



ANCHORAGE INDEPENDENT BOARD OF EDUCATION

Regular Monthly Board Meeting
April 22, 2026 at 6:00 p.m.
Anchorage Public School - Library
11400 Ridge Road, Anchorage, Kentucky 40223

Attendance taken at 6:02 p.m., 04/22/2026:

Present:

Hannah Barnes
Kayce Deutsch
Sara Tyler
Andrew O'Brien
Nancy Lynne Walters

1. Approval of Agenda

Motion Passed: Approve Agenda as presented passed with a motion by Andrew O'Brien and a second by Kayce Deutsch.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

2. Staff Recognition

New Staff Recognition

3. Persons Addressing the Board

No one addressed the Board.

4. Member Reports

- A. A.P.T.A. Report
- B. City Council Report - April 14, 2026
- C. Other Board Reports/Announcements
- D. Other Reports - G. Scott & Associates Architects, PLC
- E. Other Reports - American Fidelity

5. Appointment of Board Treasurer

Motion Passed: Appoint Finance Officer Eddie Muns as the 2026 Board Treasurer passed with a motion by Andrew O'Brien and a second by Kayce Deutsch.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

6. Staff & Special Reports

A. Facilities Report

B. Superintendent's Report

I. Personnel Report

II. Professional Development / Conference Schedule

III. Review of Superintendent's Itemized Travel Reimbursement Request

IV. Back Carpool Courtyard Project Discussion

C. APS Administration / School Council Report

I. Spring MAP Testing Results

II. HQIR Update

D. Treasurer's Report

E. Monthly Donation Report

7. Items for Action

A. Consent Items for Approval

I. Expenditures & Salaries

a. Vouchers & Expenses

b. School Activity Funds Report

II. APPROVAL – Fidelity Bond for Treasurer

III. APPROVAL - March 18, 2026 Regular Board Meeting Minutes

IV. APPROVAL – MOA with University of the Cumberlands for Student Teaching

V. APPROVAL - Staff Holidays for Year-Round Employees

VI. APPROVAL - Lightspeed Contract

VII. APPROVAL - STEP Management Information Base 6 month contract

VIII. APPROVAL - Donation Acceptance

Motion Passed: Approve consent items as presented passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes

Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

B. APPROVAL - Request to Participate in the Emergency Non-Certified School Personnel Program

Motion Passed: Approve Request to Participate in the Emergency Non-Certified School Personnel Program as presented passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

C. APPROVAL – 2028 Spanish Club Trip - Spain

Motion Passed: Approve the WorldStrides opportunity for students to travel to Spain in Spring 2028 passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

D. APPROVAL - Job Descriptions

Motion Passed: Approved Maintenance Substitute job description as presented passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

E. APPROVAL – District Technology Plan

Motion Passed: Approve the 2026-27 Anchorage Independent School District Technology Plan as amended passed with a motion by Andrew O'Brien and a second by Kayce Deutsch.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

F. APPROVAL – Appointment of an Auditor for FY26

Motion passed: Approve Superintendent to enter into a contract with Barnes Dennig in the amount of \$23,000 to audit all Board and School accounts for the 2026 fiscal year passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

G. APPROVAL - 2025-2026 SY Calendar

Motion Passed: Approve the revised 2025-26 Anchorage School Calendar as amended, which shifts the last day of school to June 2, 2026, graduation on May 29, 2026, and make May 29, 2026, and June 2, 2026, 1/2 days passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Nancy-Lynne Walters.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

H. APPROVAL - BG #25-419 Innovation Lab - Pay App #5 (Final) Derek Engineering & BG-4 Close Out Document

Motion Passed: Approve submission of BG-4 to Kentucky Department of Education and approve the final Pay App (#5) to Derek Engineering in the amount of \$9,100.55 passed with a motion by Andrew O'Brien and a second by Kayce Deutsch.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

I. APPROVAL - BG #26-299 - Roof Replacement

Motion Passed: Accept base bid and alternates 1, 2, 3 and 4 by Highland Roofing of Louisville for the roof replacement at Anchorage Public School and Anchorage Independent School District Building, BG #26-299, at a cost of \$1,142,914, to execute a contract with Highland Roofing in the amount of \$1,142,914, and further to submit a revised BG-1 to KDE to reflect current project values passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Sara Tyler.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Abstain

8. Other

Motion Passed: Approve 1.0 Innovation Lab Teacher job description and abolish 0.2 Math Teacher job description pending Board Member Sara Tyler's review of Innovation Lab Teacher job description passed with a motion by Kayce Deutsch and a second by Andrew O'Brien.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

9. Looking Ahead

10. CLOSED SESSION pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(c) for discussions of proposed or pending litigation against or on behalf of the district, and pursuant to KRS 61.810(1)(f) for discussions or hearings which might lead to the appointment, discipline, or dismissal of an individual employee
No closed session needed.

11. Items for Action Resulting from Closed Session (if any)
No closed session needed.

12. Adjournment

Motion Passed: Meeting Adjournment passed with a motion by Andrew O'Brien and a second by Kayce Deutsch.

Vote:

Hannah Barnes	Yes
Kayce Deutsch	Yes
Andrew O'Brien	Yes
Sara Tyler	Yes
Nancy Lynne Walters	Yes

These minutes represent a fair and accurate record of the meeting held by the Anchorage Board of Education.

Chair of the Board

Secretary to the Board

Treasurer for the Board