

WEAKLEY COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
Westview High School
February 5, 2026
5:00 – 5:51 P.M.

Board Members: Wendell Cates, Jeff Floyd, Martin Hamlin, John Hatler, Gath Meeks, Joshua Moore & Steve Vantrease.
(Absent- Beau Atkins & Doug Sims)

Administrative Staff Present: Brian Allen, Tracey Bell, Michelle Clements, Jamie Doster, Scott Killebrew, David Lewellen, John Lifsey, Melanie Needham, Patresa Rogers, Eva Essary, Betsi Foster, Jon Gardner, Donald Ray High, Kandace Jackson, Krystle Smith & Terri Stephenson.

Media Present: *Weakley County Press & WCMT*

Meeting Called To Order: Chairman Moore called the meeting to order.

- I. Agenda Approved** – Motion by Cates, seconded by Hatler to approve the February 5, 2026 agenda. Motion carried.
- II. Minutes Approved** – Motion by Vantrease, seconded by Hamlin to approve the January 8, 2026 minutes. Motion carried.
- III. Public Comment** – None given.
- IV. Approve Textbook Adoption Committee** – Motion by Meeks, seconded by Floyd to approve textbook adoption committee for Wellness (high school). Motion carried.
- V. Volunteer Coach** – Motion by Cates, seconded by Hamlin to approve the following volunteer coach. Motion carried.
Martin Middle School
Enrique Rene Gray, soccer
- VI. 2026-27 School Calendar** – Motion by Meeks, seconded by Vantrease to approve option #3 as the 2026-27 School Calendar. Motion carried.
- VII. Committee Reports** – None given.

VIII. Consent Items – Motion by Cates, seconded by Floyd to approve the following consent items. Motion carried.

A. Field Trips -

1. SCOPE students(8) to travel to Nashville, TN to attend SCOPE Event at Belmont University March 3, 2026.

Dresden Middle School

1. Beta Club travel to Gatlinburg, TN to attend Leadership Summit March 11-13, 2026.

Dresden High School

1. HOSA travel to Chattanooga, TN to attend HOSA State March 29-April 1, 2026.

Gleason School

1. FFA travel to Gatlinburg, TN to attend FFA State Convention March 21-25, 2026.

Greenfield School

1. Jr Beta travel to Memphis, TN to volunteer at LeBonheur Children's Hospital Valentine's party February 13, 2026.

Martin Middle School

1. Band travel to Memphis, TN to rehearse & perform at a concert with other West TN students at the Convention Center February 11-14, 2026.

Westview High School

1. WHS students (6) travel to Hopkinsville, KY to compete in Vex Robotics Competition February 7, 2026 & February 14, 2026.
2. Band travel to Memphis, TN to rehearse & perform at the All West TN Band Clinic February 11-14, 2026.
3. Spanish Club travel to Nashville, TN to attend the Hispanic Flamenco Ballet February 26, 2026.
4. FCCLA travel to Chattanooga, TN to attend FCCLA State Leadership Conference April 8-11, 2026.
5. WHS students (6) travel to Clarksville, TN to compete in state championship for Vex Robotics March 13-14, 2026.

Adjourn – Josh Moore adjourned the meeting at 5:51 PM.

Joshua Moore, Chairman

Jeff Cupples, Director of Schools