

Regular

Greater Albany Public School District 8J
718 SW 7th AVE
Albany, OR 97321



DRAFT - Minutes

Monday, August 17, 2026 6:00 PM

Andy Gardner, Superintendent

Stephanie Lunceford: Present
Kris McLaughlin: Present
Sean Taylor: Present
Brad Wilson: Present
This is a test
Dave Reece: Present

9:39 PM

Brad Wilson Chair
Sean Taylor Vice Chair
Stephanie Lunceford Director
Kris McLaughlin Director
Dave Reece Director

Andy Gardner Superintendent
Bruce Schmidt Assistant Superintendent
Dave Bolin Executive Director of Operations
Kelsey Costales-Marshall Executive Director of EDI
Jane Nofziger Executive Director of Business
Susie Orsborn Executive Director of HR
Chris Green Board Secretary

Zion Mollel Student Board Member, West Albany High School

A. CALL TO ORDER (6:00 p.m.)

B. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Move to. This motion, made by Sean Taylor and seconded by Stephanie Lunceford, Carried.

Stephanie Lunceford: Yea

Kris McLaughlin: Yea

Dave Reece: Yea

Sean Taylor: Yea

Brad Wilson: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

C. APPROVAL OF AGENDA

D. BOARD BUSINESS

1. Board Member Oath of Office
2. Board Governance Calendar - Approve
3. Public Comment Discussion

E. DISTRICT LEADERSHIP TEAM UPDATES

1. Superintendent Report
 - a. Class Size Report
2. Business Financial Report
 - a. PERS Discussion
3. Human Resource Report
 - a. Literacy MOU / School Calendar Update

F. BOARD REPORTS

1. Board Member Reports
 - a. Long Range Facility Advisory Committee Update (LRFAC)

G. COMMITTEE, COMMUNITY AND SCHOOL PRESENTATIONS

1. WAHS - Building a Culture of Belonging

H. CONSENT AGENDA

Move to approve Consent Agenda as presented. This motion, made by Stephanie Lunceford and seconded by Sean Taylor, Carried.

Stephanie Lunceford: Yea

Kris McLaughlin: Yea

Dave Reece: Yea

Sean Taylor: Yea

Brad Wilson: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

1. Personnel - Licensed
2. Personnel - Classified
3. Minutes - Regular Board Meeting - 6-15-26
4. MOU - GAEA - Article 28 - Professional Development

I. OLD BUSINESS

1. 2026-27 School Calendar - Update

Move to approve the 2026-27 School Calendar - Update as presented. This motion, made by Kris McLaughlin and seconded by Dave Reece, Carried.

Stephanie Lunceford: Yea

Kris McLaughlin: Yea

Dave Reece: Yea

Sean Taylor: Yea

Brad Wilson: Yea

Yea: 5, Nay: 0

J. REPORTS

1. Accountability Report - Math/Reading

K. NEW BUSINESS

1. Curriculum Adoption - K-5 Health

L. OTHER BUSINESS (Information Only)

1. English Learners Report

M. COMMENTS FROM THE PUBLIC

1. In-Person or Virtual Public Comment
2. Written Public Comments

N. FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

O. ADJOURN

DATES OF INTEREST TO THE SCHOOL BOARD

August 19 - PrePlanning @ District Office, 8:00 am*

September 14 - Regular Board Meeting @ District Office, 6:00 pm

October 19 - Listening Session @ District Office, 5:30 pm (Chair Wilson and Vice Chair Taylor)
October 19 - Regular Board Meeting @ District Office, 7:00 pm

Meeting adjourned at 9:46 PM.

Board meeting minutes submitted by Chris Green, Board Secretary

Approved at board meeting: