

	PRESENT	ABSENT
JANE NELSON Presiding Chairman	x	
JAMES BERNT Vice Chairman	x	
TODD BOETTCHER Treasurer	x	
TANNER BLACK Secretary	x	
MARCUS ALFORD Member	x	
SKYE HIGGINS Member		x
ROBBY THOMPSON Superintendent	x	

The Board of Education of School District 08-0051 met in Regular Session on Monday, September 14, 2026. The roll was called by Nelson at 7:00 P.M. with members Alford, Bernt, Black, Boettcher, and Nelson present. Higgins Absent. This meeting is being conducted in compliance with the NE Open Meetings Law 87.107 to 84.114. A copy of this law is posted in the meeting room.

Alford moved, "That the agenda for this meeting, all items of which were placed on it at least 24 hours prior to the meeting time, as provided by statute, be accepted as presented," seconded by Black. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

Boettcher moved, "To excuse Skye Higgins from the Boyd County Board Meeting," seconded by Alford. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

Boettcher moved, "To approve the minutes of the previous Regular Board Meeting and Special Workshop Meeting," seconded by Bernt. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

Alford moved, "To approve the financial reports (Activity Fund, Hot Lunch Fund, Financial Summary CDs, ICS, Depreciation Fund, Revenue Summary Sheet, QCPUF, Special Building, Employee Benefit, and CICF) of the Boyd County School district 08-0051," seconded by Boettcher. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

Boettcher moved, "To approve the bills, claims and transfers as presented for Boyd County School District 08-0051 on the General Fund, Activities Fund, and School Lunch Fund," seconded by Alford. RCV. Yeas-3. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Abstained-2-Bernt-Black. Carried 3-0-2.

Mrs. McBride, Pre-K-4th grade Principal, reported on: Nebraska Reading Improvement Act and new DIBELS testing, MAP Testing, District Safety/Crisis Team Updates, Community Connections, Rule 11 Visit, District MTSS Updates.

Mr. Witt, 5-12th grade Principal, reported on: MAP Testing, 2026 Boyd County Homecoming, Spartans STRIVE, 25-26 State Assessment Results, and 26-27 Enrollment Numbers (As of September 11th).

Mr. Thompson, Boyd County School Superintendent, reported on: Football Field Updates: Scoreboard not working, Transportation Updates: Waiting on new small bus, Kearney for transportation meeting, Calendar Updates: 12:45pm dismissal for October 16th, Resignation for Tiffany Zeisler for Assistant GBB, Hired Candice Alford as Assistant GBB coach, Working on getting a new bus driver, and Volleyball on Thursday, September 17th is cancelled.

Discussion for facility usage got tabled until the next board meeting.

Discussed the 2026-2027 Budget- update on the changes finalized and published, no motion needed.

Alford moved, "To approve the purchase of a 2017 Thomas Bus for \$15,000 based on pictures, maintenance reports, and Mr. Thompson's discretion," seconded by Black. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

Alford moved, "To approve the following architect firms CMBA, Carlson West Povondra, Wilkins Architecture, Clark and Enersen, and DLR to present at a special board meeting being held on Wednesday, October 21st at 2:00pm." seconded by Boettcher. RCV. Yeas-5. Nays-0. Absent-1-Higgins. Carried 5-0.

The meeting was adjourned at 8:20 P.M. by Chairperson Nelson.

The agenda shall be available during normal business hours on the first Monday of the month. A Special Board Meeting: Budget Hearing and Tax Asking will be held on Wednesday, September 16, 2026 at 7:00 P.M. in Spencer. The next regular meeting will be held at 7:00 P.M., October 12, 2026. The meeting will be held at Spencer facility.

Secretary,

Tanner Black