

MARCH 11, 2026 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Stanton School District Board of Directors met at 5:30 PM on Wednesday, March 11, 2026, in the STEM Room for a regular session. President Cameron Lewellen called the meeting to order with Directors Cameron Lewellen, John McDonald, Ryan Hart, Jackie Hoyt, and Zach Ward present. Additional attendees present were Superintendent David Gute, Principal Katie Elwood, Assistant Principal Jerry Hartman, and School Business Official Stephanie Burke.

PUBLIC PRESENTERS

There were none.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Lewellen to approve the agenda, second by McDonald. All in favor. Motion passed.

CONSENT AGENDA

Motion by Ward, second by Hart to approve consent agenda of past minutes, bills, financial reports and personnel. All in favor. Motion passed.

Under personnel, the Board approved the hiring of Amanda Hall as Van Route Driver and Paraeducator effective immediately. The Board approved the following resignations; Katie Elwood as PK-12 Principal effective at the end of 25-26 contract, Kris Moeller as Teacher effective at end of the 25-26 school year, and Morgan Peterson as Teacher at the end of 25-26 school year.

SUPERINTENDENT UPDATE

Superintendent Gute gave a construction update. He shared quotes from Lift Solutions to repair the school's lift. He also shared that three food service companies attended the pre-proposal food service meeting.

PRINCIPAL UPDATE

An update by Principal Elwood was distributed. She reported on PTSO, Booster Club and student activities. Fundraisers approved were Wyhe's Cookie Dough for Girls Track, March Mayhem for 9th-12th grade classes.

NEW BUSINESS

Motion by McDonald, second by Hoyt to approve AEA Purchasing Agreement for 2026-2027. All in favor. Motion passed.

Motion by Hart, second by Ward to approve MOU with Green Hills AEA. All in favor. Motion passed.

Principal Elwood presented quotes for 6th-8th grade math curriculum for 2026-2027. Quotes received were from Amplify and McGraw Hill. The middle school teachers have reviewed the curriculum packages and are requesting one year to ensure that the curriculum meets the needs before paying for multiple years.

Motion by Ward, second by McDonald to purchase the curriculum from Amplify in the amount of \$8,856. All in favor. Motion passed.

Motion by Ward, second by McDonald to appoint Ryan Hart to the Montgomery County Conference Board for the remainder of the year. All in favor. Motion passed.

Motion by McDonald, second by Hart to approve the FFA Partnership Agreement. All in favor. Motion passed.

ADJOURNMENT

President Lewellen adjourned the meeting at 6:15 p.m. The next regular meeting for the Board is scheduled for April 8, 2026, immediately following the Budget Public Hearing at 5:30 p.m. in the STEM Room.

Cameron Lewellen, President

Stephanie Burke, School Business Official & Board Secretary