

A Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
Monday, September 21, 2026 6:30 pm
Ovid-Elsie High School Student Lounge
8989 E. Colony Road, Elsie MI 48831

MINUTES

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education of Ovid-Elsie Area Schools was held Monday, September 21, 2026, beginning at 6:30 pm in the High School Student Lounge.

I. Call to Order

The Meeting was called to order by President Brooke Wooley, at 6:30 pm, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag of the United States of America.

Members Present: Brooke Wooley, Sue Greer, Mary Thompson, Becky Williams, Josh Miller, David Huff, Kevin Nash

Members Absent: None

II. Approval of Agenda

Moved by Josh Miller and supported by Mary Thompson that the Board of Education approve the September 21, 2026 Regular Board of Education Meeting Agenda be approved as printed

Motion carried: 7-0

III. Communications

- a. Written correspondence: None
- b. Ovid-Elsie Personnel: Melissa Jones, District Nurse
- c. Public Participation at Board Meetings: None

IV. Consent Agenda

- a. Approval of Minutes from the August 19, 2026 Regular Meeting of the Board of Education
- b. Approval of the September 9, 2026 Work Session of the Board of Education
- c. Approval of Payment of Bills: July 2026
- d. Monthly Financial Report: July 2026
- e. Cash and Investment Summary: July 2026
- f. Personnel Action Report

Moved by Josh Miller and supported by Kevin Nash that the Board of Education approve the Consent Agenda as presented. A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: Brooke Wooley, Sue Greer, Mary Thompson, Becky Williams, Kevin Nash, David Huff, Josh Miller

Nays: None

Motion carried: 7-0

V. Board of Education Reports

a. Superintendent

- Current Enrollment Numbers 1218 Budgeted, 1226 Currently Enrolled
- Homecoming Festivities
- MASA Fall Conference September 23-25, 2026
- 3 board candidates: Josh Miller, Mary Thompson, Doug Meisel. 2 open positions
- NEOLA Fall Updates: Scheduling with NEOLA representative

VI. Old Business

None

VII. New Business

a. Attorney Opinion Letter

Moved by Brooke Wooley and supported by David Huff that the Board of Education enters into Closed session per Open Meeting Act section 8(1)(h) to consider information exempt from disclosure under FOIA.

Motion carried: 7-0

Entered into Closed Session: 6:45 pm

Returned to Open Session: 8:05 pm

Moved by Brooke Wooley and supported by Josh Miller to waive the attorney/client privileged report completed by Allen Law Group to investigate an employee complaint of unlawful retaliation. A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: Josh Miller, Mary Thompson, Becky Williams, Sue Greer, Kevin Nash, David Huff, Brooke Wooley

Nays: None

Motion carried: 7-0

Moved by Brooke Wooley and supported by Josh Miller to reconsider the Resolution to Censure School Board Vice President Sue Greer offered on June 3, 2026. A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: David Huff, Kevin Nash, Josh Miller, Brooke Wooley

Nays: Sue Greer, Becky Williams, Mary Thompson

Motion carried: 4-3

The following preamble and resolution were offered by Member Brooke Wooley and supported by Member Josh Miller:

**RESOLUTION TO CENSURE SCHOOL BOARD VICE PRESIDENT SUE GREER
WHEREAS:**

1. Board Vice President Greer commented about a resigning employee during the May 2026 Board of Education meeting, without having these comments considered or approved by the full board; and
2. Board President Wooley independently investigated whether the comments were accurate and supported by evidence; and found that several of the comments were made without evidence to support them; and
3. Such comments were not in any way endorsed by the full board and do not reflect the views or consideration of the full board; and 4. The nature of the comments and conduct of Vice President Greer were not supported by evidence and have caused disruption to school board culture and effectiveness, impaired the reputation of the district, and caused concern among staff and community members.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED THAT:

1. The September 21, 2026 minutes shall state that the Board completely, without reservation, disavows the comments of Vice President Greer that she made concerning a retiring employee at the May 2026 Board of Education meeting.
2. The Board finds that Mrs. Greer ignored her special responsibilities as Vice President, and she failed to monitor or reflect upon the adverse effect of her unauthorized and unsupported comments on the board and district.
3. Effective immediately, Mrs. Greer shall be removed from the office of Vice President of the Board.
4. Mrs. Greer is hereby censored by the Board for her aforementioned comments.
5. The Board's actions within this resolution shall be inserted within the minutes of the meeting.
6. All resolutions and parts of resolutions insofar as they conflict with the provisions of this resolution be and the same are hereby rescinded.

Ayes: Josh Miller, Kevin Nash, David Huff, Brooke Wooley

Nays: Becky Williams, Mary Thompson, Sue Greer

The resolution declared adopted.

Moved by Brooke Wooley and supported by Josh Miller to remove Rebecca Williams as officer based on behavior. A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: David Huff, Josh Miller, Brooke Wooley

Nays: Kevin Nash, Sue Greer, Becky Williams, Mary Thompson

Motion failed: 3-4

Moved by Brooke Wooley and supported by Josh Miller to remove Mary Thompson as officer based on behavior. A roll call vote was taken.

Ayes: David Huff, Josh Miller, Brooke Wooley

Nays: Kevin Nash, Sue Greer, Becky Williams, Mary Thompson

Motion failed: 3-4

VIII. Additional Public Participation at Board Meetings:

Charlie Green, Wellness Committee: Community Engagement Go Positive Meeting 2nd Tuesday of the month meeting in the HS student lounge 6:45 am-7:55 am
Eric Jones

IX. Other Matters Which May Properly Come Before the Board

Add Discussion Items to Board Agendas

X. Hearing From Board Members

Becky Williams advocate for Board Work Sessions

XI. Adjournment:

Moved by Mary Thompson and supported by Sue Greer to adjourn the meeting at 8:21 pm
Motion passed unanimously.

Respectfully Submitted

Becky Williams, Secretary _____

Minutes submitted by: Crystal Loynes