

The Ord Board of Education met in regular session August 11, 2025 at 7:30 PM, in the Ord Public School Board Room pursuant to notice published. Posted Locations:
Ord QUIZ

Answering roll call: **Present:** Dan Beran, Jay Knapp, Heidi Proskocil, Jake Sikyta, Dawn Skibinski, Tom Thompson.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

President Sikyta acknowledged the Open Meetings Act Notice Poster on the South wall of the Board Room.

CONSENT AGENDA

Moved by Dawn Skibinski, seconded by Heidi Proskocil to approve the consent agenda, excluding the Valley Thunder bill.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Moved by Jay Knapp, seconded by Dan Beran to approve the Valley Thunder bill.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: Abstain (With Conflict), Dan Beran: yes

yes: 5, no: 0, Abstain (With Conflict): 1

INFORMATION

LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

Moved by Heidi Proskocil, seconded by Jay Knapp to approve the verification of legal advertisement.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

COMMUNICATIONS

There were no formal Communications to report. Dr. Nebesniak shared with the Board appreciation and thanks that classified staff members had shared in regard to the recent raise they received.

PATRON COMMENTS

There were no Patron Comments to report.

COMMUNITY/STAFF PRESENTATIONS

There were no Community/Staff Presentations to report.

REPORTS OF STANDING COMMITTEES

There were no reports from Standing Committees.

REPORTS OF BUILDING PRINCIPALS, COUNSELORS, AND DISTRICT COMMITTEES

Mr. Smith presented the report for Ord Elementary.

Mr. Snyder presented the report for Ord High School.

OLD BUSINESS

Policy 3131 Update Second Reading

Moved by Jay Knapp, seconded by Dan Beran to approve Policy 3131, second reading - edits to G#1 and H#4, strike H #6.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Policy 6113 Electronic Device Second Reading

Moved by Dan Beran, seconded by Tom Thompson to approve Policy 6113 Electronic Device, Second Reading.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

NEW BUSINESS

LB 243 Discussion and Resolution

Moved by Jay Knapp, seconded by Heidi Proskocil to approve LB 243 Resolution.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Transfer to Athletic Fund

Moved by Dawn Skibinski, seconded by Tom Thompson to approve transfer of \$30,000.00 to the Athletic Fund.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Transfer to the Depreciation Fund

Moved by Heidi Proskocil, seconded by Jay Knapp to approve the transfer of \$250,000.00 to the Depreciaton Fund.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Policy 5000s Review and Update

Moved by Jake Sikyta, seconded by Dan Beran to approve 5000s Policies, first reading with the modifications as presented.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Student Transportation Update/Vehicle Purchases

Moved by Heidi Proskocil, seconded by Dawn Skibinski to approve the purchase of two Ford vans for student transportation.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil: yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

Student and Staff Assistant Plan for 2025-2026

Moved by Dan Beran, seconded by Jay Knapp to approve to keep the Wholeness Healing plan for students and staff.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil:

yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT

Activity Fund, Lunch Fund, Athletic Fund, and Banner Fund Reports.

Upcoming NASB Area Membership Meeting August 21, 2025.

Beef in Schools Update.

Building and Grounds Update.

HR Update.

State Fair Grand Marshall.

Moved by Dawn Skibinski, seconded by Heidi Proskocil to adjourn the meeting at 10:41 p.m.

Jake Sikyta: yes, Jay Knapp: yes, Dawn Skibinski: yes, Tom Thompson: yes, Heidi Proskocil:

yes, Dan Beran: yes

yes: 6, no: 0

I, undersigned, hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct copy of the proceedings had and done by the Ord School District; that all of the subjects included in the foregoing proceedings were contained in the agenda for the meeting, kept continually current and available for the public inspection at the Office of the School District Superintendent; that such subjects were contained in said agenda for at least twenty-four hours prior to said meeting; that at least one copy of all reproducible material discussed at the meeting was available at the meeting for examination and copying by members of the public, that the said minutes were in written form and available for public inspection within ten working days prior to the next convened meeting of said body; that all news media requesting notification concerning meetings of said body were provided advance notification of the time and place of said meeting and the subjects to be discussed at said meeting.

Dawn Skibinski, Secretary

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