

Kansas Community Unit School District #3
Special Board Meeting
May 21, 2025
Unit Office
7:01 p.m.

Members present:

Britta Baker, Gabriel Boedecker, JT Clore, Matt Ehlers, Gretchen Gough, Katie Knoll, and Ron Lee.

Others present:

Superintendent/Principal – Cindy Spencer, Asst. Principal – Tiffany Huisinga

Sign in sheet attached.

Public Comment:

No one was present to address the Board.

Board members chose a term of years of service:

Matt Ehlers – 4 years. Katie Knoll – 2 years. Gabriel Boedecker – 4 years. Gretchen Gough – 4 years. JT Clore – 4 years. Ron Lee – 2 years. Britta Baker – 2 years.

Board members select officers:

President – Matt Ehlers, Vice President – Gabriel Boedecker, Secretary – Britta Baker.

Motion by Ron Lee, second by Katie Knoll, to adjourn at 7:07 pm. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Ehlers, and Gough – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Kansas Community Unit School District #3
Regular Board Meeting
May 21, 2025
Unit Office
7:07 p.m.

Member present:

Britta Baker, Gabriel Boedecker, JT Clore, Matt Ehlers, Gretchen Gough, Katie Knoll, and Ron Lee.

Others present:

Superintendent/Principal – Cindy Spencer.

Sign in sheet attached.

Public Comment:

Jennifer Staley, Amanda Gough, Kacee Nicholson, Carlie Edgecomb, and John Grubb were present to address the Board.

Action Items:

Motion by JT Clore, second by Gretchen Gough, to approve the Consent Agenda. The Consent Agenda consists of the minutes of the April 16, 2025 Regular Board Meeting, financial reports, payment of the bills. Baker, Boedecker, Ehlers, Knoll, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Gretchen Gough, second by Matt Ehlers, to approve JT Clore as the board member to represent Kansas CUSD #3 on the EIASE Board. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Knoll, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Ron Lee, second by Katie Knoll, to approve the quote for the computer bundle from G and H Logic. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Ehlers, and Gough, – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by JT Clore, second by Gretchen Gough, to approve the FFA officer retreat. Baker, Boedecker, Ehlers, Knoll, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Britta Baker, second by JT Clore, to approve holding an amended budget hearing before the June 25 board meeting. Boedecker, Ehlers, Gough, Knoll, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Ron Lee, second by JT Clore, to move into closed session at 8:34 pm. Baker, Boedecker, Ehlers, Gough, and Knoll – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Return to open session at 10:20 pm

Action on Closed Session:

Motion by Matt Ehlers, second by Gretchen Gough, to approve hiring Jean Smitley as a Speech Pathologist for a maternity leave during the 2025-26 school year. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Knoll and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Matt Ehlers, second by Ron Lee, to approve hiring Morgan Moore as a speech pathologist for the summer school program. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Gough, and Knoll – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Matt Ehlers, second by Katie Knoll, to approve credit recovery for high school students during summer school. Baker, Boedecker, Clore, Gough, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Matt Ehlers, second by Ron Lee, to approve hiring John Grubb as a bus driver. Ehlers, Gough, Knoll, and Lee – yes. Baker, Boedecker, and Clore – no. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by JT Clore, second by Matt Ehlers, to approve the Kansas Education Association contract for 2025-2028. Baker, Boedecker, Gough, Knoll, and Lee – all yes. **Motion Carried.**

Motion by Gabriel Boedecker, second by JT Clore, to adjourn at 10:25 p.m. Baker, Ehlers, Gough, Knoll, and Lee - all yes. **Motion Carried.**

President _____

Secretary _____

