

**Minutes-Tipton R-VI School District
Board of Education Meeting
Central Office Board Room
334 US Hwy. 50 West, Tipton, MO 65081**

Regular Meeting June 10, 2026, 6:00 PM

<u>Board Members</u> President: Brant Uptergrove Vice President: Derek Tuttle Bo Helms Shelley Higgins Amanda Pettigrew: Absent David Tuttle Bob Wolf Secretary: Amy Stover Superintendent: Dr. Harriet Wolfe	<u>Visitors:</u> Nathan Bestgen Bridget Bestgen Roxann Whitworth Ashlee Pettigrew Tara Alumbaugh Sarah Hansen Bronc Woodruff Scott Simon
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Brant Uptergrove called the regular meeting to order, followed by the pledge of allegiance at 6 PM.

Approval of Agenda

Motion by Bo Helms, seconded by Shelley Higgins, to approve the agenda as presented.

***Vote:** Yes 6 No: 0

Motion by Derek Tuttle, seconded by Bob Wolf, to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

Derek Tuttle abstained from check #52432.

David Tuttle abstained from check # 52432.

Brant Uptergrove abstained from check #s 52450 and 52384.

The consent agenda contained the following

- a. Approval of regular minutes from May 5, 2026, and special meeting on May 28, 2026
- b. Approval of bills
- c. Approval of Lunch Prices for the 26-27 School Year
- d. Approval of the mileage reimbursement rate is set to .65 cents per mile

***Vote:** Yes 6 No 0

Administrator Reports

Dr. Harriet Worf, Mrs. Ashlee Pettigrew, Mr. Jason Culpepper, Mrs. Bridget Bestgen, and Dr. Sarah Hansen highlighted notable areas and updated current events on their reports and answered questions that the board had.

New Business

Motion by Bo Helms to approve the special learning center contract for the 26-27 school year, seconded by Bob Wolf.

***Vote:** Yes 6 No 0

Motion by Bo Helms to approve the final budget for 2025-2026, seconded by Derek Tuttle.

***Discussion:** Dr. Wolfe explained the final additions to the 2025-2026 budget.

***Vote:** Yes 6 No 0

Motion by Bo Helms to approve the preliminary budget for 2026-2027, seconded by Bob Wolf.

***Discussion:** Dr. Wolf presented the proposed budget for 2026-2027. At this time it is balanced.

***Vote:** Yes 6 No 0

Motion by Bo Helms to approve the faculty and staff handbook, middle school/high school handbook, elementary handbook, seconded by Bob Wolf.

***Discussion:** It was suggested that changes for next year would be highlighted in yellow.

***Vote:** Yes 6 No 0

Derek Tuttle moved to adjourn to executive session pursuant to section **610.0211(1,3,13)** with the inclusion of Nathan Bestgen, and Dr. Sarah Hansen,, seconded by David Tuttle.

Roll call vote: 6-0 Unanimous at 6:24 PM.

- Robert Helms: [**Yes** / No / Absent]
- Shelley Higgins: [**Yes** / No / Absent]
- Amanda Pettigrew: [Yes / No / **Absent**]
- David Tuttle: [**Yes** / No / Absent]
- Derek Tuttle: [**Yes** / No / Absent]
- Brant Uptergrove: [**Yes** / No / Absent]
- Bob Wolf: [**Yes** / No / Absent]

Motion carried Yes

- a. **Executive Session:** The Board of Education will meet in the closed session immediately following the regular meeting in compliance with 610.021, RSMo for the following purposes highlighted in **bold print**.

610.021 (1) RSMo Legal actions involving the district, attorney communications

610.021 (2) RSMo Leasing, purchase or sale of real estate

610.021 (3) RSMo Hiring, terminating, disciplining or promoting

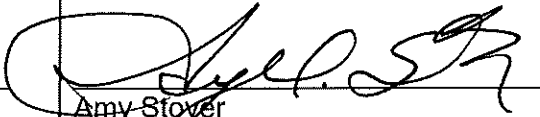
610.021 (6) RSMo Actions or records relating to students

610.021 (9) RSMo Preparations for negotiations with employee groups

610.021 (11) (12) Bids specifications, sealed bids

610.021 (13) RSMo Personnel records, evaluations, applications

610.021 (17) RSMo Confidential or privileged communications with auditor

 Brant Uptergrove President	 Amy Stoyer School Board Secretary 8-12-26
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