POCAHONTAS COUNTY SCHOOL
BOARD OF EDUCATION

Special Session

Thursday, November 19, 2026 at 4pm

In the Board Conference room at the Pocahontas Board Office, Buckeye, West Virginia

***Mission Statement**: Pocahontas County Schools strives to provide an engaging and supportive learning environment where every student is valued, empowered, and equipped to reach their full potential.*

Link for online broadcast: https://bit.ly/PCS_BOE_Live

Present: _____

Absent: _____

1. Call Meeting to Order.
2. Open with the Pledge of Allegiance.

3. Delegations (five-minute limit, unless permission is granted by the president). Those wishing to address a board meeting as a delegation must register a request to do so at least 15 minutes prior to the meeting and state what the issue is that the delegation wishes to address. There is a form provided for such registration and is located in the board conference room or location of the meeting prior to the board meeting. Delegations are limited to 5 minutes per individual, unless the board president extends the time limit.

4. Recognitions

A. Middle and High School Perfect Attendance

5. School Improvement Updates
   a. Student Representative: Introduction and Goal for Improving School Spirit and Attendance
   b. School Building Authority of West Virginia Update
   c. Funding Formula Update

6. Consent Agenda Items
   A. Approval of the agenda.
   B. Payment of Bills – Subject to additions, deletions, or other changes prior to the board meeting.
      a. Payment of Vendor Listing = **$229,092.48**
      b. Payment of P-cards = **$75,180.64**
      c. October 6, 2026, Employee Payroll = **$297,207.07**
      d. Extra Duty Pay for October 2026 = **$21,577.18**
      e. Budget Adjustments

   D. Budget Transfers and Supplements – Subject to Additions, deletions, or other changes prior to the Board meeting.

7. Personnel Matters: See the attached file.
   Discussion of Pocahontas County Schools personnel may involve an Executive Session as provided in W. Va. Code §6-9A-4(b)(2)(A) [personnel exception] and/or §6-9A-4(b)(6), [privacy exception]. The Board majority must vote to have an Executive Session (no action will be taken during the Executive Session).

8. Old Business:
   A. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revisions for PO 7540.03 Student Technology Acceptable Use and Safety: 2nd Reading
   B. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for 7540.04 Staff Technology Acceptable Use and Safety: 2nd Reading
   C. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 2370.01 Virtual Instruction: 2nd Reading

D. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 2111 Parent and Family Engagement: 2nd Reading
E. Discussion and Action: Replacement Policy (Neola Update) for PO 1520 Employment of Principals/Assistant Principals: 2nd Reading
F. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 0142.3 Orientation and Training: 2nd Reading
G. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 0142 Qualifications: 2nd Reading
H. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 2430.02 Participation in Etra-Curricular Activities: 2nd Reading
I. Discussion and Actions: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 1220 Employment of the Superintendent: 2nd Reading
J. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 0100 Definitions: 2nd Reading

9. New Business:
   A. Approval of Fundraiser's
   B. Approval of Field Trip Requests
   C. Approval of the additional Volunteer List, see attached.
   D. Approval of MOU with Susan Collins and Dr. Howard O'Cull Board Trainings
   E. Discussion and Action: 3-Hour Delay on December 14th for PLC/Training and 3-Hour Early Release on January 22 for PLC/Data Analysis and MTSS Planning
   F. Presentation and Discussion of Monthly Report: CSBO – Sarah Hamilton
   G. Presentation and Discussion of Monthly Attendance Report: Director Julie Dunlap.

H. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 5111.03 Children and Youth in Foster Care: 1st Reading
I. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 5111 Eligibility of Resident/Nonresident Students for Enrollment: 1st Reading
J. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 5113.01 Open Enrollment for Resident Students: 1st Reading
K. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 5131 Student Transfers – Interscholastic Athletics: 1st Reading
L. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy Revision for PO 6320 Purchases: 1st Reading
M. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy 7300 Disposition of Real Property: 1st Reading
N. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy 8400 School Safety: 1st Reading
O. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy 8410 School Safety and Crisis Intervention: 1st Reading
P. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy 8462 Student Abuse and Neglect: 1st Reading
Q. Discussion and Action: Proposed Policy 3130.01 Transfer: 1st Reading
R. Approval for non-public student to participate in baseball.
S. Approval for non-public student to participate in basketball.
T. Approval for Student to graduate early due to Compelling Circumstances Request.

10. Superintendent Updates
    A. Informational Update Bowles Rice – PO for Bowles Rice Services for the 26 –27 SY is open.
    B. Special Education/Behavioral Services Update
    C. General Information

11. Board Member Remarks

12. Adjournment: Special Meeting will be held on December 1, 2026, at the Pocahontas County Board of Education Conference room at 5pm.

    Next Regular Board of Education Meeting will be on December 1, 2026, at the Pocahontas County Board Office Conference room at 6:00 PM

Personnel Agenda

November 17, 2026

Professional Recommendations:

~~Director of Facilities, Transportation, and Ground Posting: 75798~~

~~Teacher of Science Green Bank Elementary Middle School Posting: 53516~~

~~Teacher of Special Education/ Multi-Categorical/Autism at Green Bank Elementary/Middle School Posting: 65913~~

~~Teacher of Special Education/ Multi-Categorical/Autism at Green Bank Elementary/Middle School Posting: 68150~~

~~Teacher of Science Pocahontas County High School Posting: 69278.~~

~~Teacher Alternative Education at Marlinton Middle School Posting: 71935~~

~~Long Term Alternative Substitute Teacher at Marlinton Middle School Posting: 72596~~

~~Teacher of CTE Dual Credit Health Science Instructor Posting: 75175~~

~~Teacher of Homebound Pocahontas County Schools Posting: 75449~~

~~Long-Term Substitute for CTE/Dual Credit Health at Pocahontas County High School Posting: 76365~~

Resignation:

Service Recommendations:

Noah Barkley as Bus Operator for the vacated bus route of Noah Pugh. Posting: 76366

~~Custodian IV at Pocahontas County High School Posting: 73143~~

~~Custodian III at Pocahontas County High School Posting: 72145~~

~~Long Tern Substitute Custodian at Pocahontas County High School. Posting: 74838~~

~~Sanitation Plant Operator/Truck Driver/Grounds Posting: 75229~~

Approval of the unpaid suspension of a service employee retroactive to October 20, 2026, for an indefinite period (Executive Session WV Code Personnel Exception (§6-9A-4(b)(2)(A))

Resignation:

Extra-Curricular Recommendations:

Cory Rexrode Head Basketball Coach (boy's) Green Bank Elementary/Middle School Posting: 69249
Whitney Warner Head Basketball Coach (Girl's) Green Bank Elementary/Middle School Posting: 69251
~~_____$1 Assistant Basketball Coach (girl's) Green Bank Elementary/Middle School Posting: 69253~~
~~_____Athletic Director Green Elementary/Middle/School for the 2026-2027 Athletic Season Posting: 70551~~
~~_____$1 Basketball Coach (boy's) Marlinton Middle School. Posting: 71936~~
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~~_____Teacher Mentor Posting: 71958~~
~~_____Teacher for 21st Century Grant (LBB) for Pocahontas County High School Posting: 71975~~
~~_____Substitute Teacher for Learning Beyond the Bell/ 21st Century Grant Posting:~~
~~_____$1 Assistant Cheerleading Coach at Pocahontas County High School Posting: 74202~~
~~_____$1 Assistant Baseball Coach at Pocahontas County High School Posting: 76105~~
~~_____$1 Assistant Basketball Coach (boy's) Green Bank School. Posting: 76367~~
~~_____ Substitute Teacher for 21st Century Grant (LBB) Posting: 71978~~
~~_____$1 Assistant Baseball Coach Pocahontas County High School Posting: 76105~~

Resignation:

Other Recommendations: (subject to additions and deletions prior to the board meeting)