

MINUTES
Elkins School District #10
Regular Board Meeting
Elkins Central Office
June 16, 2025

Laren Vaught called the meeting to order at 5:00 pm.

Board members present: Laren Vaught, Jeff Barnett, Gayla Stahman, Troy Kestner, and Jeremy Bailey

Administrators present: Jeremy Mangrum, Paula Wheeler, David Stepp, and Steven Fein

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Jeff Barnett to elect Laren Vaught as Board President.
Motion carried (5-0). 5:03 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Gayla Stahman to elect Jeff Barnett as Board Vice-President. Motion carried (5-0). 5:03 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Jeff Barnett to elect Troy Kestner as Board Secretary.
Motion carried (5-0). 5:03 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Jeff Barnett to elect Gayla Stahman as Board Disbursing Officer. Motion carried (5-0). 5:03 pm

Motion made by Jeff Barnett and seconded by Troy Kestner to approve the Consent Agenda, inclusive of Minutes Regular Board Meeting May 20, 2025 and Financial Reports for Period 11 of 25, copies attached. Motion carried (5-0). 5:04 pm

Mr. Mangrum presented the 2024-2025 ACT average scores.

Conner Shaw of C.R. Crawford Construction gave an update on the middle school addition.

Mr. Mangrum presented the June Student Petitions to Transfer, copy attached.

Mr. Mangrum presented the 2024-2025 School Health Services Survey data.

Mr. Mangrum presented updated information on the 2025-2027 Biennium State Facilities Partnership Funding Application.

Motion made by Jeff Barnett and seconded by Troy Kestner to approve updates to policies 1.2, 1.11, 1.14, 1.17, 1.19, 1.21, 3.2, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.13, 3.17, 3.18, 3.19, 3.21, 3.24, 3.26, 3.28, 3.36, 3.38, 3.41, 3.43, 3.44, 3.45, 3.46, 3.48, 3.49, 3.50, 3.56, 3.58, 3.59, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.5F, 4.5F5, 4.7, 4.11, 4.17, 4.18, 4.20, 4.23, 4.27, 4.35, 4.35F2, 4.35F4, 4.37, 4.43, 4.45, 4.45.1, 4.47, 4.48, 4.50, 4.51, 4.52, 4.56, 4.56.2, 4.56.3, 4.60, 4.61, 4.64, 4.65, 4.66, 5.2, 5.7, 5.10, 5.15, 5.19, 5.20, 5.21, 5.22, 5.26.1, 5.27, 5.28, 5.29, 6.1, 6.4, 7.5, 7.5F3, 7.14, 7.15, 7.16, 7.17, 7.25, 8.5, 8.9, 8.12, 8.13, 8.15, 8.20, 8.25, 8.26, 8.28, 8.29, 8.31, 8.36, 8.37, 8.38, 8.40, 8.44, 8.45, 8.46, 8.49, and 8.50, as recommended, copies attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:10 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Laren Vaught to approve the 2025-2026 renewal of vehicle and mobile equipment insurance in the amount of \$16,922.07 with ASBA Risk Management Program, copy attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:11 pm

Motion made by Jeff Barnett and seconded by Troy Kestner to approve the Monarch Management Corp. quote of \$9,559.00 from Educational Benefits for student accident insurance for the 2025-2026 school year, as recommended. Copy attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:12 pm

Motion made by Jeremy Bailey and seconded by Gayla Stahman to approve the quotes by CDW-G in the amount of \$126,010.36 for 2025-2026 technology purchases, as recommended. Quotes attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:14 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Jeff Barnett to approve the School Improvement Plans for the 2025-2026 school year, copy attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:17 pm

Motion made by Troy Kestner and seconded by Gayla Stahman to approve the Parent Engagement Plans for the 2025-2026 school year, copy attached. Motion carried (5-0). 6:19 pm

Motion made by Jeff Barnett and seconded by Troy Kestner to appoint Jeremy Mangrum, Superintendent, as Ex Officio Financial Officer in all district matters for the 2025-2026 school year. Motion carried (5-0). 6:20 pm

Motion made by Jeremy Bailey and seconded by Jeff Barnett to change the date of the regular July board meeting to July 22, 2025. Motion carried (5-0). 6:23 pm

The Board closed the meeting at 6:23 pm, at parents request, to discuss enrollment of a student who has been expelled from another Arkansas school district. The Board re-opened the meeting at 6:44 pm.

Motion made by Jeremy Bailey and seconded by Jeff Barnett to deny the enrollment request of a student who has been expelled from another Arkansas school district. Motion carried (5-0). 6:44 pm

The Board went into Executive Session at 6:44 pm to consider Employments and Resignations. The Board left Executive Session at 7:09 pm.

Motion made by Jeff Barnett and seconded by Troy Kestner to approve the Personnel Report June 16, 2025, as printed, copy attached. Motion carried (5-0). 7:10 pm

Superintendent's Report: June 17 ASBA New Board Member Conference, July 22 Regular Monthly Board Meeting

Meeting adjourned at 7:10 pm.

Copies Attached: Minutes Regular Board Meeting May 20, 2025
Financial Reports for Period 11 of 25
June Student Petitions to Transfer
Updated Policies 1.2, 1.11, 1.14, 1.17, 1.19, 1.21, 3.2, 3.5, 3.6, 3.7, 3.8, 3.13, 3.17, 3.18, 3.19, 3.21, 3.24, 3.26, 3.28, 3.36, 3.38, 3.41, 3.43, 3.44, 3.45, 3.46, 3.48, 3.49, 3.50, 3.56, 3.58, 3.59, 4.3, 4.4, 4.5, 4.5F, 4.5F5, 4.7, 4.11, 4.17, 4.18, 4.20, 4.23, 4.27, 4.35, 4.35F2, 4.35F4, 4.37, 4.43, 4.45, 4.45.1, 4.47, 4.48, 4.50, 4.51, 4.52, 4.56, 4.56.2, 4.56.3, 4.60, 4.61, 4.64, 4.65, 4.66, 5.2, 5.7, 5.10, 5.15, 5.19, 5.20, 5.21, 5.22, 5.26.1, 5.27, 5.28, 5.29, 6.1, 6.4, 7.5, 7.5F3, 7.14, 7.15, 7.16, 7.17, 7.25, 8.5, 8.9, 8.12, 8.13, 8.15, 8.20, 8.25, 8.26, 8.28, 8.29, 8.31, 8.36, 8.37, 8.38, 8.40, 8.44, 8.45, 8.46, 8.49, and 8.50
ASBA Vehicle and Mobile Equipment Insurance Renewal 2025-2026
Quotes for Student Accident Insurance 2025-2026

CDW-G Quotes for 2025-2026 Technology Purchases
2025-2026 School Improvement Plans
2025-2026 Parent Engagement Plans
Personnel Report June 16, 2025

Respectfully submitted: Sheila White

Laren Vaught, Board President

Troy Kestner, Board Secretary