Regular Board Meeting
Monday, August 3, 2026
6:00 PM

The Board of Education of Pryor School District No. I-01 met in Regular Session in the Board Conference Room located in the Administration Building at 405 SW First Street on Monday, August 3, 2026. All business at said meeting was conducted in accordance with the OKLAHOMA OPEN MEETING LAWS.

Attendance Taken at 5:55 PM.

Jeanette Anderson:	Present
Paul Melchior:	Absent
Scott Miller:	Present
Fred Sordahl:	Present
Chris Van Natta:	Present

Others present: David Stanley
Belinda Jones
Jim Trout
Tiffany Bonfiglio
See Attached List
Student Board Membe
Tiffany Ballard
Tina James

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1. **Procedural Item**

1.A. Call to Order

1.B. Pledge of Allegiance

1.C. Review and Approval of Minutes of July 13, 2026.
Approval of the minutes from the July 13, 2026, board meeting. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Scott Miller, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

1.D. Public Comment

2. **Presentation**

2.A. Discussion of bid package options for the new middle school construction project.

3. **Consent Agenda**

3.A. Treasurer's Report

3.B. Encumbrance Report & Other Expense Reports

3.C. Approval of sub-accounts and fundraisers for the 2026-2027 school year as presented.

3.D. Designate John Potter as the District Bullying Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year as presented.

3.E. Designate Bo Rainey and John Priddy as Hearing Officers for suspension appeals.

3.F. Approval of Contract with the Oklahoma Department of Career and Technology for secondary education programs for the 2026-2027 school year.

3.G. Approval of the Pryor High School Handbook for the 2026-2027 school year.

3.H. Approval of American Fidelity as the District's Section 125 Plan provider and continuation of plan agreement.

3.I. Approval of agreement with Beazley/Lodestone for 2026-2027.

3.J. Approval of Preschool Education Program Agreement with C.A.R.D. Head Start for the 2026-2027 school year.

3.K. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve items A-J. (These items may be approved by one Board motion, unless any Board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all of these items).
Motion to approve Consent Agenda. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4. **Action Agenda**

4.A. Motion, discussion and vote to convene in executive session for the purpose of discussing any resignations or retirements tendered, Hiring Certified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2026-2027 school year; hiring Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2027-2027 school year, and considering the appeal of denied student transfers with a review of confidential educational records and transfer requests of students whereby disclosure of any additional information could potentially violate FERPA, pursuant to Okla. Stat. tit.25 § 307(B)(1) (7).
Motion to enter into executive session for the purposes listed. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Scott Miller, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea

Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.B. Return to Open Session

4.C. Statement of executive session minutes (topics discussed and persons present)

4.D. Discuss then vote to uphold or overturn the decision to deny student transfer requests a. 27-006, b. 27-007, c. 27-008, and d. 27-009.

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests c. 27-008. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}.. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests c. 27-008. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}.. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests b. 27-009. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests c. 27-008. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}.. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent

Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests d. 27-009. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}.. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

Motion to vote to uphold decision to deny student transfer requests b. 27-009. This motion, made by {Insert Board Member} and seconded by {Insert Board Member}, {Insert Action Result}. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.E. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve any resignations or retirements tendered. Motion to approve any resignations or retirements tendered. Emerine smith. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Scott Miller, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.F. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve hiring the following Certified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2026-2027 school year. All Personnel will be hired by one vote unless any Board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all listed personnel. Motion to approve hiring the following Certified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2025-2026 school year. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea

Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.G. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve hiring the following Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2026-2027 school year. All Personnel will be hired by one vote unless any Board member desires to have a separate vote on any or all listed personnel.
Motion to approve hiring the following Classified Personnel on a temporary contract for the 2024-2025 school year. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.H. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve salaries and stipends for 11 month administrators, certified and non-certified personnel for the 2026-2027 school year.
Motion to approve salaries for 11 month administrators, certified and non-certified personnel for the 2026-2027 school year. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.I. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve Negotiated Agreement for the 2026-2027 school year.
Motion to approve the Negotiated Agreement for the 2026-2027 school year. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.J. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve salary schedules for the 2026-2027 school year.
approve salary schedules. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Scott Miller, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.K. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve Coaching and Extra Duty Assignments for the 2026-2027 school year.
coaching extra duty. This motion, made by Scott Miller and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.L. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve salary adjustments, extra duty stipends, and/or professional development as submitted for the 2026-2027 school year.
salary adj etc 2627. This motion, made by Scott Miller and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.M. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve hiring staff for the Tiger Pride After School Program as presented.
hiring of tiger pride staff. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.N. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve using the school hours method (1086 school hours) as the school calendar to reflect the legislative requirements of HB 1864.
approve school hours method. This motion, made by Jeanette Anderson and seconded by Chris Van Natta, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

4.O. Discuss then vote to approve or not approve Board selecting voting delegate for OSSBA's Delegate Assembly.
approve voting delegate - J. Anderson. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Scott Miller, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent

Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

5. **Superintendent's Report**

   5.A. Superintendent's Report

6. **New Business**

   6.A. Board will address any pertinent new business that has arisen since the agenda was posted if deemed necessary. ("Any matter not known about or which could not have been reasonably foreseen prior to the time of posting." 25 O. s. § 311)

   6.B. Discussion then vote to approve or not approve issuing payment to OTRS to rectify an underpayment for a previous employee.
   Motion to approve issuing payment to OTRS to rectify an underpayment for Angie Evans in the amount of $1,376.06. This motion, made by Chris Van Natta and seconded by Jeanette Anderson, Carried.

Paul Melchior:	Absent
Jeanette Anderson:	Yea
Scott Miller:	Yea
Fred Sordahl:	Yea
Chris Van Natta:	Yea

7. **Adjourn**

   7.A. Adjournment