

**FREMONT PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION
Regular Board Meeting
January 12,2026
7:00 p.m.**

The Regular Board meeting of the Fremont Board of Education was called to order by Superintendent Brad Reyburn, at 7:00 pm.

Present: Jennifer Scott, Carrie Crosley, Jared Hanna, Kim Rasch, Matt Goebel, and Pete Slovinski

Absent: Jennifer Scott and Steve Paulsen

The Pledge of Allegiance was led by Superintendent Brad Reyburn

Election of Officers:

7077 – Brad Reyburn, Superintendent, took nominations for President three times. Pete Slovinski made the motion to approve Jen Scott as President. Jared Hanna seconded.

Ayes via roll call vote: Carrie, Matt, Kim, Pete, and Jared

Nays: None Motion passed

7078 – Brad Reyburn, Superintendent, took nominations for Vice-President three times.

Kim Rasch made the motion to approve Pete Slovinski as Vice-President. Matt Goebel seconded.

Ayes via roll call vote: Carrie, Matt, Kim, Jared and Pete

Nays: None Motion passed

#7079 – Pete Slovinski, Vice-President, took nominations for Secretary three times. Carrie Crosley made the motion to approve Kim Rasch as Secretary. Matt Goebel seconded.

Ayes via roll call vote: Carrie, Matt, Kim, Jared and Pete

Nays: None Motion passed

7080 – Pete Slovinski, Vice-President, took nominations for Treasurer three times. Carrie Crosley made the motion to approve Steve Paulsen as Treasurer. Jared Hanna seconded.

Ayes via roll call vote: Carrie, Matt, Kim, Jared and Pete

Nays: None Motion passed

Approval of Agenda:

#7081– Motion by Carrie and seconded by Kim to approve the agenda as amended with additions of 10 A and 11 B.

Ayes – 5 Nays – 0 Motion passed.

Public Participation: NONE

Recognitions/Presentations: NONE

Approval of Consent Agenda Items:

7082– Motion by Kim and seconded by Jared to approve the Consent Agenda Items:

- A. Approve the minutes from the December 15, 2025 Board of Education regular meeting
- B. Approve the disbursements from the month of December in the amount of \$2,613,825.58

Ayes – 5 Nays – 0 Motion passed.

Leadership Reports

Brad Reyburn, Superintendent:

Brad met with KingScott last week and has asked them to work up ideas and projected costs on building a Packer Activity Center with Quest High School and the Adult Education programs being housed in the same building as the center. They are still looking at all options for Daisy Brook.

The RFP for a possible food service company to work with FPS is out and tomorrow Brad and a committee will do a walk through with the companies that have expressed interest in bidding for this opportunity.

Julie Reams, Director of Finance:

Julie shared that there has been an increase in state resources and with those new figures in the fund balance is now 19.72% as of December 2025.

Board Committee Reports:

Finance/Personnel – Met 01/12/2026

- Still waiting on the final audited numbers.
- Reviewed the 3 bids that were received to purchase a new bus. This will be done with grant monies.
- We have turned down the 31aa monies offered. This will not affect the budget as the money was never in the budget.
- We have SRO funding through this year and next but not sure what will happen after that.
- The state recently gave money to teachers and anyone in a union. We would like to build into the budget a bonus for those forgotten employees that do not fall under those categories.
- Lydia Seaver has left her teaching position at the high school. Jacob Tumele has taken that position along with the zero hour PE position.
- Cheryle Doran, Karey Reichert-Slater and Lori Flock have all submitted their retirement letters for the end of this school year.

Facilities/Policy – Met 01/12/2026

- Nothing new for policies.
- Pathfinder chiller is a mystery and a team of engineers is looking into the issue.
- 7th grade bathroom urinals are fixed.
- Right now, there is one boiler down at the high school.
- Discussed the lighting at the high school...looking for options to use what is already on place versus replacing it.

Board Communications/Discussion:

- A. Review the bid for a new bus from Midwest Transit for \$149,995.

Action Agenda:

7083– Motion by Kim and seconded by Carrie to approve the policy updates from the last board meeting.

Ayes – 5; Nays – 0; Motion passed.

7084- Motion by Matt and seconded by Jared to approve the bid from Midwest Transit for \$149,995.00 for a new bus.

Ayes – 5; Nays – 0; Motion passed.

Adjournment:

7085- Motion by Jared and seconded by Kim to adjourn the meeting at 7:37 pm.

Ayes – 5; Nays – 0 Motion passed.

Kim Rasch, Secretary