Southland C-9 Board Of Education
Regular Meeting Minutes
Thursday, June 12, 2025
7:00 p.m.

Board Members Present	Administrators Present	Board Administrator Assistant
Jody Baugus	Dr. Galloway – Via Phone	Dana Higgins
Bethany Evans	Mrs. Crafton - Absent	
Jason Cox - Absent	Mr. Nelson - Absent	
Zac Kemmett		
Brad Williams		
Lonnie Gibson, Jr.		
Jessica Talley - Absent		

Others Present: Maci Jones

I. PRELIMINARY BUSINESS

A. The regular June 12, 2025 meeting called to order by Board President, Jody Baugus at 7:00 p.m.

Roll Call Yeas: Zac Kemmett, Bethany Evans, Jody Baugus, Brad Williams, and Lonnie Gibson, Jr. Absent: Jessica Talley and Jason Cox. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

B. Motion by Lonnie Gibson, Jr. and seconded by Zac Kemmett to approve the agenda. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

C. Communications – Thank you card from Dana Blankenship

i. Welcome

II. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Motion by Lonnie Gibson, Jr. and seconded by Zac Kemmett to approve the May 8, 2025 board meeting minutes. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

B. Motion by Lonnie Gibson, Jr. and seconded by Zac Kemmett to approve the June bills as submitted. Check #'s 19780 – 19884, direct deposit #'s 1014091– 1014195 and ACH000008. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

III. Financial Report

A. May Monthly Leger - Reviewed

B May Receipts Journal - Reviewed

C. May Bank & Cash Reconciliation – Reviewed

IV. Old Business

A. Motion by Bethany Evans and seconded by Brad Williams to accept the Prop C letter. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent. (See Attached)

V. New Business

A. Adopt Amended Budget as Working Budget

i. Motion by Brad Williams and seconded by Zac Kemmett to approve/adopt the 2024-2025 budget revisions. Motion carried 5 for 2absent.

ii. Motion by Brad Williams and seconded by Lonnie Gibson, Jr. to accept/adopt the 2024-2025 ending budget as the beginning working budget for the 2025-2026 school year. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

B. Motion by Zac Kemmett and seconded by Bethany Evans to approve continuing student insurance services with Kid Guard for the 2025-2026 school year. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent. (See Attached)

C. Motion by Zac Kemmett and seconded by Brad Williams to amend the Southland Honor Graduate Program Requirements removing the highlighted section: 1. Students in the honor graduate program must maintain an overall grade point average of 3.0 with no semester grade lower than a C. Any student that has made no more than one D for a semester prior to August 2022 will be grandfathered in. However, beginning with the graduating class of 2027, honor students may have no grade lower than a B. Failure to maintain a 3.0 grade point average will result in probation period of one semester. Students not at the 3.0 grade point average after one semester will be removed from the honor graduate program. Students that fail any subject during any semester will be removed from the honor graduate program. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent. (See Attached)

D. Motion by Bethany Evans and seconded by Zac Kemmett to table the handbooks for 2025-2026 academic year until the August board meeting. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

E. Upcoming Board Meeting – July 10, 2025

VI. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

A. Superintendent – 2024-2025 Audit is scheduled for July 17, 2025

VII. CLOSED SESSION

No items to discuss in closed session

IX. Adjournment

A. Motion by Zac Kemmett and seconded by Brad Williams to adjourn. Motion carried 5 for 2 absent.

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President Secretary