

MINUTES
REGULAR MEETING
OF THE BOARD

EASTERN GREENE SCHOOLS

August 11, 2025
6:30 pm

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The Regular Board Meeting will begin at 6:30 p.m.

An Executive Session will follow the Regular School Board Meeting. The public board meetings will be held in the Eastern Greene Schools' Board Room located in the Central Office.

Pursuant to Indiana Code 5-14-1.5-6.1 the Board of School Trustees will meet in Executive Session on the topics below as permitted by Indiana Code 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)...

We hereby certify that no subject matter was discussed in the Executive Session other than those specified above.

Sharon Abts _____

Mike Adams _____

Scott Carmichael _____

Dennis Crowe _____

Natalie Crowe _____

Heather Hudson _____

Kim Waldrige _____

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

OPENING PRAYER

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting is called to order at 6:32 p.m. by Board President, Scott Carmichael

ROLL CALL:

Mr. Scott Carmichael, President	<u> X </u>
Ms. Kimberly Waldrige, Vice President	<u> X </u>
Ms. Sharon Abts, Secretary	<u> X </u>
Mr. Mike Adams, Board Member	<u> X </u>
Ms. Natalie Crowe, Board Member	<u> X </u>
Ms. Heather Hudson, Board Member	<u> X </u>
Mr. Dennis Crowe, Board Member	<u> X </u>

OFFICIAL GUESTS

Mr. Doug Lewis, Superintendent	<u> X </u>
Ms. Treva Lukens, Treasurer	<u> X </u>
Mr. Eric Kirkendall, HS Principal	<u> X </u>
Mr. Ken Howard, HS Asst. Principal	<u> </u>
Ms. Allison Clary, MS Principal	<u> X </u>
Mrs. Sandi Yoho, MS Dean of Students	<u> </u>
Mrs. Kara Quimby, ELM Principal	<u> X </u>
Dr. Gretchen Morgan, ELM Asst. Principal	<u> </u>
Ms. Lindsey Bailey, Director of Spec Ed	<u> </u>
Mr. Michael Coy, Chief of Police	<u> </u>

STUDENT OF THE MONTH

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS

I-Learn presentation.

8-11-5436 **PARTICIPATION AT SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS**

The Board recognizes the value of public comment on educational issues and the importance of allowing members of the public to express concerns.

To permit fair and orderly public expression, the Board will provide a period for public comments at regular public meetings of the Board.

The presiding officer of each Board meeting at which public participation is permitted shall administer the procedures of the Board for its conduct.

Comments will be limited to 3-5 minutes. The Board reserves the right to set an overall time limit for public comment.

The presiding officer shall be guided by the following rules:

- A. Public participation shall only be allowed during the time of public comments.
- B. Participants must be recognized by the presiding officer and must preface their comments by an announcement of their name, address, or group affiliation.
- C. All statements shall be directed to the presiding officer; no person may address or question Board members individually.
- D. The Board likely will not be able to specifically answer questions at the meeting but someone will promptly get back to you. For clarity purposes, they may ask you to place your inquiry in an email.
- E. The presiding officer shall:
 - a. Interrupt, warn or terminate a person's statement when the statement is a complaint against any employee, or is too lengthy, personally directed, abusive, obscene, or irrelevant.
 - b. Request any individual to leave the meeting when that person does not observe reasonable decorum;
 - c. Request the assistance of law enforcement officers in the removal of a disorderly person when that person's conduct interferes with the orderly progress of the meeting;
 - d. Call for a recess or an adjournment to another time when the lack of public decorum so interferes with the orderly conduct of the meeting as to warrant such action;
 - e. Waive these rules with the approval of the Board when necessary for the protection of privacy, rights of any Board member or employee, or the administration of the Board's business.
- F. A Board meeting is a meeting in public, not a public meeting.

8-11-5437 **ADOPTION OF AGENDA**

It is recommended that the agenda for the August 11, 2025 meeting be approved as presented with additions, corrections, or deletions as recommended by the Board.

Motion by _____DC_____
Seconded by _____SA_____
For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5438 **APPROVAL OF MINUTES**

It is recommended that the minutes from the July 14, 2025 meeting be approved as presented.

Motion by _____DC_____
Seconded by _____KW_____
For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5439 **APPROVAL OF CLAIMS**

It is recommended that the claims, numbers 20577 through 20746 be approved as presented.

Motion by _____DC_____
Seconded by _____KW_____
For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

CORPORATION

8-11-5440 **Budget**

Recommend the approval to advertise the 2026 School Budget on Gateway.

Motion by DC
Seconded by HH
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5441 **Early Graduates**

Recommend to approve three (3) high school students for early graduation.

Motion by KW
Seconded by SA
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5442 **NEOLA**

A motion to approve the second reading of the NEOLA policies as presented.

Motion by MA
Seconded by NC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5443 **Custodial Changes**

A motion to increase custodial staff pay from \$15.40 per hour to \$17 per hour.
We are also reducing staff from 9 employees to 8 employees.

Motion by DC
Seconded by NC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5444 **Director of Corporation Services**

A motion to change the contract for Dawn Hostetter, Director of Corporation Services from a Teacher's Contract to an Admin Contract. The Admin Contract will be a 225 day contract with an annual salary of \$87,500.

Motion by KW
Seconded by DC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5445 **DC Trip**

A motion to approve the 8th Grade DC Trip on May 5 - 9, 2026.

Motion by MA
Seconded by DC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5446 **Disposal**

A motion to approve the disposal of the old light control panel box for the stage lighting in the elementary gym

Motion by SC
Seconded by NC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5447 **Indiana School Board Conference**

A motion to approve registration for school board members to attend the Indiana School Board Conference on September 15 & 16, 2025.

Motion by MA
Seconded by KW
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5448 **Memorandum of Understanding**

A motion to approve a Memorandum of Understanding between Greene-Sullivan and Eastern Greene Schools. This MOU is for the provision of physical therapy services for eligible students during the 2025/26 school year.

Motion by _____SA_____
Seconded by _____HH_____
For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

PERSONNEL

8-11-5449 **Resignation**

Motion to approve resignation of Levi Sciscoe has full-time custodian effective 8/8/2025.

Motion by _____SA_____
Seconded by _____MA_____
For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5450 **Resignation**

Motion to approve resignation of Julianne Creeden as an Early Learning Lead Teacher effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by _____DC_____
Seconded by _____HH_____
For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5451 **Resignation**

Motion to approve resignation of Mari Stanger as School Psychologist effective July 30, 2025.

Motion by ____DC____

Seconded by ____NC____

For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5452 **Resignation**

Motion to approve resignation of Jordan Webb as the Middle School PE teacher effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by ____NC____

Seconded by ____DC____

For ____7____ Against ____7____ Abstain ____7____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5453 **Resignation**

A motion to approve resignation of Torie Stebbins as Elementary 4th grade Teacher. She will continue employment with us until replacement is placed.

Motion by ____DC____

Seconded by ____NC____

For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5454 **Resignation**

A motion to approve resignation of Rhonda McNerney as Elementary Instructional Assistant effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by ___NC_____

Seconded by ___KW_____

For ___7_____ Against ___0_____ Abstain ___0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5455 **Resignation**

A motion to approve resignation of Kelsey Carmichael as Elementary Computer Facilitator effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by ___HH_____

Seconded by ___NC_____

For ___7_____ Against ___0_____ Abstain ___0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5456 **Resignation**

A motion to approve resignation of Tommy Bell as the Girls Softball Coach for the 2025/26 season.

Motion by ___DC_____

Seconded by ___NC_____

For ___7_____ Against ___0_____ Abstain ___0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5457 **Middle School Teacher**

A motion to hire Tim Moser as the Middle School 7th grade teacher effective immediately. This is a one year contract.

Motion by ___NC_____

Seconded by ___DC_____

For ___7_____ Against ___0_____ Abstain ___0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5458 **Middle School Facilitator**

A motion to hire Adrian Eads as the Middle School classroom Facilitator position effective immediately.

Motion by NC
Seconded by HH
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5459 **HS JAG Specialist**

A motion to hire Kendall Reid as the High School JAG Specialist position effective immediately.

Motion by MA
Seconded by NC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5460 **Elementary Computer Facilitator**

A motion to approve the hiring of Will Lewis as Elementary Computer Facilitator effective August 5, 2025.

Motion by NC
Seconded by DC
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5461 **ELC Instructional Assistant**

A motion to approve the hiring of Chelsea Pate as an Early Learning Center Instructional Assistant effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by DC
Seconded by SA
For 7 Against 0 Abstain 0

Passed – Failed

8-11-5462 **Kid Zone Assistant**

A motion to approve the hiring of Addi Hayworth as an Kid Zone Assistant effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by _____DC_____

Seconded by _____KW_____

For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5463 **Kid Zone Assistant**

A motion to approve the hiring of Catalina Baker as an Kid Zone Assistant effective August 1, 2025.

Motion by _____KW_____

Seconded by _____DC_____

For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5464 **Mentors**

A motion to approve the following mentorships at the High School and Middle School:

Mentor for Auston Matricardi: Jennifer Shively

Mentor for Alex Trippel: Rich Tarr

Mentor for Maecie Boles: Mary Ragan

Mentor for Tim Mosier: Alex Clary

Mentor for Jaelynn Yoho: Deana Priddy

Kayla Roub: Dacia Campbell

Motion by _____NC_____

Seconded by _____MA_____

For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5465 **Middle School Team Leads**

Motion to approve the following Team Lead positions in the Middle School:

5th-Whitney Russell
6th- Alex Clary
7th- Amy Goodwin
8th-Haley Bowersock
Special ed- Karen White

Motion by _____SA_____

Seconded by _____DC_____

For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5466 **High School Team Leads**

Motion to approve the following Team Lead/Chair positions in the High School:

HS Fine Arts Department Chair- Rob Drummond
HS Language Arts Department Chair- Jennifer Shively
HS Math Department Chair- Sara Zhang
HS Science Department Chair- Andy Hutcherson
HS Social Studies Department Chair- Dylan Abell
HS Special Education Department Chair- Mary Ragan
HS Foreign Language Department Chair- Michelle Hays
HS CTE/Vocational Department Chair- Jill Bohnert

Motion by _____SA_____

Seconded by _____DC_____

For ____7____ Against ____0____ Abstain ____0____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5467 **High School Clubs/ECA Sponsors**

Motion to approve the following High School Club/ECA sponsorship positions in the High School for the 2025-2026 school year:

FFA- Hannah Martin
FCCLA- Kelly Provo

NHS- Irene Burch
HS Esports- Alexander Trippel tentatively? Will confirm.
Student Council- Kaitlynn Morgan
HS Art Club- Daniel Zapata
HS Academic Bowl- Clinton Burch
Pep Band- Kirsten Ogle
HS Choir and Orchestra Director- Rob Drummond
HS Yearbook Advisor- Teresa Bartlett
HS Marching Band- Kirsten Ogle

Senior Sponsor- Jennifer Shively

Motion by _____SA_____

Seconded by _____MA_____

For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5468 **Middle School Football**

Motion to approve Garrett Hickman as Middle School Football Volunteer Assistant Coach.

Motion by _____DC_____

Seconded by _____NC_____

For _____7_____ Against _____0_____ Abstain _____0_____

Passed – Failed

DONATIONS

8-11-5469 Motion to approve the following donations:

- \$2,058.39- EG Football Booster Club to Eastern Greene Athletic for purchase of football practise equipment and apparel for coaching staff
- \$2000.00- Kolen Union Church to Eastern Greene Schools

Motion by _____ DC _____
Seconded by _____ NC _____
For 7 _____ Against 0 _____ Abstain 0 _____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5470 **LATE ITEMS**

Resignation

A motion to approve resignation of CJ Shelton as the Boys Baseball Coach for the 2025/26 season.

Motion by _____ DC _____
Seconded by _____ MA _____
For 7 _____ Against 0 _____ Abstain 0 _____

Passed – Failed

8-11-5471 **DISCUSSION/INFORMATION ITEMS**

8-11-5472 **ADJOURNMENT**

It is recommended that the meeting be adjourned at 7:49 pm.

Motion by _____ DC _____
Seconded by _____ NC _____
For 7 _____ Against 0 _____ Abstain 0 _____

Passed – Failed

