

**CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
HOPKINSVILLE, KENTUCKY
MINUTES OF REGULAR BOARD MEETING/WORKSHOP
FEBRUARY 5, 2026
6:00 P.M.**

REGULAR BOARD MEETING/WORKSHOP

The Christian County Board of Education met on Thursday, February 5, 2026, at 6:00 P.M. for a Regular Board Meeting/Workshop.

BOARD MEMBERS PRESENT:

Mr. Tom Bell, Chair

Mr. Lindsey Clark, Vice-Chair

Ms. Rebecca Pepper

Ms. Erin Westerfield

Mr. KVeon Ivory, Student Board Member

Ms. Karla Quintanilla, Student Board Member

Mr. Chris Bentzel, Superintendent and Board Secretary

Also present: Administrators; and Guests

BOARD MEMBERS ABSENT:

Ms. Ambrea Watkins

ACTION/ITEMS

CALL TO ORDER Mr. Bell called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

#161 ELECTION OF SECRETARY FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Motion by Ms. Pepper, second by Mr. Clark, to elect Chris Bentzel as Secretary.

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

Voting No: NONE

#162 ELECTION OF TREASURER FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to elect Jessica Darnell as Treasurer.

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

Voting No: NONE

#163 ELECTION OF CHAIRMAN FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT FINANCE CORPORATION

No action taken.

#164 ELECTION OF VICE CHAIRMAN FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT FINANCE CORPORATION

No action taken.

#165 ELECTION OF SECRETARY FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT FINANCE CORPORATION

No action taken.

#166 ELECTION OF TREASURER FOR THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY SCHOOLS DISTRICT FINANCE CORPORATION

No action taken.

#167 APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, 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. Pepper, Ms. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

PRESENTATIONS: NURSES REPORT, 2nd NINE WEEKS

Megan Kidd, District Health Director, provided the 2nd nine weeks' nurses' report for the Board noting that 14,910 students had visited the nurses in the schools during the 2nd nine weeks of the 2025-26 school year (a copy of which is attached to the minutes.)

COMMUNICATIONS: VISITORS AND OPEN FORUM

NONE

#168 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL SELECTION OF BOARD MEMBER TO SERVE ON THE 2026-2027 CODE OF ACCEPTABLE BEHAVIOR & DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

Motion by Ms. Pepper, second by Mr. Clark, to nominate Ambrea Watkins as the Board Member Representative to serve on the 2026-2027 Code of Acceptable Behavior & Discipline Committee.

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

Voting No: NONE

#169 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL REVISION OF BOARD POLICY 05.1 CONSTRUCTION – FIRST READING

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve the Revision of Board Policy 05.1 Construction – First Reading (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

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

Voting No: NONE

#170 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL PROPOSAL FOR ABRE DATA PLATFORM

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve the Proposal for Abre Data Platform (a copy of which is attached and the terms of which are incorporated by reference.)

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

Voting No: NONE

#171 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO PURCHASE THREE ICE MACHINES FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to approve the Purchase of Three Ice Machines 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. Westerfield, Ms. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#172 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO ADVERTISE FOR BID FOR GRADUATION SERVICES FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to approve to Advertise for Bid for Graduation Services for the New Christian County High School.

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

Voting No: NONE

#173 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO ADVERTISE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR APPLIANCES AT THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve to Request for Proposals for Appliances at the New Christian County High School.

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

Voting No: NONE

#174 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO PURCHASE WEIGHT ROOM EQUIPMENT FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to approve to Purchase Weight Room Equipment 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. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#175 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO PURCHASE HEALTH SCIENCE EQUIPMENT FROM REALITYWORKS, INC. FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve to Purchase Health Science Equipment from Realityworks, Inc. 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. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#176 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO PURCHASE HEALTH SCIENCE EQUIPMENT FROM LEARNING LABS, INC. FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to approve to Purchase Health Science Equipment from Learning Labs, Inc. 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. Pepper, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#177 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO PURCHASE A VIEWSONIC BOARD FROM ENCORE TECHNOLOGIES FOR THE NEW CHRISTIAN COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL PROJECT

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to approve to Purchase a ViewSonic Board from Encore Technologies 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. Westerfield, Mr. Bell

Voting No: NONE

#178 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO ADVERTISE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING SERVICES AT THE STADIUM OF CHAMPIONS

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to advertise a Request for Proposals for Painting Services at the Stadium of Champions.

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

Voting No: NONE

#179 DISCUSSION/APPROVAL TO ADVERTISE A REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PAINTING SERVICES AT THE CHRISTIAN COUNTY LEARNING CENTER (OLD CCHS)

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Westerfield, to advertise a Request for Proposals for Painting Services at the Christian County Learning Center (old CCHS).

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

Voting No: NONE

#180 ADJOURN

Motion by Mr. Clark, second by Ms. Pepper, to adjourn (6:58 P.M.)

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

Voting No: NONE

APPROVED CHAIRPERSON _____

APPROVED SECRETARY _____