

Pikeville Independent Board of Education Regular Meeting

June 16, 2026 6:00 PM

John Waddell Administration Building

Attendance Taken at 6:07 PM:

Present Board Member(s):

Mrs. Ashley Brown

Dr. Kevin Pugh

Mr. Bill Staggs

Mr. Joe Ray Thornbury

Absent Board Member(s):

Mrs. Brittany Ratliff

I. Call to Order

Chairman Joe Ray Thornbury called the meeting to order and began with a moment of silence afterward, leading attendees in the Pledge of Allegiance.

II. Public Comment

None Given

III. Student Achievement

A. Student/Staff Recognition

Mr. Trimble recognized staff and students for their outstanding participation and accomplishments during Summer School, Camp Intervention, the Behavior Institute, Family Day Picnic, and the Kagan Leadership Academy. He commended everyone for their hard work, dedication, and commitment to learning and growth throughout these programs. The Board expressed appreciation to the staff for providing these valuable opportunities for students and families.

B. PES Principal's Report

Mr. Trimble shared Principal Glenda Adkins' brief recap of activities of both academic and athletic achievements.

C. PHS Principal's Report

Principal Brandon Blackburn shared with a brief recap of activities of both academic and athletic achievement.

D. District Administrator Reports

Mr. Frosty Davis, Director of Pupil Personnel, shared that the district's overall attendance rate was 94.1%. He noted that both Pikeville Elementary School (PES) and Pikeville High School (PHS) demonstrated excellent attendance, with PES achieving a slightly higher percentage during this reporting period. Mr. Davis credited the district's strong attendance rates to the combined efforts of school office staff, bus drivers, a positive school culture, parents who value education, and students who consistently make attendance a priority.

IV. Action/Consent Items

- A. Approve Minutes of the May 18, 2026 Special Meeting
- B. Approve Bills, Payrolls, and Financial Reports for the period May 19, 2026 to June 16, 2026
- C. Ratify Transportation/Trip Requests
 - 1. PHS Boys Basketball to Cincinnati, OH on June 6, 2026
 - 2. PHS Boys Basketball to Lexington, KY on June 12-13, 2026
- D. Approve Transportation/Trip Requests
 - 1. PJHS TSA to Alexandria, VA on June 22-26, 2026
 - 2. PHS Volleyball to Morehead, KY on July 11-13, 2026
 - 3. PHS Boys Soccer to Lexington, KY on July 24-25, 2026
 - 4. PHS Volleyball to Lexington, KY on July 31 to August 2, 2026
- E. Approve Amended PHS 2026-2027 SBDM Allocation
- F. Approve 2026-2027 Textbook Adoptions
- G. Approve Commitment for Site Based Carryforward
- H. Approve Commitment of Sick Leave Payable
- I. Approve 2026-2027 Pledge of Collateral Agreement with Community Trust Bank
- J. Approve 2026-2027 Fidelity Bond for K. Denise Clark, Treasurer
- K. Approve Pikeville Independent Schools Police Department Operating Procedure Manual
- L. Approve Pikeville Independent Schools Police Department MOU with City of Pikeville
- M. Approve 2026-2027 Cyber/Technology Security Insurance
- N. Approve 2026-2027 Property/Fleet/Liability - Liberty Mutual
- O. Approve 2026-2027 Workers Compensation Insurance - KEMI
- P. Approve 2026-2027 Contract with Mary Elizabeth Doyle for Psychological Services
- Q. Approve 2026-2027 School Fees

Order #2122 - Motion Passed: Motion to approve all action/consent items as presented passed unanimously with a motion by Dr. Kevin Pugh and a second by Mrs. Ashley Brown.

V. Action/Discussion Items

A. KSBA Policy/Procedure Updates – First Reading

Mr. Trimble noted that the policy updates were based on KSBA recommendations and no action was necessary for the first reading.

B. Other Business

Mr. Trimble discussed the draft copy of the District Facilities Plan with the Board. He provided an overview of the proposed priorities and future facility needs outlined in the plan and noted that the document remains in draft form pending further review and feedback.

VI. Information/Review Items

A. Personnel Report

Superintendent's Personnel Report June 2026

NEW HIRES:

Michael Davis, Cook - District Wide
C. Shane Simpkins, Community Grant Coordinator/Dean of Students - PHS
Christine Tchalikian, Athletic Trainer - District Wide
Miranda Trimble, Community Grant Coordinator/Reading Intervention - PES

TRANSFERS:

Drew Hamilton, 4th Grade Teacher to 1st Grade Teacher
C. Daniel Harmon, Business Teacher to Junior High JAG Specialist
Erin Newsome, 3rd Grade Teacher to 4th Grade Teacher
Amanda Robinson, Technology Teacher to 5th Grade Teacher

RESIGNATIONS:

Natasha Baird, 5th Grade Teacher - PES
Chad Bowling, Head Boys & Girls Golf Coach - PHS

B. Miscellaneous

None Given

VII. Closed Session

None

VIII. Return to Regular Session

None

IX. Adjournment

Order #2123 - Motion Passed: Adjournment passed unanimously with a motion by Mr. Bill Staggs and a second by Dr. Kevin Pugh.

Joe Ray Thornbury, Chairman
Pikeville Independent Board of Education

David Trimble, Superintendent/Secretary
Pikeville Independent Board of Education