

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

Regular Meeting, September 10, 2025, 6:00 PM

Board Members: Bo Helms-President Derek Tuttle-Vice President Craig Wolf David Tuttle Brant Uptergrove Kelly Kohler-Absent Amanda Pettigrew Amy Stover-Board Secretary	Visitors: Ashlee Pettigrew Jason Culpepper Bridget Bestgen Steve Carvajal Sarah Hansen Roxanne Whitworth Tara Alumbaugh Shannon Bates Bronc Woodruff	Nancy Rogers John Downs
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Prior to the regular meeting: *Correspondence to the Board: Thank you letters and cards
Bo Helms called the regular meeting to order, followed by the pledge of allegiance.

Craig Wolf made a motion to approve the agenda, seconded by Derek Tuttle, 6-0 motion carried.

Amanda Pettigrew made a motion to approve the consent agenda, seconded by Craig Wolf, 6-0 motion carried.

Brant Uptergrove abstained from checks # 51278 and 51398. The consent agenda contained the following.

Consent Agenda

- a. Approval of regular minutes from August 13, 2025
- b. Approval of bills
- c. Approval of FBLA fundraiser

Presentation

Nancy Rogers with UCM presented the elementary and middle schools with recognition for their work with PBIS.

Tipton Middle School earned the silver award, and the elementary school earned the gold level distinction.

Shannon Bates: Maintenance Director-Introduction to the Board of Education

Superintendent's Report

Doctor Julie Dill presented information on the increase in student numbers and the general state of the district.

Administrator Reports

Mrs. Ashlee Pettigrew, Mr. Jason Culpepper, Mrs. Bridget Bestgen, Mr. Steve Carvajal, and Dr. Sarah Hansen were available to address the board and answer questions regarding their reports.

New Business

John Downs with MSBA presented information to the board on the upcoming superintendent search.

Dr. Julie Dill presented the board with the updated MINT contract, adding a custodian position during the day.

Craig Wolf made a motion to accept the new MINT contract, seconded by Derek Tuttle, 6-0 motion carried.

Derek Tuttle moved to adjourn to executive session pursuant to section **610.021(1,2,3,13)** with the inclusion of **Sarah Hansen**, seconded by David Tuttle. Roll call vote: Unanimous at 7:37 PM.

- 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



Bo Helms
President



Amy Stover, Secretary
Date Approved: 10-15-25