TULPEHOCKEN AREA SCHOOL DISTRICT

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BOARD OF SCHOOL DIRECTORS

Voting Session Board Meeting

District Office Board Room

November 17, 2026

7:00 P.M.

AGENDA

Public Participation - Policy #006:
A member of the public present at a Board meeting may address the Board in accordance with law and Board policy and procedures.
Presentations by members of the public are limited to a maximum of five (5) minutes per person, unless extended by majority vote of the Board.

Recording of Meeting: Any recording of this meeting must be disclosed prior to the start of the meeting.

1.0 Call to Order/Pledge of Allegiance…….. President

Prayer …… Board Member

2.0 Roll Call ……. Recording Secretary

3.0 Approve the Acceptance of Minutes as listed below:

- 3.1 10/20/2026 Board Voting Session Meeting Minutes
- 3.2 11/03/2026 Board Work Session Meeting Minutes

4.0 Approve the following financial reports for October as listed below:

- 4.1 Treasurer's Report
- 4.2 Investment Report
- 4.3 Tax Collection Report
- 4.4 Monthly Account Status
- 4.5 General Fund Bills Payable
- 4.6 Cafeteria Report
- 4.7 Cafeteria Fund Bills Payable
- 4.8 Capital Reserve Fund Bills Payable
- 4.9 Special Revenue Accounts Payable
- 4.10 Budgetary Transfers
- 4.11 MS/HS Activity Bills Payable
- 4.12 Arbiter Pay Payable
- 4.13 Capital Projects Fund Bills Payable

5.0 Board Reports – no items

6.0 Citizen/Student Participation (Pertaining to Agenda items only)

7.0 Reports and Recommendations of the Superintendent …….Dr. Andrew Netznik

A. Central Office Goal Presentation

8.0 Notice and Communications…….. Secretary

9.0 Items for Board Action

9.0.1 Approve the following Board Action Items:

A. Approve the Sophomore Class trip to Washington D.C. as presented at the November 03, 2026, board meeting.

B. Approve the contract between Tulpehocken Area School District and Tulpehocken Township Police Department for Police Services, effective January 01, 2027.

C. Approve the elimination of the Graduation Project as a graduation requirement for students of the Tulpehocken Area School District, as presented to the board. Students will have the option to continue the Graduation Project for credit through the end of the 2027-2028 school year. The number of credits required for graduation will now be 25.

9.1 Finance

9.2 Buildings, Grounds, & Technology

9.2.1 Approve the change order to Lobar Construction Services Inc. for COR -117: Costs associated with the replacement of wet ½" HD board and installation of new tapered insulation & TPO on 12 ft. x 12 ft. section of reroof area in the amount of $4,103.14.

9.2.1 Bethel Roofing Discussion – Mr. Matthew Shirk

9.3 Transportation

9.4 Policy

9.4.1 Give the second reading and final approval to the following policies:

#102 Academic Standard
#105 Curriculum

#204.1	Virtual Attendance and Wellness Checks
#209	Health Examinations/Screenings
#246	School Wellness
#249	Bullying/Cyberbullying
#704	Maintenance
#803	School Calendar
#805.2	School Security Personnel
#822	Automated External Defibrillator (AED)/Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR)

9.5 Curriculum

9.6 Legislative

9.7 Extra-Curricular

9.7.1 Approve the separation of the High School Wrestling Program into two distinct teams, designated as the Boys High School Wrestling Team and the Girls High School Wrestling Team, with both teams continuing under the leadership of the same Head Coach.

9.8 Personnel

9.8.1 Approve the following Personnel Items:

A. Resignations:

- Suzanne Hamrick, 7th Grade ELA Teacher at the Middle School for the purpose of retirement, effective at the end of the 2026/2027 school year.
- Sherry Wessner, Human Resources Specialist – Payroll & Benefits, for the purpose of retirement, effective January 15, 2027.
- Corbie Boltz, Autistic Support Paraeducator at Bethel Elementary, effective November 18, 2026.

B. Employment:

- Randa Parmer, LTS 3rd Grade Teacher at Penn-Bernville Elementary, at a salary of $60,568, Step B1, effective upon receipt of all required documentation, clearances, and disclosures.
- Patty Daley, Coordinator of Food Services Operations, at an hourly rate of $30, effective November 18, 2026. This employment will be through ESS.

- Andrea Kreiser, Coordinator of Food Services Programming and Innovation at an additional hourly rate of $7.69, effective November 18, 2027.

C. Substitute staff for the 2026/2027 school year: *(Pending receipt of all required documentation, clearances, and disclosures.)*

- Victoria Fisher Instructional Aide/Paraeducator
- Joy Courtright Event Staff

D. Volunteers for the remainder of the 2026/2027 School Year:

- Paige Price Field Trips/Classroom/School Events/Coaching
- Lizbeth Cruz Field Trips/Classroom/School Events

DISCUSSION ITEMS: New Business / Old Business

10.0 Information Items

11.0 Calendar of Events

- Friday, November 13, 2026 – Saturday, November 14, 2026 – Fall Play –MS/HS Auditorium (7:00)
- Monday, November 16, 2026 – Friday, November 20, 2026 - Turducken Food Drive
- Tuesday, November 17, 2026 – General Board Metting – District Office Board Room (7:00 pm)
- Friday, November 20, 2026 - First Day of Winter Sports Practice - HS
- Saturday, November 21, 2026 - Graduation Project Presentations
- Monday, November 23, 2026 – Wednesday, November 25, 2026 - Parent Conferences – **Early Dismissal for Students**
  - 11/23/2026 - Conference Times: (MS/HS 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m. Elementary 1:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.)
  - 11/24/2026 – Conference Times: (MS/HS 12:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m. Elementary 1:00 p.m. – 4:00 p.m.)
- Wednesday, November 25, 2026 - MS Turducken Bowl (12:00 - 3:00 pm)
- Thursday, November 26, 2026 -Monday, November 30, 2026 - Thanksgiving Holiday - **Schools Closed**

12.0 Citizens Participation

13.0 Adjournment