



Stillwater Public Schools Administration  
Building  
314 South Lewis Street  
Stillwater, OK 74074

## **Minutes of Regular Meeting**

Tuesday, March 10, 2026 5:30 PM Central

Attendance Taken at 5:31 PM.

Marshall Baker: Present  
Rachel Dillin: Absent  
Roberta Douglas: Present  
Gay Washington: Present  
Clyde Wilson: Present

### **1. CALL TO ORDER AND ROLL CALL**

President Douglas called the meeting to order. Board Clerk Tawni Hooten conducted a roll call and declared that a quorum was present to proceed.

### **2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

President Douglas asked everyone in attendance to stand as she led the Pledge of Allegiance.

### **3. COMMUNICATIONS/PUBLIC INTEREST**

#### **A. Superintendent's Report**

Superintendent Bridges highlighted various athletic achievements, including state titles in wrestling and swimming, and noted upcoming SMAC events listed on the district calendar:

- District Highlights:
  - Academics & Activities:
    - 3 Oklahoma Academic All-Staters for 2026 – Aiden Kim, William Lin, and Katherine Liu (+2 former Pioneers at OSSM)
    - SEVEN National Merit Finalists
    - SJHS 8<sup>th</sup> Grade Academic Team – 3<sup>rd</sup> at State
    - SMS at the OSSM Middle School Math Contest
      - Aditya Bikkina 1<sup>st</sup> place male in 7<sup>th</sup> grade
      - Olivia Zhang 1<sup>st</sup> place female in 7<sup>th</sup> grade
      - Aarv Vaghela 2<sup>nd</sup> place male in 6<sup>th</sup> grade
      - Ahron Cho 3<sup>rd</sup> place male in 6<sup>th</sup> grade
    - OKC pin-pong ball launcher engineering competition-9<sup>th</sup> graders:
      - Aaron Maxey and Landon Rogers for 1<sup>st</sup> place

- SHS Aviation participated in the Oklahoma High School Aviation State Championship, placed 9<sup>th</sup> (out of 102) and was awarded the Oklahoma Aviation Spirit Award
- Robotics and Stem participating in numerous competitions
- Artsapalooza
- Athletics: 2 State Championships in boys wrestling and also had other great placings at the state level – Boys Dual and Team and Individual titles to just name a few. Girls wrestling had a State-Runner Up. Swimming had a student Elias Mendez a two-time State Champion who has already signed to swim at the collegiate level and broken records in every event participated in.
- SEVEN FFA students who have earned the prestigious State FFA Degree, and lots of ag students showing during this time exhibiting animals
- SMAC (Stillwater Makes A Change) is happening- Lots of events and they are listed on numerous calendars including the District calendar
- Highland Park received the Synergy Award from United Way for raising the most money at any site
- SPEF (Stillwater Public Education Foundation) Taste of Stillwater
  - Stillwater Public Schools Enrollment Update

## **B. Board Communication**

The board took a few moments to express the exciting activities and involvement throughout the district and community.

- “Kudos” to our three Ag Instructors for their hard work and dedication to students. Our program is full of local support who invest thousands of dollars in our students.
- Schools have done a great job on scheduling and master scheduling
- Discussions of the percentages of advanced course work, etc.
- Board Election will be held on April 7<sup>th</sup>. Everyone is encouraged to get out and vote

## **C. Public Comments - Patrons who wish to address the Board of Education shall be required to submit form BED-E prior to the start of the meeting**

The following individuals completed the BED-E form and were approved to speak on the following topic:

1. Candice Kelley "The misuse of the isolation rooms in certain schools, and PBIS training certificates"
2. Kerry McNickle "Performing Arts Endowment Committee will host our first Artsapalooza Community Event at the SHS Performing Arts Center"
3. Carol Anderson "I represent the Stillwater League of Women Voters and wish to make a short presentation on what Sunshine Week represents and ask board members to sign a pledge to follow the federal Freedom of Information Act and Oklahoma law requiring Open Meetings and Open Records"

## **4. CONSENT AGENDA (Action)**

**All of the following items, which concern reports and items of a routine nature normally**

**approved at a board meeting, will be approved by one board vote, unless any board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all of these items. The consent agenda consists of the discussion, consideration, and approval of the following items:**

**A. Approval of the February 10, 2026, Regular Meeting Minutes**

**B. Out of State Travel Requests**

1. Stillwater High School Varsity Softball is traveling to Shawnee Mission, KS from August 27, 2026, through August 29, 2026, to compete at a fastpitch softball invitational.

**C. Approval of Transfer and Summary of Activity Account Funds**

**D. Approval of Change Orders, Encumbrances and Accounts Payable (approval of encumbrance numbers as listed):**

2025-2026 Change Order (Bond 32) Encumbrances #2026-32-4 totaling \$19,009.09

2025-2026 General Fund (11) Encumbrances #2026-11-659-783 totaling \$343,363.48

2025-2026 Building Fund (21) Encumbrances #2026-21-3-4 totaling \$9,058.75

2025-2026 Child Nutrition Fund (22) Encumbrances#2026-22-78-85 totaling \$21,627.17

2025-2026 Bond 31 Fund Encumbrances #2026-31-35 totaling \$13,540.50

2025-2026 Bond 32 Fund Encumbrances #2026-32-66-68 totaling \$9738.37

2025-2026 Bond 33 Fund Encumbrances #2026-33-239 -2026-33-273totaling \$1,758,492.93

2025-2026 Sinking Fund 41 Encumbrances #2026-41-2 totaling  
\$15,217,356.25

2025-2026 Gift Fund 81 Encumbrances #2026-81-14 totaling \$53,579.00

**E. Approval of Activity Account Fundraising Projects**

**F. Approval of Annual Activity Fund Planning & Approval Packages**

**G. Approval of the "Contract for Audit of Public Schools 2025-2026 School Year" and audited by Jenkins & Kemper Auditing Firm.**

**H. Stillwater Public Schools Contracts:**

1. Kansas State University (Student Teaching Affiliation Agreement)—Ed Services

**I. Consider and Vote to Approve Willowbrook, Inc. use of CM Contingency and Allowances for the SPS Bond 2023 HS Phase I Construction Project**

**J. Consider and Vote to Approve Willowbrook, Inc. Use of Owner Contingency and Allowances for the SPS Bond 2023 HS Phase I Construction Project**

**K. Consider and Vote to Approve the Terms of Service Agreement and Addendum with Rocket Alumni Solutions, Inc.**

**L. Consider and Vote to Declare Equipment at Stillwater High School as Surplus Property**

**M. Consider and Vote to Approve Service Agreement for Firewall Renewal with OneNet**

**N. Consider and Vote to Approve the Cost - Share Agreement with the City of Stillwater**

**O. Consider and Vote to Approve Trafera Agreement for Student Device Lease Schedule 002**

I move to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. This motion, made by Gay Washington and seconded by Clyde Wilson, **Carried**.

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**5. BUSINESS/FINANCE, Chief Financial Officer, Kristie Newby**

**A. Receive and Vote to Approve or Not Approve the Treasurer's Report**

I move to approve the Treasurer's report as presented. This motion, made by Marshall Baker and seconded by Gay Washington, **Carried**.

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**6. OPERATIONS, Assistant Superintendent Bo Gamble**

**A. Consider and Vote to Award Contract for the Stillwater High School Athletics Phase I Fieldhouse Renovation Project:**

<b><u>Contractor</u></b>	<b><u>Lump-Sum Base Bid Price</u></b>
Firebrand Construction	\$149,300.00
Hoey Construction	\$153,000.00
Ross Group	\$113,500.00
Thompson Construction	\$173,941.00
W.L. McNatt	\$154,555.00

**A solicitation of bids was issued in accordance with Oklahoma Statutes. Bids were received, opened, and read aloud at 10:00 am on Wednesday, March 4, 2026.**

Following a review of the bids received on March 4, 2026, Gay Washington moved to award the Interior Renovation Bid in the amount of \$113,500 to Ross Group for the Stillwater High School Athletics Phase I Fieldhouse Renovation Project as presented. This motion, made by Gay Washington and seconded by Marshall Baker, **Carried.**

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**B. Receive Bond 2023 Update**

Acting Superintendent of Operations, Bo Gamble provided the Bond 2023 Update to the board.

**7. Discussion and Possible Motion to Acknowledge SPEF participating in the Oklahoma Equal Opportunity Scholarship Act.**

I move to Acknowledge SPEF participating in the Oklahoma Equal Opportunity Scholarship Act. This motion, made by Marshall Baker and seconded by Clyde Wilson, **Carried.**

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**8. Proposed Executive Session to Discuss the Following:**

**A. Proposed executive session to discuss the employment of those employees listed on attached Exhibit A. 25 O.S. Section 307(B)(1)**

**B. Evaluation of the Superintendent (a routine evaluation session that the Board may conduct monthly) Pursuant to Executive Session Authority – OKLA. STAT. tit. 25 sect 307(B)(1) and (7).**

**9. Vote to Convene in Executive Session (Action)**

I move to convene into Executive Session at 6:32 p.m. This motion, made by Marshall Baker and seconded by Clyde Wilson, **Carried.**

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**10. President's Acknowledgment of the Return of the Board to Open Session**

President Douglas acknowledged the return of the board to open session at 8:10 p.m.

**11. Statement of Executive Session Minutes**

The following statement was provided by MARSHALL BAKER. The Executive Session convened at 6:30p.m. During the Executive Session, the following people were present: Roberta Douglas, Clyde Wilson, Gay Washington, and Marshall Baker (6:30 p.m. - 7:10, 7:20 p.m. - 8:10 p.m.). Mr. Tyler Bridges (6:30 p.m. - 7:10, 7:20 p.m. - 8:10 p.m.), and Dr. Trent Swanson (6:30 p.m.- 6:48 p.m.). In the Executive Session, the Board discussed the appointments, resignations, and employment recommendations listed on Exhibit A of the agenda as authorized by OKLA. STAT. tit. 25 Section 307(B)(1), and the evaluation of the Superintendent as authorized by OKLA. STAT. tit. 25 Section 307(B)(1) and (7). Nothing else was discussed in the Executive

Session. No votes were taken in the Executive Session. This will constitute the minutes of the Executive Session.

**12. Consider and Vote to Approve or Not Approve the Appointments, Resignations and Employment Recommendations Listed on Exhibit A of the Agenda.**

I move to approve the Appointments, Resignations and Employment Recommendations Listed on Exhibit A of the Agenda as presented. This motion, made by Gay Washington and seconded by Marshall Baker, **Carried.**

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

**13. ADJOURNMENT**

**A. Vote to Adjourn (Action)**

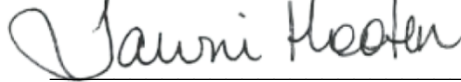
I move to adjourn at 8:15 p.m. This motion, made by Clyde Wilson and seconded by Gay Washington, **Carried.**

Marshall Baker: Yes, Roberta Douglas: Yes, Gay Washington: Yes, Clyde Wilson: Yes

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Roberta Douglas, President

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Tawni Hooten, Board & Minutes Clerk

(SEAL)

These minutes were officially approved by the Stillwater Board of Education on April 14, 2026.