LAKEVIEW COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MINUTES

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Kind of Meeting: Regular Meeting

Meeting Date: September 14, 2026

Presiding Officer: Keith Runge

Regular Board Meeting

1. **Opening Procedures**

   1.1. Call to Order — Chairman Runge called the regular meeting to order at 7:58 PM.

   1.2. Pledge of Allegiance — The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Eric Stuthman.

   1.3. Open Meetings Act — Chairman Runge noted the meeting would follow the open meeting act.

   1.4. Verification of Publication and Notification — The agenda was posted in all school buildings and the meeting notice was published in The Columbus Telegram on 9/2/2026.

   1.5. Roll Call — All members were present.

   1.6. Excuse Absent Board Members — None.

2. **Approval of Agenda**
   It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the agenda as presented. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

   Chad Anderson: Yea
   Joy Escen: Yea
   Jerry Jaixen: Yea
   Keith Runge: Yea
   Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
   Eric Stuthman: Yea
   Yea: 6, Nay: 0

3. **Staff/Student Presentations** — FFA Student Presentation
   - Recent Events — Back-to-School Picnic, Greenhand Day
   - Upcoming Events — Labor Auction, Fruit Sales, Husker Harvest Days

4. **Recognition of Visitors/Communications from the Public** — A Lakeview staff member and two community members were present.

5. **Public Comment** — None.

6. **Administrative Reports**

   6.1. Superintendent Report — Mr. Meyer gave a report on the following topics:
   - Enrollment numbers
   - Overview of previous and future expenses

   6.2. Principal Reports — In addition to the administrators' submitted reports:
   - Mr. Borer discussed the number of seniors graduating at midterm
   - Mrs. Craven mentioned the PTO getting a sunshade for the playground
   - Mr. Nygren reported that FastBridge Testing is completed

7. **Consent Agenda**
   It was moved by Jeremy Sprunk and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the consent agenda as presented which includes items 7.1 - 7.3. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

   Chad Anderson: Yea
   Joy Escen: Yea
   Jerry Jaixen: Yea
   Keith Runge: Yea
   Jeremy Sprunk: Yea

Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

7.1. Minutes of Previous Meeting

7.2. Monthly Financial Report

7.3. Payment of Invoices Including Building Fund

8. **Action Items**

8.1. Approval of Resignations None.

8.2. Approval of New Hires
It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the hires of Debra Johnson as Head Junior High Girls Basketball Coach and Jamie Henke as Assistant Junior High Girls Basketball Coach. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.3. Approval of Budget
It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to approve the 2026-2027 budget as presented. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.4. Approval of Property Tax Request
It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Eric Stuthman to approve the Resolution Setting the 2026-2027 Property Tax Request as presented. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.5. Appoint Superintendent Overseer of Federal Programs
It was moved by Jeremy Sprunk and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to appoint the Superintendent as the district's authorized representative to oversee federal programs for the 2026-2027 school year. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.6. Approve Apple Bill for Strive Macs
It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Joy Escen to approve payment to Apple in the amount of $5,416 for the purchase of Strive MacBooks, to be paid from the General Fund. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea

Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

8.7. Discuss, Consider and Possibly Take Action on 5-Year Phone Contract
It was moved by Eric Stuthman and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to approve the five-year phone services agreement with Allo in the amount of $84,720. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

9. **Discussion Items**

9.1. Board Committee Reports No updates at this time.

9.2. Viking Time Posters Mr. Borer updated the Board on Viking Time and Team Time.

9.3. Future Growth Discussion

10. **Executive Session**
It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to enter Executive Session at 8:46 PM to discuss potential land acquisition, to protect the public interest and the district's negotiating position, as permitted by Nebraska law, and to discuss a personnel matter to protect the reputation of the individual, as permitted by Nebraska law. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

It was moved by Chad Anderson and seconded by Jerry Jaixen to reconvene the regular meeting of the Lakeview Board of Education at 9:09 PM. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

11. **Announcements**
- The next Board Meeting will be held October 12, 2026 at 8:00 PM in the Lakeview Board Room.
- The State Conference will be held November 18–20 in Omaha. Registration opens September 16, 2026.

12. **Adjournment**
It was moved by Jerry Jaixen and seconded by Jeremy Sprunk to adjourn the meeting at 9:15 PM. On roll call vote, motion Passed.

Chad Anderson: Yea
Joy Escen: Yea
Jerry Jaixen: Yea
Keith Runge: Yea
Jeremy Sprunk: Yea
Eric Stuthman: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0

Respectfully submitted,

Board Clerk