

UNIFIED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 422
KIOWA COUNTY, GREENSBURG, KANSAS
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
APRIL 27, 2026

CALL TO ORDER: The Board of Education of Unified School District No. 422, State of Kansas, Kiowa County, met for a regular meeting at the school district office, 710 S. Main Street in Greensburg. The meeting was called to order by Ki Gamble at 8:02 p.m.

MEMBERS: Ki Gamble, Rustin Ardery, Jamie Brown, J. Wynn Fleener, Mike Greenleaf, Tyler Heinson

ABSENT: Cory Zenger

STAFF: Brandie Waldschmidt, Travis Powell, Stephanie White-Neuhold, Cassie Kirby, Peter Blanton

APPROVE AGENDA: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Jamie Brown to approve the agenda with one addition:
1. Consider selling 2013-14 bus
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE MINUTES: A motion was made by Jamie Brown and seconded by Tyler Heinson to approve the minutes of the regular meeting held April 13, 2026.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE PAYMENT OF BILLS: A motion was made by Tyler Heinson and seconded by Mike Greenleaf to approve payment of additional April bills in the amount of \$212,337.45.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED

INCREASE SUBSTITUTE TEACHER PAY: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Mike Greenleaf to increase substitute teacher pay to \$120 per day for the 2026-27 school year; and to establish a long-term substitute rate of \$170 per consecutive day after the first 10 consecutive days.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED

APPROVE POLICY UPDATE: A motion was made by Jamie Brown and seconded by Tyler Heinson to adopt an update to KASB policy JCDC, as recommended by the superintendent.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED

- HIRE DRIVER'S
ED TEACHERS: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Rustin Ardery to hire Brent Hoelting and Ryan Schmidt to teach driver's education for summer 2026, at a total cost of \$225 per student (split between the two teachers).
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- EXECUTIVE
SESSION: A motion was made by Tyler Heinson and seconded by Rustin Ardery that the board and administration go into executive session at 8:17 p.m. to discuss employee performance, pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under the Kansas Open Meeting Act, and that the open meeting will resume at 8:50 p.m.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- EXECUTIVE
SESSION: A motion was made by Tyler Heinson and seconded by Rustin Ardery that the board and administration go into executive session at 8:50 p.m. to discuss teacher negotiation items, pursuant to the employer-employee negotiations exception under the Kansas Open Meeting Act, and that the open meeting will resume at 8:55 p.m.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- EXTEND
CONTRACTS: A motion was made by Tyler Heinson and seconded by Mike Greenleaf to extend contracts to all current teachers for the 2026-27 school year.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- SELL
SUBURBAN: A motion was made by Mike Greenleaf and seconded by J. Wynn Fleener to sell a 2007 Suburban for the high bid of \$6,113.11 submitted by Pretty Prairie USD 311.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- SELL IMPALA: A motion was made by Rustin Ardery and seconded by Tyler Heinson to sell a 2011 Impala for the high bid of \$6,113.11 submitted by Pretty Prairie USD 311.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- APPROVE
SALE OF BUS: A motion was made by J. Wynn Fleener and seconded by Tyler Heinson to approve selling a 2013-14 14-passenger bus for \$15,000.
Yes: 6 No: 0 PASSED
- REPORTS: The principals reported on student testing, music concerts and competitions and other school activities.

REPORTS
(continued):

The superintendent asked for board member volunteers to assist with graduation ceremonies. Ki Gamble and Mike Greenleaf will help with high school graduation, and Tyler Heinson and Jamie Brown will assist with eighth grade promotion.

ADJOURNMENT: President Ki Gamble declared the meeting adjourned at 9:31 p.m.

President, Board of Education

Clerk, Board of Education