

**Eldora-New Providence Schools Board of Education  
Regular Meeting Minutes  
August 11, 2025 – South Hardin Media Center**

**Present:** Board Members: Jared Cook, Jay Stanish, Breanne Butler, Marc Anderson, with Superintendent Chris Fenster, Board Secretary Jon Kies, and visitors.

**Call to Order:** The meeting was called to order at 7p.m. by Board President Cook with the reading of the mission statement: “Embracing today’s challenges, preparing for tomorrow’s world.”

**Discuss/Action Consent Agenda:**

Motion by Stanish, seconded by Butler to approve the consent agenda. All voted in favor. Motion carried. Items included: August Board Meeting Agenda, July 2025 Meeting Minutes, Report of Disbursements, Financial Report, Open Enrollments: Roman and Jericho Eatman from ENP to Iowa Falls; Addison Mishler from ENP to CAM – Iowa Connections Academy; Theodore Schwyn from BCLUW to ENP (HSAP); Joshua Smith from BCLUW to ENP; Reid Thompson from ENP to Iowa Falls; Audrey Jones from AGWSR to ENP, Antonio Martin from ENP to Choice Charter, Staff Resignations: Jon Kies as School Business Official, Staff Recommendations: Shawn Wesselmann as high school special education paraprofessional; Carter Bussanmas as volunteer high school football coach

**Public Report Time:**

No public comments were made.

**Discuss/Action 25-26 Technology services agreement with Central Rivers AEA:**

Motion by Butler, seconded by Anderson to approve 25-26 Technology services agreement with Central Rivers AEA. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action 25-26 Service agreement with Central Rivers AEA:**

Motion by Anderson, seconded by Butler to approve 25-26 Service agreement with Central Rivers AEA. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action Work experience coordinator with Central Rivers AEA:**

Motion by Butler, seconded by Stanish to approve the Work experience coordinator with Central Rivers AEA. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action on Depositories for District:**

Motion by Anderson seconded by Stanish to approve the depositories for the district. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action on Attorney for District:**

Motion by Anderson seconded by Butler to approve the attorney for the district as Ahlers and Cooney. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action on sharing agreements and contracts:** Motion by Butler seconded by Anderson to approve the sharing agreements and contracts presented. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action Internal transfers within the Activity Fund:**

Motion by Stanish seconded by Butler to approve the internal transfers within the activity fund. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action Second and Final Reading of Board Policy 705.1 Purchasing – Bidding:**

Motion by Butler seconded by Anderson to approve increasing the superintendent's purchasing authority from \$5,000 to \$10,000 on second and final reading. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action CIS Auctions contract to sell old buses:**

Motion by Anderson seconded by Butler to approve the contract to sell old buses with CIS Auctions. All voted in favor. Motion carried.

**Discuss/Action on new ELA Curriculum:**

Motion by Anderson and seconded by Butler to approve the new ELA Curriculum. All voted in favor. Motion Carried.

**Discuss Summer Projects:**

Superintendent Fenster and Mike May Jr. spoke about the summer project currently in progress.

**Administrator/Supervisor/Superintendent Comments:**

Chris Fenster, Mike Rundall and Kassander Albright gave their respective updates to the board.

**Set Date and Time of Next Regular Meeting:**

The next regular meeting will be held on September 8 2025, at 7pm at the ENP District Office.

**Adjourn:**

With no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 8:02pm