

Regular Meeting

Mission: "The mission of High Plains Community Schools is to provide an educational environment which develops citizens who are lifelong learners and can contribute to a global society"

The Regular monthly meeting of the High Plains Community Schools Board of Education was held on Monday, October 13, 2025 at HPC Elementary- Clarks BOE Room (June-Dec), 205 W. Pearl St., Clarks, NE 68628. The meeting was called to order at 7:00 PM.

1. Call Meeting to Order

1.1. Public Meeting Announcement

1.2. Open Meetings Act Recognition

1.3. Board Member Attendance, Roll Call

A motion to excuse _____ Kayla Zoucha ___ from the _____ board of education meeting
Passed with a motion by Nathan Spurling and a second by Chad Hoffman.

Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt:
Yea

1.4. Consent Agenda

A motion to approve the consent agenda as presented for past minutes, bills, and financial statements Passed with a motion by Nathan Spurling and a second by Dorinda Brown.

Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt:
Yea

1.4.1. Consider Minutes of Previous Meeting(s) and Their Approval (Appendix A)

1.4.2. Consider Current Bills and Their Approval (Appendix B)

1.4.3. Consider Financial Statements and Treasurer's Report (Appendix C)

1.4.3.1. Activity Account Statements

1.4.3.2. Building Fund Account Statements

1.4.3.3. Depreciation Fund Account Statements

1.4.3.4. General Fund Account Statements

1.4.3.5. Nutrition Account Statements

1.5. HPC Student Council

1.6. Community Input

2. Discussion/Action Items

2.1. Administrator Reports

2.2. Elementary Principal Report

2.3. Junior High & High School Principal Report

2.4. AD Report

2.5. Superintendent Report

2.6. Discussion on NSAA Football Declaration

2.7. Review, discuss, and take any necessary action on the board resignation of Mrs. Kayla Zoucha
A motion to approve the resignation of Mrs. Kayla Zoucha from the HPC Board of Education, effective Oct. 13th Passed with a motion by Chad Hoffman and a second by Dorinda Brown.
Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt: Yea

2.8. Review, discuss, and take any necessary action on the resignation of Mr. Jeremy Struckman.
A motion to approve the resignation of Mr. Jeremy Struckman, effective December 19th, 2025
Passed with a motion by Nathan Spurling and a second by Megan Pike.
Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt: Yea

2.9. Review, discuss, and take all necessary action on the amendment to the 2025-2026 HPC Negotiated Agreement

A motion to approve the amendment to the sick leave portion of the HPC 2025-26 Negotiated Agreement as presented Passed with a motion by Nathan Spurling and a second by Chad Hoffman.
Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt: Yea

3. Executive Session

4. Motion to Adjourn

A motion to adjourn the meeting at 8:00pm and set the next regular meeting for November 10th, 2025 at 6:30 PM. Passed with a motion by Nathan Spurling and a second by Megan Pike.
Dorinda Brown: Yea, Chad Hoffman: Yea, Megan Pike: Yea, Nathan Spurling: Yea, Shane Van Pelt:

Yea

5. ***CLOSED SESSION:** If, during the course of the meeting, discussion of any item on the agenda should be held in closed meeting, the board will conduct a closed meeting in accordance with the Nebraska Open Meetings Act

6. ***SEQUENCE OF AGENDA:** The sequence of agenda topics is subject to change at the discretion of the board.