



FOWLER

Unified School District

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT 225
FOWLER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING Minutes
(February 11th, 2026)
Fowler Elementary School at 7:00 PM

Members present: **TJ Milford, Anna Wellborn, Kelli Humiston, Michael Goff, Omar Mijares**

Also present: **Debbie Wise, Ann Phillips, Sarah Zortman, Sam Sprouse, Danny Chamberlain, Lynnlea Anderson, Kim McLachlan, Amy Ricks and Raquel Saucedo.** Betty Mendoza arrived at 7:05pm.

A. ROUTINE ITEMS

1. Call to Order- **Milford Called the meeting to order at 7:00pm**
2. Pledge of Allegiance & Opening Prayer
3. Adoption of Agenda **(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Humiston to approve agenda (5-0)**

B. COMMUNICATION-*Persons may present ideas or concerns regarding USD 225. No action will be taken by the Board at this meeting. Personalities and behavior of employees are not to be presented during this period but are to be reported to the employee's immediate supervisor. The president shall determine the amount of time to be spent for citizen participation.*

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C. CONSENT AGENDA (Action)- Motion by Humiston, seconded by Milford to approve the consent agenda (5-0)

1. Approval of Minutes (January 12th, 2026)
2. Approval of Financial Reports & Payments
3. Gifts & Grants
4. Resignations/New Hires/Appointments
5. GoEdustar Student Management System Annual Renewal

D. REPORTS

1. Fowler Action Committee- **NA**
2. Special Education Cooperative- **Information provided by Milford and Ricks**
3. Superintendent Report- **Report given by Ricks**
4. Board Comments- **various comments made**

E. OLD BUSINESS

1. Device Usage Policy-1st Read, Information Only
2. Facility Use Policy-**(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Humiston (5-0)**
3. Copy Machines–Purchase or lease **(Action) Tabled until March**
4. Wellness Center Contract- **(Action) Motion by Milford, seconded by Wellborn to adopt updated contract (5-0)**

F. NEW BUSINESS



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1. Disposal of surplus property: Superior Refrigeration Unit and ice machine from GS Cafeteria and Accutemp Evolution Steamer **(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Humiston to dispose of property (5-0)**
2. Disposal of surplus property: 2002 Bus—multiple mechanical issues **(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Humiston to declare surplus property and place on Purple Wave (5-0)**
3. Approve Andrea Winter for the Rec. Board **(Action) Motion by Milford, seconded by Mijares (5-0)**
4. Appointment of Cooperative Agreement Joint Committee Representatives (2 min.) **(Action) Motion by Milford, seconded by Mijares to appoint Wellborn and Humiston (5-0)**
5. Appointment of Negotiations Committee Members (2 min.) **(Action) Motion by Humiston, seconded by Mijares to appoint Wellborn and Milford (5-0)**
6. Appointment of SKACD board member representative **(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Milford to appoint Milford at primary and Humiston as alternate (5-0)**
7. 2026-2027 Calendar - **(Action) Motion by Milford, seconded by Wellborn to approve calendar A (5-0)**
8. Administrative Handbook- 1st Read, information only
9. Web Filter -Information only
Milford exited meeting at 8:12pm
10. Electronics purchase (whiteboards)-**(Action) Motion by Wellborn, seconded by Humiston to accept Way Out There bids (4-0)**
Milford returned at 8:15
11. Controller Bid-Dome **(Action) Motion by Milford, seconded by Mijares to accept the upgrade controller bid as presented (5-0)**

G. EXECUTIVE SESSION

Recommendation (minutes): Mr. President, I move we go into Executive Session to discuss personnel matters of non-elected personnel in order to protect the privacy interest of the individual(s) to be discussed, pursuant to non-elected personnel exception under Kansas Open Meetings Act and that the board return to the open meeting at ____ o'clock in this room.

1. Personnel -30 minutes **Motion by Milford, seconded by Wellborn to enter into executive session to discuss personnel matters for 30 minutes, return at 8:40 (5-0)**
2. Negotiations-15 minutes **Motion by Milford, seconded by Mijares to enter into executive session to discuss negotiations for 10 minutes, return at 8:50 (5-0)**
3. Data relating to financial affairs- 15 minutes **Motion by Milford, seconded by Humiston to go into executive session for 20 minutes to discuss data relating to financial affairs, return at 9:15 (5-0)**



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No action was taken after executive sessions

H. ADJOURNMENT- Motion by Humiston, seconded by Wellborn to adjourn at 9:15 (5-0)

For the Board of Education

_____, Board Clerk _____, Board President