

**LEWIS CENTRAL BOARD OF DIRECTORS
BOARD MEETING
MONDAY, AUGUST 3, 2026
EDUCATIONAL RESOURCE CENTER
Official Minutes**

Call to Order

Board Vice President Greg Sturm called the regular meeting to order at 6:30 pm. At roll call, the following board members responded as present: Mr. Bach, Mrs. Peterson, Mrs. Sandau, Mr. Sorensen (via telephone), and Mr. Sturm.

Board Members Absent: Ms. Adkins and Mr. Wright

Administrators

Dr. Brent Hoelsing, Andrea Raes, Dr. Lisa Hartman

Approve Agenda

Motion to Approve: Mrs. Sandau

Second: Mr. Bach

Discussion: None

Carried: 5-0

Commendations/Good News/Visitors

- Spring & Summer Activity Honors
- Fall Activities Starting

Comments & Suggestions

None

Consent Agenda

Mr. Bach moved, seconded by Mrs. Sandau, that the consent agenda be approved as presented. Discussion: The Consent Agenda included approval of minutes – July 13th regular board meeting. Financial Reports. Bills recommended for payment. Personnel – Administrative Recommendations: Approval to Employ – Eric Nelson, Substitute Teacher/Maintenance Technician; Melinda Lehman, KR Nutrition Services Assoc; Terry Smother, TRN Bus Monitor. Resignations/Terminations/ Rescinded Offers – Carla Pospisal, TH PT Custodian; Meredith, KR Paraeducator; Molly Williams, TH Paraeducator. Staff Changes – William Mowery, TRN Bus Driver to Bus Monitor; Nicole Mcglade, MS Assistant to MS Head Volleyball Coach. Miscellaneous Contracts. Gifts/Grants. Fundraisers.

Carried: 5-0

Reports

- Dr. Hoelsing presented the superintendent update including a summer projects update.

Discussion Items

7.01 Titan Hill Sanitary Bid

Dr. Hoelsing presented the bids to repair a sanitary pipe break and belly at Titan Hill. The low bid was from Viper in the amount of \$24,379.89.

7.02 Board Policy Updates – Final Reading (Legislative Changes)

Dr. Hoelsing presented the Board Policies Updates due to legislative changes.

7.03 Open Enrollment Request (Closed Session)

Closed Session per Iowa Code 21.5 (1) (a), closed session is appropriate to review or discuss records which are required or authorized by state or federal law to be kept confidential or to be kept confidential as a condition for that governmental body's possession or continued receipt of federal funds.

Motion: Mrs. Sandau

Second: Mrs. Peterson

Discussion: None

Carried via Roll Call Vote: Mrs. Sandau, aye; Mr. Sorensen, aye; Mr. Bach, aye; Mrs. Peterson, aye; and Mr. Sturm, aye.

The board entered closed session at 7:00 p.m.

The board exited closed session at 7:14 p.m.

Comments & Suggestions

None

Action Items

9.01 Titan Hill Sanitary Bid

Motion by Mr. Sorensen to approve the bid from Viper for \$24,379.89.

Seconded: Mrs. Sandau

Discussion: None

Carried: 5-0

9.02 Board Policy Updates – Final Reading (Legislative Changes)

Motion by Mr. Sorensen to approve the first and final reading of policies as presented due to required legislative updates.

Seconded: Mrs. Sandau

Discussion: None

Carried: 5-0

9.03 Open Enrollment Request

Motion by Mrs. Sandau to deny the open enrollment request for Student A.

Seconded: Mrs. Sorensen

Discussion: None

Carried: 5-0

Information/Future Items

*Regular Board Meeting – August 17th at 6:30 pm

*First Day of School – August 24th

*Regular Board Meeting – August 31st at 6:30 pm

Adjournment

With no further business before them, at 7:18 pm. Mrs. Peterson motioned to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Mr. Bach. By voice vote, all were in favor.

Approved

Tim Wright
President, Lewis Central Board of Education

Andrea Raes
Board Secretary, Lewis Central Board of Education