Villisca Community School
Regular Session
July 9, 2026

President Jason Poston called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. in the Board Room. Directors answering roll call were Gray, Mullen, Poston, Shipley, and Williams. Also present were Superintendent Hood, Principal Sherley, and Secretary Forsythe. Visitors that were also present Amber Mullen, Ryan Hanson, and Andrew Herzberg.

MOTION by Mullen, second by Williams to approve the agenda, with the following deletion VIII. a. staff resignations and b. new hires. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Shipley, second by Gray to approve the consent items. Motion carried unanimously.
Approved the June 2026 minutes
Approved the bills presented for payment

MOTION by Mullen, second by Williams to approve the June financial report and file for audit. Motion carried unanimously.

Superintendent's Report:
Superintendent Hood held discussion with the board regarding his weekly reporting process.

MOTION by Gray, second by Williams to approve the Open Enrollment out of 1 student to Red Oak and 1 student from Lenox for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Williams, second by Mullen to approve the Wellness Center Membership Rate increase of $3.00, starting with August 2026. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Shipley, second by Gray to approve the ECEC Playground project as presented from Boland. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Williams, second by Shipley to approve the 8th grade eligibility in varsity sports for golf, tennis, baseball, and softball. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Gray, second by Mullen to approve the counseling support with the AEA for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously

MOTION by Mullen, second by Gray to approve Bank Iowa with a maximum balance of $10,000,000 and Bankers Trust for a maximum balance of $1,000,000 as the District's Financial Depository Institutions for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Shipley, second by Mullen to approve appointing of Ahlers and Cooney as District Attorney for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Gray, second by Williams to approve the Adams County Free Press as District Newspaper publication for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Shipley, second by Mullen to approve the appointment of Tim Hood as the District's Affirmative Action Coordinator for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Mullen, second by Gray to approve the appointment of Jamie Sherley as the District's Level I Investigator and the SRO Officer as needed for Level I and II services for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Williams, second by Shipley to approve Jessie Forsythe as the District's Treasurer and Secretary for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

Jessie Forsythe was administered the Oath of Office for Board Secretary and Treasurer, by board member Mullen.

MOTION by Shipley, second by Gray to approve milk bid from Anderson Erickson for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Mullen, second by Williams to approve the bread bid from Bimbo Bakeries for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Gray, second by Williams to approve the gas/fuel bid from New Cooperative for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Gray, second by Mullen to approve Leland Shipley as the Legislative Action Network Member and IASB Delegate for the 2026-2027 school year. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Gray, second by Williams to approve the board's IASB 2026 Legislative Priorities. Motion carried unanimously.

MOTION by Williams, second by Mullen to adjourn the meeting at 7:42 p.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Jessie Forsythe
District Secretary

Jason Poston
President