

October Regular Board Meeting (Monday, October 19, 2026)

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Boardman Glenwood Junior High School

7635 Glenwood Ave.

Boardman, Ohio 44512

1. Meeting Opening

A. Call to Order - Mrs. Candace N. Rivera

B. Pledge of Allegiance

C. Roll Call - 6:30 p.m.

Ms. Victoria L. Davis - present

Mr. John P. Landers - absent

Mr. R. Scot Murray - present

Mrs. Candace N. Rivera - present

Mr. Thomas P. Varley - present

2. Recognition

A. Recognition

Recognition - It is recommended that the Board grant recognition to the persons listed in the attachment for their collective and/or individual accomplishments.

File Attachments

Board Recognition_ Band Director Tim Tuite 100th Anniversary Event Oct. 2026.pdf (1,592 KB)

Board Recognition_ Tim Harker_ 8th grade Engineering Oct. 2026.pdf (2,144 KB)

Board Recognition Cathy Ruscitti_ Transportation Dept. Oct. 2026.pdf (527 KB)

Motion by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Second by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Davis A Landers absent

Murray A

Rivera A

Varley A

26-152 Recognition

Motion Approved

4-0

3. Public Participation at Board Meetings

A. Public Participation at Board Meetings - none

4. Unfinished Business

A. Unfinished Business - none

5. Approval of Agenda

A. Approval of Agenda

A Motion was made to approve agenda.

Motion by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Second by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Varley A Davis A Landers absent

Murray A

Rivera A

26-153 Agenda

Motion Approved

4-0

6. Board Members' Business

A. Board Members' Business - none

7. Minutes

A. Regular Board Meeting, September 28, 2026

It is recommended that the Board approve the regular board meeting minutes of September 28, 2026.

Motion by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Second by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Murray A Rivera A Varley A

Davis A

Landers absent

26-154 Minutes

Motion Approved

4-0

8. Appointments

A. Appointments

It is recommended that the Board approve the following appointments:

Classified

Carrie Stipanovich - It is recommended that Carrie Stipanovich be granted a one-year limited contract as a 183 day/3.5 hour Cafeteria Server at West Boulevard Elementary for the 2026-2027 school year effective September 30, 2026. Ms. Stipanovich will be placed at step 1 of the Board-approved Cafeteria Salary Schedule. She will be replacing Curtis Wagner.

Elizabeth Mancini - It is recommended that Elizabeth Mancini be granted a one-year limited contract as a 186 day/7 hour Teacher Aide at West Boulevard Elementary for the 2026-2027 school year effective September 30, 2026. Ms. Mancini will be placed at Step 5 of the Administrative Assistant Salary Schedule. She will be replacing Brian Meenachan.

Classified Substitutes

It is recommended that the individuals listed in the attachment be approved as substitutes for the 2026-2027 school year.

Supplementals 2026-2027

Kendra Baltes - A.R.C.D., BCIS Web - 2.5%

Missy Brent - A.R.C.D., Kindness Club - 2.5%

Kate Burnside - A.R.C.D., Art National Honor Society - 2.5%

Maggie Burton - A.R.C.D., BCIS Web - 2.5%

Maggie Burton - A.R.C.D., Kindness Club - 2.5%

Lee Christman - Boardman High School, Girls Golf Coach - 12%

Jen Dravecky - BCIS, Student Council Advisor - 4%
Sue Kendall - RE1 Mentor for Alexis Hiler - 4%
Scott Lenhart - Boardman High School, Speech Director - 14%
Eric Little - Boardman High School, Boys Soccer Head Coach - 18%
Rebecca Martinez - Boardman High School, Volleyball Head Coach - 18%
Jessica O'Halloran - A.R.C.D., BCIS Web - 2.5%
John Phillips - Boardman High School, Boys Cross Country Head Coach - 14%
Kristin Raschilla - A.R.C.D., Spartan Snack Cart - 2.5%
Chrystin Rickert - A.R.C.D., Italian National Honor Society - 2.5%
Kate Sears - A.R.C.D., Recycling Club - 2.5%
Brian Terlesky - Boardman High School, Boys Golf Coach - 12%

Pupil Activity Contracts 2026-2027

Sabrina Berardino - A.R.C.D., West Wisdom - 2.5%
Vincent Butto - BGJHS, Football Assistant Coach - 9%
Alphonse Cervello - A.R.C.D., West Pod Squad - 2.5%
Joe Sferra - Boardman High School, Weight Room Supervisor - 5%

File Attachments

October 19, 2026 - Sub List.pdf (36 KB)

Motion by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Second by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Davis A	Landers absent	Murray A	Rivera A	Varley A	<u>26-155</u> Appointments
Motion Approved					4-0

9. Leave of Absence

A. Leave of Absence

It is recommended that the Board approve the following leave of absence:

Certified

Crosbee Lisser - Boardman Center Intermediate School, Music Band Teacher. It is recommended that the Board approve a personal unpaid leave of absence for Ms. Lisser from October 2, 2026 to October 6, 2026.

Kristi Longenecker - Boardman High School, Physical Education Teacher. It is recommended that the Board approve a personal unpaid leave of absence for Ms. Longenecker from September 29, 2026 to December 15, 2026.

Motion by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Second by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Varley A	Davis A	Landers absent	Murray A	Rivera A	<u>26-156</u> Leave of Absence
Motion Approved					4-0

10. Resignations

A. Resignations

It is recommended that the Board approve the following resignations:

Classified

Luke Bucholtz - Transportation, Bus Driver, effective October 27, 2026.

Bethany Calzo - Boardman High School, 3.5 hour Cafeteria Server, effective October 21, 2026.

Brian Huddleston - Boardman High School, Head Custodian, effective October 25, 2026.

Katharine Tancabel - Boardman Glenwood Junior High School, Secretary to Assistant Principal, effective December 31, 2026.

Supplementals

Joe Sferra - Boardman High School, Assistant Football Coach - 5%

Motion by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Second by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Varley A	Davis A	Landers absent	Murray A	Rivera A	<u>26-157</u> Resignations
Motion Approved					4-0

11. Stipends

A. Stipends

It is recommended the board approve the following stipend:

Jeanne Silvestri - It is recommended that the board approve a stipend to Ms. Silvestri of \$10,000.00 which will be paid in four quarterly payments of \$2,500.00 for supervising the before and after-school programs for the 2026-2027 school year effective August 26, 2026.

Motion by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Second by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Murray A	Rivera A	Varley A	Davis A	Landers absent	<u>26-158</u> Stipends
Motion Approved					4-0

12. Treasurer's Business - Mr. Arthur Ginnetti

A. Financial Reports

It is recommended the Board approve the Financial Report for September 2026 as submitted by the Treasurer.

File Attachments

Sept_26.pdf (3,316 KB)

B. Then and Now Purchase Orders

It is recommended that the Board in accordance with the Ohio Revised Code 5705.41(D) for then and now purchase orders (PO), approve the following invoices for payment:

Vendor: IXL Learning

PO Number: 7021529

PO Date: 9/1/2026

Invoice Date: 8/13/2026

Amount: \$8,820.00

Description: IXL Site license

Vendor: nwea

PO Number: 7021530

PO Date: 9/1/2026

Invoice Date: 8/27/2026

Amount: \$7,000.00

Description: MG: Reports for Teachers

C. Donations

It is recommended that the Board approve the following donations:

Boardman Schools - \$21,550 from The Community Foundation of the Mahoning Valley. This donation will be used for the Boardman Schools Fund for Educational Excellence 2026-2027 Teacher Grant Recipients.

Boardman Glenwood Junior High School - 5 - 1 gallon butterfly bush, 37 bags of mulch, 4 - 1 gallon coneflower, 3 - 2 gallon helenium, to the courtyard pollinator garden from Anna at Petitti Garden Center.

Boardman Center Intermediate School - \$100 from Melissa Padgett DDS for Miracle on Easy Street

Boardman Center Intermediate School - \$100 from Premium Pediatrics for Miracle on Easy Street

West Boulevard Elementary School - \$373.51 from Boardman United Methodist to pupil support for school supplies

West Boulevard Elementary School - Teacher and student books from Sandy Kozma

D. Vote

A Motion was made to approve items as listed in the Treasurer's agenda for approval.

Motion by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Second by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Davis A Landers absent Murray A Rivera A Varley A 26-159 Financial

Motion Approved 4-0

13. Superintendent's Business - Mr. Christopher S. Neifer**A. Professional Development**

It is recommended the board approve the attached Graduate Study request.

It is recommended the board approve the attached Graduate Study request from Daniel Dota for coursework completed prior to gaining superintendent approval.

File Attachments

Dota Daniel Grad Study Request.pdf (114 KB)

B. Vote

A Motion was made to approve items as listed in the Superintendent's agenda for approval.

Motion by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Second by Ms. Victoria L. Davis

Murray A Rivera A Varley A Davis A Landers absent 26-160 Superintendent's Business

Motion Approved 4-0

14. Informational Items**A. Field Trips**

Field Trips - As an agenda of the Board the following field trip has been approved by the Superintendent. Detailed itinerary and procedures will be available for the Board's review once finalized.

Boardman High School Chamber Orchestra will travel to Mentor, OH on Thursday, December 10, 2026 through Friday, December 11, 2026 to participate in a Music Workshop and see a Broadway Musical. Students will miss one (1) day of classes to attend this event.

B. Special Education Policies and Procedures

File Attachments

Special Education Model Policies and Procedures.pdf (772 KB)

15. Reports**A. Legislative Liaison - Mr. R. Scot Murray**

Mr. Murray reported on EdChoice Voucher program, Fair School Funding Plan, SB19,HB455, HB462 SB276 and HB1012

16. Other**A. President's Comments - Mrs. Candace N. Rivera - none****17. Adjournment****A. Adjournment**

A Motion was made to adjourn the meeting.

Motion by Mr. Thomas P. Varley

Second by Mr. R. Scot Murray

Varley A Davis A Landers absent Murray A Rivera A 26-161 Adjournment

Motion Approved 4-0

President

Treasurer