

KELL CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT #2
Marion & Jefferson Counties
Kell, Illinois 62853
Board of Education Regular Board Meeting Minutes

July 23rd, 2026

President: Jennifer Timm called the Kell School Board Regular Meeting to order at 6:27 p.m. in the School Library.

Present were: Jason Arnold, Bruce Green, Jennifer Timm, Kathleen Howard, Kimberly Tate, & DeLinda Youngblood. Absent: Todd Burrouhs.

Pledge of allegiance stated.

Kathleen Howard made a motion to table the Consent Agenda. Jason Arnold seconded. Roll call: Jason Arnold, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; Kathleen Howard, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; and Bruce Green, yes. Motion carried all in favor.

Administrative Report Mr. Terry Milt-Superintendent; A few items discussed; Parking lot not all stripes completed, to come back and finish. Summer maintenance; wax floors, cleaning, classrooms ready, Teachers have been in. Would like to take staff out to eat for all their hard work. Window project delayed-material, staffing is full; 1st day is August 12th for staff, during 1st week of school have an assembly for all grades to go over rules. Handbook needs approved before the 13th of August. Guessing around 50-students enrolled, not including Pre-K. Policy update; needs upgraded 1st reading at next special board meeting, we have 3-months to get manual updated. E-Learning plan; need to set a public hearing and be in the paper and on the radio; next regular meeting set at 5:45pm for the Public Hearing before regular meeting at 6pm. Todd Burroughs and Jennifer Timm will have a Para meeting next Monday July 27th with Alex Green. Finance Committee board members: Kathleen Howard and Bruce Green. The Alarm panel in the Superintendents' office is broke and will take a lot of money to fix. The 2nd panel by the main doors is working and will be used at this time if needed.

New Business:

- A.) We need to get quotes/bids for the roof; places are rotten.
- B.) Kelsey Alli is picking up learning things quickly and doing a great job.
- C.) Sports Co-Op; Oil Belt Conference; Kell still in, a meeting is scheduled at Central City; spoke with "Mike", Mr. Terry Milt will be Kell Grade School Athletic Director.

Bruce Green made a motion to go into closed session. DeLinda Youngblood seconded motion. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

Time: 7:40 pm

Bruce Green made a motion to return to open session. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

Time: 9:02 pm

Jason Arnold made a motion to set the Public Hearing meeting on August 27th at 5:45pm. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

Jason Arnold made a motion to approve a roof Inspection. DeLinda Youngblood seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

DeLinda Youngblood made a motion to approve the draft alternative budget 30-days. Bruce Green seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

DeLinda Youngblood made a motion to approve Kelsi Alli signing rights to school financial accounts KCSLD. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

Bruce Green made a motion to give all staff a 3% salary raise. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, abstain; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

DeLinda Youngblood made a motion to approve Extra Curricular positions as presented, with same rates as 2025-2026 year. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll Call: Jason Arnold, abstain; Jennifer Timm, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; Kimberly Tate, yes; Bruce Green, yes; and Kathleen Howard, yes. Motion passed.

DeLinda Youngblood made a motion to Adjourn. Kathleen Howard seconded. Roll call: Jason Arnold, yes; Jennifer Timm, yes; Kathleen Howard, yes; Bruce Green, yes; DeLinda Youngblood, yes; and Kim Tate, yes. Motion carried all in favor.

Time noted 9:09 p.m.

Jennifer Timm, Board-President

Kim Tate, Board-Secretary/Treasurer