AGENDA
REGULAR MEETING
OCTOBER 12, 2026
DISTRICT ADMINISTRATION OFFICE

RUSSELL COUNTY USD 407
BOARD OF EDUCATION
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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.*

	MEETING AGENDA
59-040	**CALL TO ORDER & PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**
59-041	**BOARD FORUM**
59-042	**CONSENT AGENDA** **A. Approval of Agenda** **B. Approval of Minutes** 1. September 14, 2026 - Regular 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 County USD 407 a. $1,500 - Community for Classrooms for BES Science b. $750 - Community for Classrooms for SES Science

59-043 **STAFF AND STUDENT RECOGNITION**

59-044 **CURRICULUM CORNER**

59-045 **DISCUSSION ITEMS**

A. ATG Sports
B. City of Russell - Neighborhood Revitalization Plan
C. 10-Passenger Van
D. Enrollment Update
E. Disposal of Excess Property
F. Historical Places Registry
G. 2nd Grade - Potential Relocation
H. Capital Improvement Grant
I. Special Meeting - RFPs
J. KASB Convention Delegates
K. Grant Applications Update

59-046 **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

59-047 **BOARD COMMITTEE REPORTS**

A. Foundation Committee - Ron Wedel

59-048 **STUDENT MATTERS**

- Executive Session: For Matters Relating to Actions Adversely or Favorably Affecting a Student

59-049 **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

59-050 **ADJOURNMENT**