

**Clark County R-1 School Board
Regular Meeting - Open Session
September 11, 2025**

The Clark County R-1 School Board met in regular session on September 11, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. in Central Office located at 427 West Chestnut, Kahoka, Missouri. Kevin Ross, Board President, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Members Present: Doug James, Kevin Ross, Mark Plenge, Broderick Bush, Dr. Deana Ball, Erick Arnold, and Dr. Heather Webster

Administration Present: Betsy Parrish, Amber Hall, Lyndel Whittle, Lance Smith, Dennis Dent, Olivia Nixon, Megan Alderton, and Ethan Allen

Guests: Rob Schutte, Eric Rodgers, Becca Green, Mark Huffman, Kayla Jensen, Faith Calvin, Kayla Bryant, Kay Sprague, Teri Hooper, Emma Pitford, and Jessica Pitford.

OPAA! presented their monthly board report.

Mark Plenge entered the meeting.

I. The following Consent Agenda was discussed:

1. Approve Agenda
2. Approve Prior Meeting Minutes
 - a. August 7th, 2025
3. Approve Financial Reports as presented by Superintendent
4. Program, committee, informational reports, and other business
 - a. ADA
 - b. Graduation Date (May 17, 2026)
 - c. Approve Launch Partner Agreement

A motion was made by Erick Arnold and seconded by Dr. Heather Webster to approve consent agenda.

Aye: 7

Nay: 0

- II. Forum - to address the Board if properly requested to appear before the Board following progression through the chain of command and as per policy or at the request of the Board.

5. Staff and/or Program Reports:

- a. Administrator Reports
- b. HS Library Report
- c. IPLC Transfer Process
 - i. Mrs. Nixon put together a procedure for students transitioning out of Indian Pride Learning Center.
- d. CSIP Update
 - i. Mr. Whittle provided the board with a CSIP update.

6. Patrons and/or Others:

- a. Student Event Presentation Request

Emma Pitford gave a presentation about stage four cancer awareness and a light up the scoreboard activity that is happening in October.

7. Old Business

- a. Project Updates

Eric Rodgers provided the board with an update about projects happening around the district, including the boiler project at Black Hawk. A change order from Seither & Cherry has been received. Other project updates included the cooler installation at Black Hawk and a tube at the maintenance building.

A motion was made by Dr. Heather Webster and seconded by Dr. Deana Ball to approve the change order from Seither & Cherry for the Black Hawk boiler.

Aye: 7

Nay: 0

Mark Hoffman expressed his interest in purchasing property across from the Middle School.

8. New Business

a. Facilities Needs Review

Eric Rodgers explained some facilities improvements that are needed around the district.

The board was in recess from 7:18 p.m to 7:34 p.m.

b. Technology Upgrades Update

Mr. Whittle updated the board about technology upgrades that have taken place around the district and some potential additions in the future.

c. Bidding Procedures

If the expected price of a project exceeds \$20,000, the board expects sealed bids.

d. Conference Expansion

A soft offer was made to North Calloway to join our conference to replace Brookfield.

e. Ball Filed - City Request for Assistance

The board discussed the city's request to help with a project at the softball field.

f. New Co-Curricular Positions

A motion was made by Mark Plenge and seconded by Dr. Heather Webster to approve the addition of a Middle School FCA and a High School FTA stipend.

Aye: 7

Nay:0

Mr. Whittle expressed the need to add a position for a communications and Infinite Campus coordinator in the future.

9. Set date and time for October Board Meeting

The next board meeting will be October 9, 2025 at 6:00 p.m.

A motion was made by Mark Plenge and seconded by Dr. Heather Webster to enter into closed session.

Aye: 7

Nay: 0

A motion was made by Broderick Bush and seconded by Doug James to adjourn the meeting.

Aye: 7

Nay: 0

Kevin Ross, Board President

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