



Fayette County Public Schools

Executive Summary Fayette County Public Schools Board Meeting Agenda Item

MEETING: Planning

DATE: 9/21/2026

TOPIC: Unaudited FY 2026 Annual Financial Reports

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Recommended Action on: 10/12/2026
Discussion Item

Superintendent Prior Approval: Yes

Recommendation/Motion: Discussion item only.

Background/Rationale: Given that the district is currently operating under a deficit, management believes it is critical to maintain proactive, transparent communication rather than waiting for the formal audit completion later this year. To keep the Board fully informed, this report marks the beginning of regular monthly progress updates as we navigate the post-closing period. While the initial unaudited Annual Financial Report (AFR) has been submitted to KDE, the district's financial picture for the fiscal year is not yet static. We are currently inside the standard 60-day post-fiscal year window, during which we continue to identify, verify, and record additional lagging revenues and outstanding expenditures attributable to the prior fiscal year.

Strategic Priority:

- ☐ Student Achievement ☐ Diversity, Equity, Inclusion & Belonging
- ☐ Highly Effective, Culturally Responsive Workforce
- ☐ Stakeholder Engagement & Outreach ☒ Organizational Health & Efficiency

Data Considerations: Use of District Funds

Policy: 01.11 General Powers and Duties of the Board

Fiscal Impact: General Fund ending unreserved balance for fiscal year 2026 is projected to be a deficit.

Attachments(s): 2026 Unaudited Annual Financial Report and Balance Sheet Report