



Minutes Report

Byng Board of Education Regular Meeting

Monday, March 9, 2026 6:30 PM

**Superintendent's Office, Conference Room, 214 Stokes Drive, Ada, Oklahoma 74820
Pontotoc County, North of Ada on Highway 99, 1/4 mile East on Francis Road and 1/2 mile
South on the West side of the street.**

Note: The board may discuss, vote to approve, vote to disapprove, vote to table or decide not to discuss any item on the agenda.

Public notice of the meeting with an agenda was posted in prominent view at the Administration Building, in said school district, at least twenty-four (24) hours prior to this meeting, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and legal holidays, all in compliance with the Oklahoma Open Meeting Act.

1. Call to order and roll call of members.

Attendance Taken at 6:30 PM.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Present

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Present

Mr. Chris McGill: Present

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Present

Others present were Kevin Wilson, Staci Capps, and Angie Hargus. Visitors were Andrea Boyd, students of the Francis STREAM Club, Kayla and Isaiah Perry, Kelley Griffith, Amanda Jones, Derek and Jessica West, Matt and Geni Fleet.

2. Principal's Report.

Students from Francis STREAM Club shared with the board what they enjoyed about STREAM and also what projects the students were working on.

3. Reorganization of Board Officers.

Motion to approve Stanley Sawyers - President, Chris McGill - Vice President, and Jamie Whitefield - Clerk. This motion, made by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster and seconded by Dr. Joshua Mayo, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea

Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea

Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent

Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

4. Reading and approval of the February 9, 2026 Regular Board Meeting minutes as presented.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

5. Consent Agenda

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

5.A. Take action on:

General Fund Purchase Order No. 841-909 with total expenditure of \$82,307.90

Building Fund Purchase Order No. 87-90 with total expenditure of \$28,777.82

General Fund Payroll Purchase Order No. 50311-50315 with total expenditure of \$9,926.68

All Payroll Change Orders.

5.B. Take action on the February investment report.

5.C. Take action to approve transfers within the activity fund.

5.D. Take action to add Staci Capps as an authorized user of safe deposit boxes at Vision Bank and Citizens Bank.

5.E. Take action on issuing duplicate warrant(s) from the General Fund.

5.F. Take action on out-of-state travel for High School Baseball to Gulf Shores, Alabama.

6. Discussion and possible board action with regard to capacity limitations for student transfers.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

7. Discussion and possible action to hire Patten & Odom, C.P.A.s as school auditor for FY26.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

8. Board to receive bids, discussion, and possible action to approve bids for floor removal and replacement at Francis Elementary.

Motion to award bid to Bryan's Flooring. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Joshua Mayo, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

9. Board to receive bids, discussion, and possible action to approve bids for floor removal and replacement at Byng Elementary.

Motion to award bid to Bryan's Flooring. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

10. Discussion and possible action on resignation(s) received to date.

Shyanna Sloan - HS/JH English teacher
Austra Stewart - 1st grade teacher
Brynn Walters - 2nd grade teacher
Zach Dickey - nurse
Robert Neil - girls basketball coach only
Brenna Britt - paraprofessional
Lanie Whitworth - 1st grade teacher

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea

Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

11. Vote to convene or not to convene into Executive Session to discuss employment of Emma Rindal - Certified Special Education Teacher retroactive to January 22, 2026, Bus Driver for FY26, Elementary Teacher, Junior High / High School Behavioral Teacher, 3rd Grade Teacher, Tanya Mantooth - Junior High Principal for FY27, and to discuss Superintendent's contract. 25 O.S. §307(b)(1).

Motion to convene at 7:02 p.m. This motion, made by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

12. Acknowledge the board's return to open session.
at 7:22 p.m.

13. Executive session minutes compliance announcement.

Mr. Sawyers announced that the board entered into executive session at 7:02 p.m. Those present in executive session were Stanley Sawyers, Chris McGill, Adrianna Lancaster, Josh Mayo, and Kevin Wilson. The board met in executive session to discuss the employment of Emma Rindal - Certified Special Education Teacher retroactive to January 22, 2026, Bus Driver for FY26, Elementary Teacher, Junior High / High School Behavioral Teacher, 3rd Grade Teacher, Tanya Mantooth - Junior High Principal for FY27, and to discuss Superintendent's contract as authorized by 25 O.S. Section 307(B)(1).

No action was taken by the board. The board returned to open session at 7:22 p.m.

14. Take action on employment of Emma Rindal - Certified Special Education Teacher retroactive to January 22, 2026, Bus Driver for FY26, Elementary Teacher, Junior High / High School Behavioral Teacher, 3rd Grade Teacher, and Tanya Mantooth - Junior High Principal for FY27.

Jordon Espindola - bus driver
Jesslyn Timperley - elementary teacher
Linda Freeman - JH/HS Behavioral teacher
Antaza Braun - 3rd grade teacher

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Joshua Mayo, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea

Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

15. Take action to approve Superintendent's contract as presented.

Motion to approve Attachment A with the amendment of paragraph H removing the language "20 percent annual maximum" and adding the language "\$13,000.00" in its place. This motion, made by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

16. Discussion and possible action to approve advice givers for golf.

Lesli Barrett, Chris Kates, Megan Groves, and Jason Wilkerson.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Mr. Chris McGill and seconded by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

17. Discussion and possible action to approve volunteer coaches.

Trey Edwards - tennis, Zac Welchel - tennis, and Jordon Espindola - softball.

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Adrianna Lancaster and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

18. Take action to declare property as surplus and authorization to sell or dispose of surplus items.

First Place Competitor High Jump Package

- included in this package

- High jump pit

- High jump standards

- High jump Crossbar
- High jump all-weather cover
- High jump foam top mat

Motion to approve. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

19. Maintenance Report.

Mr. Wilson shared with the board that the heat and air system had been installed at the batting cages.

20. Bond Report.

Mr. Wilson shared with the board that the issue with the track caused by rain had been resolved. He reported that tennis courts are poured, brick for the Ag building should be installed soon, and sheetrock is being installed in the Band/Safe Room.

21. Superintendent's Report.

Mr. Wilson shared with the board that cafeteria plans are being finalized. Once plans are finalized, a bid request for demolition of the condemned cafeteria can be sent out. He also shared that the Oklahoma Youth Expo is next week, and spring sports are underway. Mr. Wilson let the board know that at the April board meeting they would need to set a date for the bond sale.

22. New Business.

No new business.

23. Vote to adjourn.

Motion to adjourn at 7:47 p.m. This motion, made by Dr. Joshua Mayo and seconded by Mr. Chris McGill, passed.

Dr. Adrianna Lancaster: Yea
Dr. Joshua Mayo: Yea
Mr. Chris McGill: Yea
Mr. Stanley Sawyers: Yea
Mrs. Jamie Whitefield: Absent
Yea: 4, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

Minutes were prepared by Angie Hargus, Minutes Clerk