIGH: LuAnn Fuller

HIGH SCHOOL: Heath Pennington

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

18. Bond report.

Mr. Wilson shared with the board that concrete was being poured this week on the new Safe Room / Band Room, and plumbing and electrical work were being completed this week on the new Agriculture building. Mr. Wilson also shared with the board that he is meeting with an OLAP representative this week regarding maximizing the school's bond interest.

19. Maintenance report.

Mr. Wilson shared that the softball batting cages' HVAC system would be completed soon, and a fence was being installed around the Francis playground for student safety.

20. Superintendent's reports.

Mr. Wilson shared with the board that enrollment numbers were up this school year and that the new law banning the use of cell phones by students during the school day has been received well by staff and students. Mr. Wilson also shared that the softball team has had a successful season, baseball has playoffs coming up, and that the Cross Country team is ranked 2nd in the state. The team ranked 1st is a private school.

21. New Business.

No new business.

22. Vote to adjourn.

Motion to adjourn at 7:24 p.m. This motion, made by Mrs. Jamie Whitefield and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Absent

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Yea

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Minutes were prepared by Angie Hargus, Minutes Clerk