

CATTARAUGUS-LITTLE VALLEY CENTRAL SCHOOL DISTRICT

ACTION ITEMS

Board of Education

Tuesday, August 18, 2026

[MS/HS Library]

MEETING CALLED TO ORDER at _____ p.m. with _____ presiding.

		<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT</u>
Board Members:	Stacey Aguiar	_____	_____
	Kelli Cullen	_____	_____
	Katie Hill	_____	_____
	Cedric Manganiello	_____	_____
	Katie Snyder	_____	_____
	Benjamin Stoll	_____	_____
	Katelyn Walley-Stoll	_____	_____
Administration:	David Foster, Superintendent	_____	_____
	Laura Hodara, Elem. Prin.	_____	_____
	April Preston, MS Principal	_____	_____
	Tina Maines, HS Principal	_____	_____
	Alichia Hoag, Dir. of Spec. Ed.	_____	_____
	Robert Miller, Dir. of IT	_____	_____
	Lindsay Simpson Dir. Of Curric.	_____	_____
	Heather Brown, Business Executive	_____	_____
Student Members:	Meghan Gentner, District Clerk	_____	_____
	Luke Mormile	_____	_____
Participants:		_____	_____
		_____	_____

1. MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to approve consent items as presented:

a. Approve the minutes of the Board of Education meeting held Tuesday, July 14, 2026.

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____

2. MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to approve the following resolutions:

WHEREAS the Board of Education has been authorized by the voters at the annual meeting on May 19, 2026, to expend a sum not to exceed \$34,802,051 for the 2026-2027 fiscal year and to levy the necessary taxes.

THEREFORE be it resolved that the Board fix the equalized tax rates by town and confirm the extension of the taxes as they appear on the described rolls:

<u>TOWN NAME</u>	<u>TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE</u>	<u>TOTAL TAXABLE VALUE</u>	<u>TOTAL STAR ASSESSED VALUE</u>	<u>TAX RATE</u>	<u>OMITTED TAX AMOUNT</u>	<u>TOTAL TAX LEVY TO BE COLLECTED</u>	<u>TOTAL STAR TAX LEVY</u>	<u>TOTAL LEVY</u>
DAYTON	9,912,896	12,163,063	1,268,620	8.120615	1,068.63	71,265.47	10,301.97	81,567.44
EAST OTTO	142,501,570	142,503,070	11,024,175	6.706230	-	881,717.67	73,930.65	955,648.32
LEON	5,018,797	8,653,098	585,990	11.562344	-	51,253.64	6,775.42	58,029.06
LITTLE VALLEY	52,676,678	142,379,535	5,354,370	18.124306	91.65	857,775.64	97,044.24	954,819.88
MANSFIELD	97,424,848	97,424,848	4,532,600	6.705710	43.75	622,952.28	30,394.30	653,346.58
NAPOLI	48,935,951	48,935,951	4,705,695	6.706160	-	296,615.16	31,557.14	328,172.30
NEW ALBION	164,833,074	164,833,074	17,236,701	6.706160	-	989,804.82	115,592.07	1,105,396.89
OTTO	115,420,764	115,420,764	8,867,185	6.703309	329.00	714,590.58	59,439.48	774,030.06
PERSIA	16,693,082	16,693,082	1,535,000	6.706160	-	101,652.52	10,293.95	111,946.47
TOTAL	653,417,660	749,006,485	55,110,336	78.040993	1,533.03	4,587,627.78	435,329.22	5,022,957.00

For Library purposes:

<u>TOWN NAME</u>	<u>TOTAL ASSESSED VALUE</u>	<u>TOTAL TAXABLE VALUE</u>	<u>TAX RATE</u>	<u>TOTAL TAX LEVY TO BE COLLECTED</u>
DAYTON	9,912,896	12,163,063	0.344013	3,410.17
EAST OTTO	142,501,570	142,503,070	0.280374	39,953.79
LEON	5,018,797	8,653,098	0.483399	2,426.08
LITTLE VALLEY	52,676,678	142,379,535	0.757814	39,919.15
MANSFIELD	97,424,848	97,424,848	0.280371	27,315.14
NAPOLI	48,935,951	48,935,951	0.280371	13,720.24
NEW ALBION	164,833,074	164,833,074	0.280371	46,214.48
OTTO	115,420,764	115,420,764	0.280371	32,360.68
PERSIA	16,693,082	16,693,082	0.280372	4,680.27
TOTAL	653,417,660	749,006,485	3.267456	210,000.00

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeat _____

Substitute Business Official — Position Creation and Appointment

Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education creates the position of Substitute Business Official, an intermittent, as-needed hourly position, at a rate of \$59.58 per hour (derived from the 2026 daily rate of \$476.61 ÷ 8 hours); and appoints Sally Hadley to said position effective August 10, 2026 through June 30, 2027, with all hours authorized in advance by the Superintendent, and with no authority to serve as Treasurer, Claims Auditor, Internal Auditor, or Purchasing Agent, all subject to the approval of the Cattaraugus County Civil Service Commission.

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeat _____

RESOLUTION NO. ____

LEASE AGREEMENT – CATTARAUGUS COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE

WHEREAS, the Board has reviewed the Lease Agreement with the Cattaraugus County Sheriff's Office for use of school facilities for training purposes, for the period July 1, 2026, through June 30, 2027, with option to renew for two (2) additional one-year terms; and

BE IT RESOLVED, the Board of Education hereby:

Approves the Lease Agreement with the Cattaraugus County Sheriff's Office as presented;

Authorizes the Superintendent to execute the Lease Agreement and all related documents; and

Authorizes renewal of this lease for the optional renewal terms, unless the Board directs otherwise.

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____

3. MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to approve the Regular Business Items as presented:
 - a. Approve the CSE/CPSE Action Items dated July 9, 2026 to August 13, 2026.

- b. Approve the Treasurer's Report for May 2026
- c. Approve the Treasurer's Report for June 2026
- d. Establish a Keyboard Specialist (Transportation) position, effective August 19, 2026.
- e. Declare the following as obsolete due to being outdated or non-repairable for sale/disposal/donation purposes, and under the discretion of the Superintendent and Facility Manager:

Misc. platters (glass, silver, plastic)	Old/Not Needed
1 Regal Aluminum Tea Kettle	Outdated
1 Sunbeam Can Opener	Outdated
1 Crepe Maker	Outdated
8 Copper Jello Molds	Outdated
1 Electric Skillet	Broken/Old
8 Various Tupperware/Lids	Missing Pieces
1 Bag of glue & Fabric paint	Old
1 Radio	Broken
1 Electric wok	Outdated
1 Stand Mixer	Broken

- f. Declare the following books as obsolete due to being outdated or non-repairable for sale/disposal/donation purposes, and under the discretion of the Superintendent and Facility Manager:

14 Strengthening Family and Self (94)	Good Condition
5 Strengthening Family and Self (98)	Good Condition

Name of textbook	Subject	Grade	Publisher	Condition
Webbing with Literature	ELA		Bromely	Good
The Literacy Essay	ELA		Firsthand	Good
If...Then...Curriculum	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Making Sense - Common Core	ELA		Shawnee Press	Good
Workshop Help Desk	ELA		Schwark	Good
Reading for Real	ELA		Collins	Good
Reading Conversations	ELA		Moore / Gillier	Good
Mosaic of Thought	ELA		Heineman	Good
Reading Instruction that work	ELA		Gilford	Good
Tools for Prompting Active InDepth Learning	ELA		Silver/Strong Perin	Good
Reading With Meaning	ELA		Diller	Good
Living Between The Lines	ELA		Caulkins	Good
Conversations	ELA		Routman	Good
Enhancing Professional Practice	ELA		Danielson	Good

Running Records	ELA		Clay	Good
Literacy Continuum	ELA		Fountas/Pinnell	Good
Grammar and Writing	ELA		Foursman	Good
Cooperative Learning	ELA		Breedon/Mosley	Good
Small Moments/ Personal Narrative	ELA		Firsthand	Good
An Observation Survey	ELA		Clay	Good
On Solid Ground	ELA		Heineman	Good
Creating Literacy Instruction	ELA		Guinning	Good
A Guide to the Common Core Writing Workshop	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Writing Pathways	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Physical Science	Science		Glencoe	Good
Reading Essentials	ELA		Routman	Good
To Understand	ELA		Ellin/ Oliver/Keene	Good
One to One	ELA		Heineman	Good
Conferring with Readers	ELA		Heineman	Good
The Daily 5	ELA		Browsey/Moser	Good
Reading Strategies and Practices	ELA		Tierney/Readence	Good
Literacy with Attitude	ELA		Finn	Good
Literacy Teachers Playbook	ELA		Heineman	Good
This Is Balanced Literacy	ELA		Corwin	Good
A Framework Understanding Poverty			Payne	Good
Introduction to Design and Technology			Todd/McGrory	Good
Annual Growth / Catch up Growth	ELA		Rosier	Good
Hurried Child	ELA		Elkind	Good
Zen and the Public School Teacher			Perrine	Good
Best Practices	ELA		Heineman	Good
Early Childhood Program Management			Merrill	Good
Discovering What Works for Struggling Readers	ELA		Witt	Good
Full Circle	ELA		Heineman	Good
Teaching with Mouth Shut	ELA		Heineman	Good
What's the Best for Kids			Modern Learning	Good
Strategies That Work			Harvey/Goudis	Good
Resource for Teaching			Firsthand	Good
Writing Fiction	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Memoir	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Literacy Essays	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Breathing Life into Essays	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Launching the Writing Workshop	ELA		Firsthand	Good
Raising the Quality of Narrative Writing	ELA		Firsthand	Good

Design and Problem Solving			Hutchingson/Iselwood	Good
Multiply with Me	Math		Koontz	Good
Read More and Understand	ELA		Evan Moor	Good
What Did I Write	ELA		Clay	Good
One Child at a Time			Johnson	Good
Graphic Organizer	ELA		Scholastic	Good
Miscues Not Mistakes			Heineman	Good
Ready or Not Here Life Comes	ELA		Levine	Good
Dictionary			Houghton Mifflin	Good
Staying Focused On the Children			SDE	Good
Wondrous Words	ELA		Woodray	Good
Blogs, Wiki's, Podcasts			Richardson	Good
Guidance Readers and Writers	ELA		Heineman	Good
Every Child A Learner			SDE	Good
Student Dictionary			Houghton Mifflin	Good
New Explorers Dictionary			Federal Street	Good
Teaching with Intention			Miller	Good
Making the Most of Small Groups			Diller	Good
Literacy Work Stations	ELA		Diller	Good
Small Group Reading Instruction	ELA		Tyner/Green	Good
When Readers Struggle	ELA		Heineman	Good
Continuum of Literacy Learning	ELA		Heineman	Good
Assessment Guide	ELA		Heineman	Good
Assessment Forms	ELA		Heineman	Good
Bringing Life to History	History		Firsthand	Good
Boxes of Bullets	History		Firsthand	Good
The Arc Of Study	History		Firsthand	Good
Hidden Literacies	ELA		Heineman	Good
Reading Fluency	ELA		Heineman	Good
Classroom Libraries	ELA		Heineman	Good
Guided Reading	ELA		Richardson	Good
Next Step Forward in Guided Reading	ELA		Richardson	Good
Independent Reading Level Assessment	ELA		American Reading Co.	Good
Tool Kit	ELA		American Reading Co.	Good
Guided Reading Program	ELA		Scholastic	Good
Growing Readers	ELA		Collins	Good
What's New in Children's Literature	ELA		BER	Good
Catching a Reader Before They Fall	ELA		Keier	Good
Strategies For Struggling Writers	ELA		Collins	Good
Exploring Informational Text	ELA		Heineman	Good
Elementary Algebra For College Students	Math		Prentice Hall	Good

Talking to Faith			Ringgold	Good
Mathematics For Elementary Teachers	Math		MacMillian	Good

4. MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to approve the following Personnel Items for the 2026-2027 school year:

- a. Accept the resignation of Trina Dowdy as school (bus) monitor effective August 18, 2026, in lieu of her appointment as Keyboard Specialist in the Transportation Department, with permission to fill the vacancy.
- b. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, appoint Trina Dowdy as a 10 month Keyboard Specialist in the Transportation Department, effective August 19, 2026 to August 18, 2027, on a one-year probationary period. Compensation for this appointment will be in accordance with the CLV Classified Contract.
- c. Accept the resignation of Jacey Duzick-Forness from the position of Special Education Teacher, effective August 12, 2026, with permission to fill the vacancy.
- d. Approve Autum Strawder as a substitute school (bus) monitor, pending fingerprint clearance, for the 2026-2027 school year.
- e. Approve Alexandra Keatly as Long Term Substitute for Alyssa Overhoff (3rd Grade Teacher) during her leave effective, August 31, 2026 through on or about November 2, 2026.
- f. Approve the appointment of Kim Gibbs as a Substitute Teacher, assigned to a Special Education position, effective August 19, 2026, for the 2026-2027 school year
- g. Approve Sally Hadley as Tax collector, effective August 19, 2026.
- h. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent approve leave request for Jaylin Burroughs effective, on or about September 18, 2026 through on or about October 16, 2026.
- i. Approve Jane Brairton, a student at St. Bonaventure University, to student teach with Beth Erhart, 11th Grade English Teacher, effective on or about November 2, 2026, through on or about December 18, 2026.
- j. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, acknowledge the voluntary reassignment of Crystal Strusa to AIS Teacher (0.8FTE) and Library Media Specialist (0.2 FTE)
- k. Upon recommendation of the Superintendent, acknowledge the voluntary reassignment of Rebecca Singer from Pre- Kindergarten to Kindergarten Teacher, remaining in the elementary tenure area, effective August 19, 2026.
- l. Approve Daniel Dunlap as a substitute cleaner, effective date, August 19, 2026
- m. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, approve a one-time regional market salary adjustment for Kim Jones, effective August 19, 2026, in the amount of \$3,500, increasing her annual salary from \$60,153 to \$63,653. This adjustment is a one-time market compensation adjustment and shall not be considered part of the district's regular salary increase process or future compensation methodology.
- n. Upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the board, terminates the employment of Heather Wagner, Cleaner, effective August 19, 2026, following due process pursuant to the Last Chance Agreement dated March 12, 2026.
- o. Approve the following substitute teachers for the 2026-2027 school year

Retired Teachers: John Busekist
Lori Johnson
Rebecca V. King

Debra L. Mallen
 Lisa Musall
 Darlene White

Certified: Amy Fantaske
 Alexandra Keatley
 Merissa Perkins

Non-Certified/4-Year Degree:

Jennah Bradley
 Valerie Janora
 Steven Maines
 Alexis Shattuck
 Hudson Smith
 Sarah Spengler
 Susan Tingue
 Joe E. Winsor

Non-Certified: Kessia Belec
 Nicki Bradley
 Emily Decker
 Kyra Frentz
 Darec Funke
 Paige Gabel
 Grace Hodara
 Hunter McInerney (pending fingerprint clearance)
 Jocelyn Mentley
 Kimberly Merrill
 Alexandra Minnekine
 Dylan Rhinehart
 Adeline Wright

p. Approve the following non-instructional substitutes for the 2026-2027 school year

Nurse: Bailey Manning
 Amy Sykes

Bus Drivers: Nicki Bradley
 Brian Church
 Guy Collins
 Mark Hackett
 Robin Horn
 Jayette Hosmer
 Julia Krzemien
 Charley North
 Jason Opferbeck
 Shawn Phinney
 Jason Tadt
 Matthew Tadt
 Christopher Wells

Cleaners: Dawn Brock
Leo Bueno-Cabrera
Aidan Calkins
Lisa Fintak
Vern Hahn
Robin Horn
Nathan Hughes
Michelle Jacobs
Loren Maguda
Sunny Norvelle
Hudson Smith
DJ Szata
Todd Taylor
Logan Westfall
Shane W. Wright

School Monitors: Guy Collins
Robin Horn
Colleen Manganiello

Grounds & Mechanics Help:
Matthew Jones
Todd Taylor

Teacher Aides: Kessia Belec
Jennah Bradley
Nicki Bradley
Megan Church
Nancy Frentz
Paige Gabel
Meredith Gradler
Jeanne Gross
Danni Hill
Grace Hodara
Robin Horn
Loren Maguda
Sarah Maguda
Steven Maines
Debra L. Mallen
Brenna Mentley
Jocelyn Mentley
Alex Minnekine
Lisa Musall
Hudson Smith
Alexis Stockwell
D.J. Szata

Susan Tingue

Keyboard Specialist: Betty Huber

IT Specialist: Donald Seamon

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____

5. MOVED by _____ and seconded by _____, upon the recommendation of the Superintendent, the Board of Education of the Cattaraugus-Little Valley Central School District approves the funding and ratification of the terms negotiated between the Cattaraugus-Little Valley Central School District and the Cattaraugus-Little Valley Bus Drivers' Unit, The Collective Bargaining Agreement will be effective July 1, 2026 through June 30, 2028. The Superintendent shall have authority on behalf of the Board of Education to acknowledge the Agreement accordingly.

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____

- ES) MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, that the Board recess at _____ p.m. to conduct an executive session on matters [to be stated at the time of the meeting] and put to a vote which resulted as follows:

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____

- ES) MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to resume the regular order of business at _____ p.m.

- Adj.) MOVED by _____, seconded by _____, to adjourn the meeting at _____ p.m.

MOTION: Carried _____ Defeated _____