

MINUTES

REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION TURNER USD 202

Tuesday, April 15, 2025 (6:30PM)

Call to Order

ROLL CALL

UPON THE ROLL BEING CALLED, THE FOLLOWING WERE PRESENT:

BOARD MEMBERS:

Joy Beery
Becky Billigmeier
Bryan Fishbaugh
Daniel Soptic
Steve Russell
Theresa Rangel

ALSO IN ATTENDANCE:

Dr. Jason Dandoy, Superintendent of Schools
Christy Compton, Director of Special Services

ABSENT:

Jeff Davidson
Joy Engel, Assistant Superintendent of Student Services
Dr. Lana Gerber, Executive Director of Administrative Services

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Agenda

Motion to approve the agenda as presented.

Member (**Joy Beery**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye: **6** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Minutes

Motion to approve the minutes from the April 1, 2025 Board Meeting.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye: **6** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Finance

Motion to approve the General Operating Fund Payables, Food Service Payables, Voucher Summary, Activity Summary, April Board of Public Utilities, March Board of Public Utilities, March General Fund Addendum, March Food Service Addendum, and Budget Summary of Funds as presented.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye: **6** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Recoating the Roof at Transportation

Motion to accept the proposal provided by SHC Roofing and Garland Co. to apply a re-coat on the roof of Transportation as approved in 2024-25 CIP.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Full Roof Replacement at TRC

Motion to accept and approve the proposal provided by Godard and Son, and Garland Co.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Out-of-State Travel for International PAT Conference

Motion to approve out-of-state travel as presented.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

JSOC STEM grant from Burns and McDonnell

Motion to approve the grant submission as presented.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Public Comment

There was no public comment.

Giving the Basics

A representative from Giving the Basics gave a presentation to the board regarding the program.

PRIDE Award Presentation

Dr. Attebery presented the PRIDE Award to classified staff member Brenda Wardle and certified staff member Jaylee Steinman.

Focus on Learning

Motion to accept the Focus on Learning presentation given by Turner Middle School.

Member (**Joy Beery**) Moved, Member (**Bryan Fishbaugh**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Turner Recreation Commission Position #2 Interviews

At the March 4, 2025 regular meeting the board approved the posting of Turner Recreation Commission position #2. The board reviewed applicants in open session.

Turner Recreation Commission #2

Motion to appoint Jason Sutton to Turner Recreation Commission Position #2.

Member (**Daniel Soptic**) Moved, Member (**Bryan Fishbaugh**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Strategic Plan Update- Quarter 3

Motion to approve the quarter 3 Strategic Plan update.

Member (**Steve Russell**) Moved, Member (**Joy Beery**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Early Graduation-IS

Motion to approve early graduation for IS.

Member (**Steve Russell**) Moved, Member (**Joy Beery**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Cardian Emergency Response Plan

Motion to approve the Cardiac Emergency Response Plan as presented by Christina Compton-Haggard, Director of Special Services.

Member (**Steve Russell**) Moved, Member (**Bryan Fishbaugh**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye:6 Nay: 0. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Superintendent's Report

Dr. Dandoy shared that a presentation from the JSOC Real World Learning Ambassadors is attached in Electronic School Board and the students did a great job giving their presentation at the Real World Learning Conference last week. He also shared that the Turner Foundation met this evening and approved all eight scholarship applications that had been received. The district received notification of their first CTE Scholar from the Department of Education.

Board Reports

Joy Beery- Ms. Beery shared that she is very proud of the schools that received Challenge Awards, especially Turner Middle School which has come a long way and she can see the difference in the students.

Becky Billigmeier- Ms. Billigmeier enjoyed hearing about the Medical Detectives program at Turner Middle School and thinks it will help students discover what they may or may not want to do in their future.

Bryan Fishbaugh- Mr. Fishbaugh shared that he enjoyed Turner Middle School's Focus on Learning presentation. He also complimented the grounds crew for their upkeep of the baseball and softball fields. He also shared he was able to attend the TRC Easter Egg Hunt. It was a great time and it was great to see the community come out and participate. It is also great to see all of the good things taking place in the district and Ms. Aiello does a fantastic job with social media and posts.

Daniel Soptic- Mr. Soptic shared that it was great that Mr. Sutton applied for the TRC Commission position and he feels they need to work on cultivating more interested parties to get involved. He also shared how some of the fine arts students do not feel they receive the same recognition that athletics students receive. There was a discussion regarding this topic.

Steve Russell- Mr. Russell offered his congratulations to the JAG winners from Turner Middle School. The Medical Detectives program at Turner Middle School seems to be a popular program and he wondered in maybe there are also other similar programs available that they could participate in. He congratulated Mr. Sutton for his appointment to the TRC Board and acknowledge the years of service that Mr. Jarsulic gave the Turner Recreation Commission in his board position and thanked him for his service.

Personnel Exhibits

Motion to approve the personnel exhibits as presented.

Member (**Becky Billigmeier**) Moved, Member (**Steve Russell**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye: **6** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

Adjourn the Meeting

Motion to adjourn the meeting at 7:40pm.

Member (**Daniel Soptic**) Moved, Member (**Bryan Fishbaugh**) Seconded

Final Resolution was: Aye: **6** Nay: **0**. The motion **Carried. 6 - 0**

Joy Beery- Yes, Becky Billigmeier- Yes, Bryan Fishbaugh- Yes, Daniel Soptic- Yes, Steve Russell- Yes, Theresa Rangel- Yes.

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Theresa Rangel, Board President

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Melissa Pierce, Clerk of the Board