

**CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY**

MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING/WORKSHOP

JUNE 5, 2025

6:00 P.M.

REGULAR BOARD MEETING/WORKSHOP

The Christian County Board of Education met on Thursday, June 5, 2025, at 6:00 P.M. for a Regular Board Meeting/Workshop held at 200 Glass Ave, Hopkinsville, KY 42240.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

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Mr. Tom Bell, Chair

Aniyah Lewis, CCHS Student Board Member Representative

Mr. Lindsey Clark, Vice-Chair

Ms. Rebecca Pepper

Ms. Ambrea Watkins

Ms. Erin Westerfield

Mollie Goode, HHS Student Board Member Representative

Mr. Chris Bentzel, Superintendent and Board Secretary

Also present: Mr. Jack Lackey, Jr., School Board Attorney, Administrators, and Guests

ACTION/ITEMS

RECOGNITIONS:

A) Commemorative T-Shirt Contest Winners:

Christian County High School:

1st Place: *Keona Young, 12th Grade*

2nd Place: *Brianna Galan, 11th Grade*

3rd Place: *Reyna Price, 12th Grade*

Hopkinsville High School:

1st Place: *Jaydah Johnson, 12th Grade*

2nd Place: *Adriana Reyes, 9th Grade*

3rd Place: *Sergio Morales, 9th Grade*

Gateway Academy:

1st Place: *Tyler Hesson, 10th Grade*

2nd Place: *Charley Westerfield, 9th Grade*

3rd Place: *Jessica Velazquez, 9th Grade*

B) *Priscilla Kirby & Whitney Aldridge - 2025 Project Graduation*

CALL TO ORDER Mr. Bell called the meeting to order at 6:16 p.m.

#242 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Watkins, to approve the agenda as presented (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Watkins, Ms. Westerfield,
 Ms. Pepper Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

COMMUNICATIONS:

**PRESENTATIONS: NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL CONSTRUCTION
 UPDATE**

Jason Wilson, Interim Assistant Superintendent, was present to provide the Board with a Construction Update on the new Christian County High School (a copy of which is attached to the minutes.)

**VISITORS AND OPEN FORUM
NONE**

**#243 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL CHANGE ORDER NUMBER SEVENTY ONE (71) FOR THE
NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

Motion by Ms. Pepper, second by Ms. Westerfield, to Approve Change Order Number Seventy One (71) for the New Christian County High School (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Ms. Pepper, Ms. Westerfield, Ms. Watkins,
 Mr. Clark, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

**#244 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL CHANGE ORDER NUMBER SEVENTY TWO (72) FOR THE
NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL**

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to Approve Change Order Number Seventy Two (72) for the New Christian County High School (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Westerfield, Ms. Watkins,
 Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#245 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL CHANGE ORDER NUMBER SEVENTY THREE (73) FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to Approve Change Order Number Seventy Three (73) for the New Christian County High School (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Pepper, Ms. Watkins,
Ms. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#246 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL CHANGE ORDER NUMBER SEVENTY FOUR (74) FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Motion by Ms. Pepper, second by Mr. Clark, to Approve Change Order Number Seventy Four (74) for the New Christian County High School (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Ms. Pepper, Mr. Clark, Ms. Watkins,
Ms. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#247 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL INVOICE TO HAFER ARCHITECTS FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Watkins, to approve the Invoice from Hafer Architects for the New Christian County High School Project (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Watkins, Ms. Westerfield,
Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#248 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL PERMISSION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR PHYSICALS FOR FY25-26

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve to Advertise for Bids for Physicals for FY25-26.

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Pepper, Ms. Watkins,
Ms. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#249 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL BG-1 FOR MILLBROOKE ELEMENTARY PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to approve the BG-1 for Millbrooke Elementary Project (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Westerfield, Ms. Watkins,
Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#250 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL BG-1 FOR DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. EARLY LEARNING CENTER EXPANSION PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve the BG-1 for Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Early Learning Center Expansion Project (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Pepper, Ms. Westerfield,
Ms. Watkins, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#251 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL PERMISSION TO ADVERTISE FOR BIDS FOR PAINT AT DR. MARTIN LUTHER KING, JR. EARLY LEARNING CENTER

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve to Advertise for Bids for Paint at Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Early Learning Center.

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Pepper, Ms. Watkins,
Ms. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#252 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL DISTRICT FACILITIES PLAN HEARING OFFICER'S REPORT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Watkins, to approve the District Facilities Plan Hearing Officer's Report (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Watkins, Ms. Westerfield,
Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#253 ADJOURN

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Watkins, to adjourn (6:45 P.M.)

Voting Yes: Mr. Clark, Ms. Watkins, Ms. Westerfield,
Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

APPROVED CHAIRPERSON _____

APPROVED SECRETARY _____