

WEST LAFAYETTE COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORPORATION MEETING MINUTES

MEETING INFORMATION			
MEETING TYPE	Regular Meeting of the Board of School Trustees		
RELEVANT LINK	https://www.youtube.com/live/kTO9UwBvc48		
DATE	Monday, June 9, 2025		
LOCATION	Central Office 3061 Benton Street West Lafayette, Indiana		
PRESENT			
Mrs. Amy Austin <i>Board President</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mrs. Rachel Witt <i>Member</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mr. George Lyle <i>Board Secretary</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Yue Yin <i>Member</i> VIRTUAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mrs. Dacia Mumford <i>Member</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Dr. Shawn Greiner <i>Superintendent</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Dr. David Purpura <i>Member</i> ABSENT	<input type="checkbox"/>	Mrs. Michelle Cronk <i>Chief Financial Officer</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Mr. Laurence Wang <i>Board Vice President</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Mrs. Anna Roth <i>Assistant Superintendent</i>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Note: Roll call votes were taken during this meeting			

President Austin called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

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I. SPECIAL RECOGNITIONS AND HIGHLIGHTS	
TITLE	Honoring WLCSC Retirees
SUMMARY	<p>The following retirees were recognized for their years of service with the West Lafayette Community School Corporation. Representative Chris Campbell was present to acknowledge the retirees with plaques.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ★ Jana Leasure - 12 years ★ Kathryn "Beth" Scherrer - 13 years ★ Kathleen "Kathy" Wolf - 32 years

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	Congratulations to our retirees; we wish you all the best!
RELEVANT LINK(S)	N/A
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II. COMMUNICATION FROM THE AUDIENCE	
SPEAKER	Karl Janich
TOPIC *Indicated on sign-in form	Library Material Removal Procedure
TIME STAMP	20:35

III. CONSENT AGENDA	
ITEMS FOR CONSIDERATION	<p>Agenda for the June 9, 2025 Regular Meeting Approval of the April 14, 2025 Regular Board Meeting Minutes Approval of the May 12, 2025 Work Session Meeting Minutes Approval of the May 12, 2025 Regular Board Meeting Minutes Field Trips</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● WLHS Dance Team to Universal Dance Association Camp June 10-13, 2025 ● Football Team Camp to Manchester University June 16-18, 2025 ● Boys Soccer Team Camp to Purdue University Ft. Wayne July 7-10, 2025 ● Cross Country Team Camp to Chesterton, IN July 14-16, 2025 ● AP U.S. Government & Politics to Washington, D.C. Fall/Winter 2025 (TBD) <p>2025-2026 WVEC Agreement 2025-2026 School Board of Trustees Meeting Calendar</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The August Board meeting will take place on the first Monday to ensure any final staffing recommendations are approved prior to the first day of school. <p>Personnel Report Accounts Payable</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Mrs. Cronk also included approval for a payment outside of the claims docket, in July, for work completed on the tennis courts during the month of June.

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FINAL VOTE	6 of 6; The motion passed. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt and Yin; Absent: Purpura
RELEVANT LINK(S)	<p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/school-board-agenda/2025/3797-2025-06-09-agenda-regular-board-mtg/file</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-minutes/2025-1/3800-2025-04-14-regular-board-minutes-final-revised-draft</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-minutes/2025-1/3802-2025-05-12-work-session-minutes-draft</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-minutes/2025-1/3801-2025-05-12-regular-board-minutes-draft</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3825-field-trip-wlhs-dance-team-1</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3824-field-trip-football-2</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3822-field-trip-boys-soccer-3</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3823-field-trip-cross-country-1</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3821-field-trip-ap-u-s-government-politics</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3807-2025-2026-wvec-agreement-memo</p>

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	<p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3805-2025-2026-wvec-operating-agreement</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3806-2025-2026-board-meeting-calendar-draft</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3839-2025-06-09-personnel-report-1</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3830-object-breakdown-25</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3826-financial-report-funds-april-2025-1</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3827-financial-report-funds-may-2025</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3818-cash-flow-april-2025</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3820-credit-card-statement-due-may-1</p> <p>https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3819-claims-payment-approval-july</p>
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III. UNFINISHED BUSINESS	
TITLE	None

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SUMMARY	N/A
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	N/A
FINAL VOTE	N/A
RELEVANT LINK(S)	N/A
TIME STAMP	N/A

IV. NEW BUSINESS	
TITLE	WLCSC Strategic Planning 2025-2023
SUMMARY	A summary and detailed outline of the 2025-2030 Strategic Plan was presented by Mr. Adam Jones with SkyBound Education. Discussion followed with feedback from Board members. This was for information only with plans to adopt/vote the plan during the August 2025 Regular Board Meeting. The detailed document lists the WLCSC's Vision, Mission, Values/Commitments and Goals.
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	N/A
FINAL VOTE	N/A
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3832-west-lafayette-strategic-plan-summary https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3831-west-lafayette-strategic-plan-detailed
TIME STAMP	27:35
TITLE	WLJSHS English Department Novel Adoption
SUMMARY	A request was made by Mrs. Roth for the adoption of Novels for the JSHS English Department. This typically refers to the selection and implementation of a specific novel or novels for use in a curriculum, often for a particular course or program. This process involves a review and evaluation of multiple novels to determine which one(s) best fit the

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	<p>learning objectives and pedagogical approach of the course. The recommendation titles were selected by teachers after considering the input and feedback from families in an initial survey regarding preferences and other recommendations and after considering the review feedback from randomly chosen volunteer parent reviewers.</p> <p>The novels presented for approval were:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● World Literature - In the Time of Butterflies ● World Literature - American Born Chinese ● Women’s Literature - Be Ready When the Luck Happens: A Memoir
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	Motion by: Mrs. Witt Second by: Mr. Wang
FINAL VOTE	6 of 6; The motion passed. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt and Yin; Absent: Purpura
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3833-wljshs-english-department-novel-adoption
TIME STAMP	52:44
TITLE	Policy A125 - Nepotism, Conflict of Interest, Gifts and Use of Corporation Resources
SUMMARY	<p>This policy was discussed during the Ad Hoc Policy Committee on May 21, 2025 and presented for a 2nd reading. Proposed language was presented for a vote with this policy within paragraphs 6, 15 and 16.</p> <p>After Board discussion, it was decided to consult with legal counsel for additional clarification prior to voting on the policy.</p>
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	No motions were made.
FINAL VOTE	No votes were taken.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3809-a125-nepotism-conflict-of-interest-gifts-and-use-of-corporation-resources-13

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	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3808-a125-disclosure-statement
TIME STAMP	55:32
TITLE	Policy C475 - School Sponsored Publications and Productions
SUMMARY	This policy was discussed during the Ad Hoc Policy Committee on May 21, 2025 and is ready for a 2nd reading. This policy was presented as written without any modifications.
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	Motion by: Mr. Wang Second by: Mr. Lyle
FINAL VOTE	6 of 6; The motion passed. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt, Yin; Absent: Purpura
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3817-c475-school-sponsored-publications-and-productions-1
TIME STAMP	1:14:50
TITLE	Policy H200 - Relations with Special Interest Groups
SUMMARY	This policy was discussed during the Ad Hoc Policy Committee on May 21, 2025 and is ready for a 2nd reading. This policy was presented as written without any modifications.
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	Motion by: Mr. Lyle Second by: Mr. Wang
FINAL VOTE	6 of 6; The motion passed. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt, Yin; Absent: Purpura
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3828-h200-relations-with-special-interest-groups-1
TIME STAMP	1:16:45

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TITLE	Policy H250 - School Library Material Removal Request Procedure
SUMMARY	<p>This policy was discussed during the Ad Hoc Policy Committee on May 21, 2025 and is ready for a 2nd reading. Proposed language was presented for a vote with this policy.</p> <p>Following discussion, the Board voted on the updates in paragraph 6 (green text) and paragraphs 9 & 10 (green text). The policy, in its entirety, will return to legal counsel for further recommendation/clarification/direction involving parent(s) and student(s) committee participation before a final vote is taken.</p>
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	<p><u>Paragraph 6</u> Motion by: Mrs. Witt Second by: Mr. Lyle</p> <p><u>Paragraphs 9 & 10</u> Motion by: Mrs. Witt Second by: Mr. Wang</p>
FINAL VOTE	<p>6 of 6; The motion passed to approve the update in paragraph 6 as proposed by the Ad Hoc Policy Committee. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt and Yin; Absent: Purpura</p> <p>6 of 6; The motion passed to approve the updates in paragraphs 9 & 10 as proposed by the Ad Hoc Policy Committee. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt and Yin; Absent: Purpura</p>
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3829-h250-school-library-material-removal-request-procedure
TIME STAMP	1:17:34
TITLE	Policy A200 - Firearms, Weapons and Destructive Devices
SUMMARY	This Policy was presented for a 1st reading.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3810-a200-firearms-weapons-and-destructive-devices-10

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TITLE	Policy A225 - Reporting of Suspected Child Abuse and Neglect
SUMMARY	This Policy was presented for a 1st reading.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3811-a225-reporting-of-suspected-child-abuse-and-neglect-10
TIME STAMP	1:50:31
TITLE	Policy A285 - No Distracted Driving
SUMMARY	This Policy was presented for a 1st reading.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3812-a285-no-distracted-driving
TIME STAMP	1:50:36
TITLE	Policy B100 - Board Authority and Philosophy
SUMMARY	This Policy was presented for a 1st reading.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3813-b100-board-authority-and-philosophy-1
TIME STAMP	1:50:40
TITLE	Policy B125 - Duties of the School Board
SUMMARY	This Policy was presented for a 1st reading.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3814-b125-duties-of-the-school-board-2

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TITLE	Transfer Policy Discussion
SUMMARY	There has been a recent change in the law regarding transfer students. The question is, would the Board like to continue with the current practice, which is having an agreement with the Tippecanoe School Corporation (only), knowing we can no longer collect additional dollars from TSC, or would the Board like to open the district and define guidelines for this in the policy to maintain class sizes.
RELEVANT LINK(S)	https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3815-c125-legal-settlement-closed-district https://www.wl.k12.in.us/document-library/school-board-information/board-meeting-documents/2025-4/2025-06-09-regular-board-meeting/3816-c125-legal-settlement-open-district
TIME STAMP	1:55:52

V. SUPERINTENDENT AND CFO REPORTS	
DR. GREINER	<p><u>Graduation:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● I would like to commend our recent graduates. ● Another great graduation celebrating our 2025 Graduates. ● Thank you to all board members who were able to attend. ● Thank you to our counseling team, administrators, staff and parents for their organization and/or part in getting our seniors to graduation. ● We are very proud of our seniors. ● We are also grateful for the community support in educating our students leading this great celebration each year. <p><u>Summer Capital Improvements:</u> Tennis Courts-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Tennis Court Renovation is off to a great start. ● Contractors believe they are on schedule. ● We are having bi-weekly meetings with the construction manager to receive updates.

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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The plan is to be done by August 31st. <p>Track-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The Track Project is scheduled to begin June 12. ● The plan is to be done by July 31st. ● Bi-weekly meetings for updates are scheduled for this project as well. <p><u>Retirements:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Congratulations to our retirees Kathy Wolf, Beth Scherrer, and Jana Leasure. ● We appreciate their service to our students, families, schools and community. ● We wish them all many happy and healthy retirement years. <p><u>SRO Service Award:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Congratulations to School Resource Officer, Marcus Slifer. ● Marcus has been selected to receive the Exceptional Service Award for Region 4 of the Indiana School Resource Officer Association. ● He will be recognized at the 2025 Indiana School Safety Conference on June 19th. ● We are proud and appreciative of Marcus for his passionate contributions to our district.
MRS. CRONK	<p>Mrs. Cronk reported that the Objects Breakdown of the month's claims, included in the Board Packet, during the period of May 3 through June 4, 2025, totaled \$4,525,915.36. Two Fund Reports were also provided. The first one is the month-end final Fund Report for April 2025 after all revenue and expenses have been posted and the bank reconciled. A preliminary Fund Report for May 2025, which is still in the process of posting revenue and some expenses, was also included in the Board packet. Also included in the Board packet was the April 2025 Cash Flow Report.</p>
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VI. BOARD REPORTS	
MRS. AUSTIN <i>Redevelopment Commission and Board-Teacher</i>	Cason Park opened on May 22nd.

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<p><i>Discussion</i></p>	<p>Purdue Research Foundation is donating the land across from The Wellness Center for the Early Childhood Education Center which will be 10,000 square feet with the potential to expand up to 300 kids.</p>
<p>MR. LYLE <i>Legislative Liaison</i></p>	<p>The Legislative Session is over, but Federal Legislators are still debating a bill.</p> <p>The City Council voted and accepted the proposal for the SK Hynix rezoning project.</p>
<p>MRS. MUMFORD <i>Public Schools Foundation of Tippecanoe County (PSFTC)</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No report
<p>DR. PURPURA <i>Parks & Recreation</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No report (Dr Purpura was not present for the meeting)
<p>MR. WANG <i>Community Council</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● No report
<p>MRS. WITT <i>West Lafayette Schools Education Foundation (WLSEF)</i></p>	<p><u>WLSEF</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Class Reunions began with the Class of 1956 meeting over the weekend and seven more classes getting together between June and mid-October. ● The next issue of The Devil's Advocate Alumni Newsletter will be mailed in July. ● Assistance will be provided with school supplies and donations will be collected during the month of July. Boxes will be placed at the entrance of the JSHS and the West Lafayette Public Library. ● The Backpack Program is continuing over the summer thanks to our off-duty school resource officers who are making the deliveries. Currently there are 14 families receiving this donation. ● The next meeting will be held on June 12, 2025. <p><u>ISBA</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● The quarterly meeting was held on Friday of the Board. ● Region IV Awards Committee: Mr. Wang applied and was accepted as the Region IV representative. Congratulations to Mr. Wang. ● ISBA provides professional development for Board members who are encouraged to participate. ● Early bird registration for the ISBA/IAPSS Fall Conference will open on June 23.

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	<p>The new Public Access Counselor, Jennifer Ruby, has not been responsive to any inquiries for all of 2025 as of yet. The Governor indicated she is working on a back-log.</p> <p>There are 44 new education laws, and the ISBA Legislative Action Report is available providing a recap and impact of the 44 new laws.</p> <p>Indiana Public Schools were recently ranked 6th in the nation.</p> <p>On June 23 at 10 a.m. there is an opportunity for a virtual live chat with the ISBA to discuss the A to F grading system.</p> <p>An article was shared with Board members about the difference between public, private and charter schools.</p>
DR. YIN G.L.A.S.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • No report
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VII. FUTURE MEETINGS	
WORK SESSION	Monday, August 4, 2025 at 5 p.m. (if needed)
REGULAR MEETING	Monday, August 4, 2025 at 6 p.m.

VIII. UPCOMING DATES OF INTEREST	
Professional Day <i>(Staff Only)</i>	Tuesday, August 5, 2025
School Year Begins <i>(First Day for Students)</i>	Wednesday, August 6, 2025

IX. INFORMATION FOR THE PUBLIC	
<p>Board documents will be posted on the WLCSC website as early as Friday afternoon and no later than noon on the Monday prior to the Board meeting.</p> <p>Video, audio and written transcript will be posted within 7-10 days following the Board meeting.</p>	

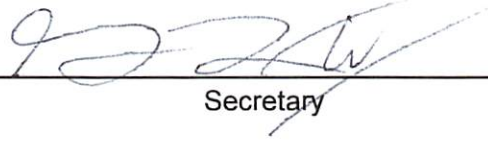
X. ADJOURNMENT

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TIME	The meeting was adjourned at 8:35 p.m.
NON-DISPOSITIVE VOTE(S)	Motion by: Mr. Wang Second by: Mr. Lyle
FINAL VOTE	6 of 6; The motion passed. Yes: Austin, Lyle, Mumford, Wang, Witt and Yin; Absent: Purpura
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President



Secretary

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