

**BURLINGTON U.S.D. NO. 244 BOARD OF EDUCATION
REGULAR MEETING
April 13, 2026**

MINUTES

The regular meeting of the 2025-2026 Board of Education of Burlington USD 244 was held at the Burlington High School Multimedia Room at 7:00 p.m. on April 13, 2026. The following board members were present: James Higgins, Lucas Allen, Johnny Hernandez, Nolan Strawder, Ron Hess, and Selena King. Also, in attendance were Superintendent Craig Marshall, Clerk of the Board Christy Hess, Technology Director Craig Kuhlmann, Director of Special Education Lindsey Graf, BES Principal Darla Long (7:28 p.m.), BHS Principal Lee Baldwin, BMS Principal Matt Spring, BHS Assistant Principal/Activities Director Arianne Seidl (7:28 p.m.), Assistant Technology Director Courtney Finlayson, Christy Over, Tonya Navarro, Lisa Mautz, Mason Collins, Troy Over, Alex Mautz, Caleb Birk, Gaige Navarro, Talis Sharpe, Shawn Mautz, Maddox Cheever, Dirk Over, Stephanie Corbin, Damon Schmidt, Justin Logan, and Matt Navarro.

1. Opening Items

1.A. Call to Order

James Higgins called the April 13, 2026, Regular Board of Education meeting to order at 7:01 p.m.

1.B. Pledge of Allegiance

2. Consent Agenda

2.A. Approval of the Agenda

2.B. Approval of the Linkage Minutes

2.C. Approval of Regular Meeting Minutes

2.D. Approval of Special Meeting Minutes — Personnel

2.E. Approval of Special Meeting Minutes — BES Facilities Work Session

2.F. Approval of the Bills and Financial Reports

2.G. Approval of Personnel Items

2.H. Approval of Donations

2.I. Approval of IDEA Assurances

2.J. Approval of 2026-2027 Technology Bid and Single Source Technology

2.K. Approval of the 2026-2027 1-to-1 Project Equipment and Materials

2.L. Approval of Consent Agenda

Motion to approve consent agenda items as presented. This motion, made by Selena King and seconded by Lucas Allen, Carried.

Bob Plummer: Absent, Lucas Allen: Yea, Johnny Hernandez: Yea, Ron Hess: Yea, James Higgins: Yea, Selena King: Yea, Nolan Strawder: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

3. Student Recognition

3.A. State Basketball

4. Public Comment

4.A. Concerns of Burlington USD 244 Patrons

5. Communications

5.A. Written Communications

6. Administrative Reports

6.A. BES April 2026 Report

6.B. BMS April 2026 Report

6.C. BHS April 2026 Report

6.D. CCSEC April 2026 Report

6.E. Technology April 2026 Report

6.F. Superintendent's April 2026 Report

7. Board Member Items

7.A. Board Reports

8. Results Monitoring Report

8.A. Results Report

Motion to accept the Results 2 monitoring report concerning physical education, performing arts, visual arts and foreign language as reasonable progress toward meeting the board's Results policies. This motion, made by Lucas Allen and seconded by Ron Hess, Carried.

Bob Plummer: Absent, Lucas Allen: Yea, Johnny Hernandez: Yea, Ron Hess: Yea, James Higgins: Yea, Selena King: Yea, Nolan Strawder: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

9. Contracts/Approvals/Appointments

9.A. Open Enrollment Policy

Motion to approve the USD 244 student enrollment projections and non-resident enrollment capacity as presented. This motion, made by James Higgins and seconded by Johnny Hernandez, Carried.

Bob Plummer: Absent, Lucas Allen: Yea, Johnny Hernandez: Yea, Ron Hess: Yea, James Higgins: Yea, Selena King: Yea, Nolan Strawder: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

