

SBDM Council
July 13, 2026 4:00 PM ET (3:00 CT)
RCMS Conference Room

Attendance Taken at : 4:05 PM

Present Board Members:

Leslie Watts
Kiersten Bradley
Kirsten Collins
Jonathan Cornett

Absent Board Members:

Morgan King
Vacant Seat

1. Call Meeting to Order

Meeting called to order at 4:05 p.m.

2. Recognize New and Present Members

3. Approval of the July 13, 2026 Agenda

Motion Passed: passed with a motion by Jonathan Cornett and a second by Kirsten Collins

4 Yeas - 0 Nays

4. Approval of the June 8, 2026 Minutes

Motion Passed: Approval of minutes passed with a motion by Mrs. Kiersten Bradley and a second by Jonathan Cornett

4 Yeas - 0 Nays

5. 2026-2027 SBDM Council Role Selection

a. Vice Chair -

Mrs. Bradley nominated Mrs. Collins as Vice Chair. All in favor.

b. Secretary -

Mrs. Bradley nominated Stacey Hammack as secretary. All in favor.

6. Good News Report

Mr. Watts reported that 1:1 discussions are progressing well. Athletic and STEM accomplishments discussed.

7. Public Comment(s)

8. School Improvement Planning

a. A. CSIP Timelines

Mr. Watts gave overview regarding CSIP with council.

I. August 1-October 1: Phase 1

A. Continuous Improvement Diagnostic

B. Executive Summary

C. School Safety Report

9. Budget Report

a. SEEK (Allocated) Budget Draft

Mr. Watts reviewed SEEK Budget with council. Will approve final next month. Motion made to approve tentative SEEK Budget made by Mr. Cornett and a second by Mrs. Bradley.

b. ESS Budget Draft

Mr. Watts advised council that we will approve ESS Budget next month.

10. New Business

a. Council "To-Do" List

I. Set 2026-2027 Meeting Dates and Times

2026-2027 SBDM meeting dates will be held on the second Monday of each month at 4:00 p.m. Motion to approve made by Mr. Cornett and a second by Mrs. Collins.

II. Required SBDM Council Law Review & Discussion

A. KRS 158.183

Mr. Watts reviewed with council and proof receipt signed by council.

B. KRS 158.195

Mr. Watts reviewed with council and proof of receipt signed by council.

C. Your Duty Under the Law

D. Managing Government Records

E. Required Forms

1. Certificate of Distribution

2. Proof of Receipt

Proof of receipt signed by council members.

III. SBDM Handbook

b. Open Discussion

Four minute passing time and student restroom use during class discussed by council.

11. Ongoing Learning

a. Council Training & Requirements

Mr. Watts discussed SBDM member training dates with council.

I. July 30, 2026: SBDM 101 New Member Training 8:30-3:30 at CO

II. July 30, 2026: SBDM 101 Experienced Member Training 12:30-3:30 at CO

III. July 31, 2026: Portrait of an SBDM-Experienced Members, 8:30-11:30 at CO

12. Announcements

a. 2026-2027 Rowan County Schools

b. Upcoming Events

Mr. Watts reviewed upcoming important dates with council.

I. July 29, 2026: New Teacher Orientation 8:30-4:00

II. August 3, 2026: Opening Day for Staff

III. August 4, 2026: Districtwide Leader in Me Training

IV. August 4, 2026: RCMS Open House 5:00-7:00 PM

V. August 5, 2026: School-Level Leader in Me Training

VI. August 6-7, 2026: School-Level Professional Development

VII. August 10, 2026: Instructional Work Day (No Students)

VIII. August 11, 2026: First Day for Students

IX. September 7, 2026: Labor Day Holiday (No School)

13. Closed Session Pursuant to KRS 61.810

Motion to adjourn to closed session made by Mr. Cornett and a second by Mrs. Bradley at 4:36 p.m.

14. Adjournment

Meeting adjourned at 4:49 p.m.



Principal