AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
AUGUST 10, 2026 @ 5:30 PM
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

RUSSELL COUNTY USD 407
BOARD OF EDUCATION
400 N ELM ST | RUSSELL, KS 67665
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Mission: *USD 407 empowers students to become well-rounded citizens by providing high-quality instruction and creating positive relationships to promote growth today, tomorrow, and into the future.*

Goal A: *Culture and Climate - USD 407 will foster relationships with stakeholders and establish partnerships to create a unified and a positive learning environment for students and staff.*

Goal B: *College and Career Preparation - USD 407 will establish partnerships with the community, improve Career and Technical Education (CTE) and maintain high expectations to ensure students become successful adults who contribute to their communities.*

Goal C: *Facilities - To provide updated and safe facilities to meet the educational needs of students.*

Goal D: *Recruit, Retain, and Recognize Staff - Continue to cultivate the positive culture of USD 407 to support the recruitment and retention of highly qualified staff.*

Goal E: *Student Achievement - USD 407 will ensure all students achieve academic success and are prepared for college, career, and life by improving learning outcomes, closing achievement gaps, and fostering student engagement.*

59-020 **CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

59-021 **BOARD FORUM**

59-022 **CONSENT AGENDA**

A. Approval of Agenda

B. Approval of Minutes

1. July 13, 2026 - Regular Meeting
2. August 3, 2026 - Special Meeting

C. Examination and Payment of Bills

1. Activity Accounts
2. Bank Reconciliation
3. Budget Report
4. Cash Flow Report
5. Check Journal
6. Expenditure Report
7. Petty Cash Accounts
8. Russell County Area Community Foundation Accounts

D. Grants and Donations

1. Russell Junior-Senior High School
   a. $250 - Russell Resident for RSHS Football Team
   b. $250 - Jerald Jacobe for RSHS Football Team
   c. $600 - Osborne Family for RSHS Football Team
   d. $291.74 - Booster Club Reimbursement for RSHS Baseball State Meals

e. $300 - Booster Club Reimbursement for RSHS Track State Meals
f. $87.69 - Booster Club Reimbursement for State RSHS Golf Meals

2. Russell County USD 407
   a. $5,000 - COPS Grant
   b. $585,000 - After School Learning Center Formula Award (5-year cycle)

59-023 STAFF AND STUDENT RECOGNITION

59-024 CURRICULUM CORNER

59-025 DISCUSSION ITEMS

A. Needs Assessment
B. RSHS - Flag Football
C. SES - Playground Equipment
D. Grant Funds
E. Credit Card Agreement
F. 2026-2027 Budget Presentation
G. Track Resurfacing
H. Tuition Assistance - Reading Specialist
I. Calendar Committee 2027-2028
J. 10 Passenger Van
K. RRH Athletic Outreach Program Agreement 2026-2027

59-026 ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

A. President of the Board
B. Superintendent
C. Administrative Reports
D. Director of Teaching and Learning
E. Activities Director
F. Finance Director
G. Food Service Director
H. Maintenance Director
I. Technology Director
J. Transportation Director
K. Student Representative

59-027 BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS

A. Foundation Committee - Ron Wedel

59-028 STAFFING

- Executive Session: Non-elected Personnel Exception Under KOMA

A. Retirements
B. Resignations
C. New Contracts
D. New Work Agreements

	E. Contract Modifications **F. Terminations**
59-029	**ADJOURNMENT**