

July 9, 2026 at 9:50 a.m.

The Kelleys Island Board of Education met in regular session for the transaction of business. The following members responded to roll call: Mrs. Janet Wermuth, Ms. Abbey Rosado, Mrs. Nataliya Makarova Skeans, and Mrs. Kathey Phinney.

Ben Ohlemacher, Superintendent, led all present in the Pledge of Allegiance.

Betty Schwiefert, Treasurer, reviewed the June 2026 financial report, donations and end of year processes.

Ben Ohlemacher, Superintendent, shared the following information:

- 1. Mission & Vision Updates
 - Work Session Date: Summer 2026
- 2. 125th Estes School Celebration (August 9th)
 - Promo Video
 - Town Hall Showings on Friday & Saturday of Homecoming
 - 125th Celebration To-Do List
 - Event Give-A-Ways
 - Food, Drinks & Entertainment
- 3. Field Station Renovation Update: NOW TBD
 - Erie Environmental Findings
 - Shaw Construction Proposal
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- 4. Preschool Update & 7th Grade Update
- 5. Teacher & Students Handbook Discussion
- 6. KI Facility Plan Update
 - Roof Update

It was moved by Abbey Rosado and seconded by Nataliya Skeans to approve the following:

- approve the minutes of the June 11, 2026 regular meeting as presented.
- approve the financial reports for June 2026 as presented.
- accept a donation of \$1,000.00 (Monarch Butterfly) from Protect with Intent/Leonard Advisory Group for Field Station.
- accept a donation of \$20.00 from Benjamin Ohlemacher for Sandusky City School's Green Devil For a Day visit.
- approve Agreement with RG Advisors for legislative services for FY27. Cost to be \$1,000.00 per month.
- approve proposal from Perry Pro Tech for 63-month copier lease agreement as presented.
- approve employment of Ellen Ralston as a teacher for the 2026-2027 School year. Salary to be at the current board approved salary at a rate to be determined based upon a maximum of 10 years of service and education attained and contingent upon all employment requirements. If insurance is taken, employment will be through North Point Educational Service Center.
- approve Denslow Mechanical proposal to repair fencing at a cost of \$6,500.00.
- approve Tek Seal proposal for asphalt sealing at a cost of \$7,500.00.
- approve Fitness Serve proposal for purchase of elliptical machine at a cost of \$5,417.53.
- initial read of NEOLA policies to be approved at the August 13, 2026 KILSD Board of Education meeting.
- approve membership in CORAS Legislative Council at a cost of \$5,000.00 annually through the North Point Educational Service Center.
- Approve the purchase of Tomcat 164-20TD Automatic Floor Scrubber, 20" Disk at a cost not to exceed \$8,500.00.

Roll Call: Rosado, yes; Skeans, yes; Phinney, yes; Wermuth, yes.
Motion Passed.

It was moved by Nataliya Skeans and seconded by Kathey Phinney to adjourn.
Roll Call: Skeans, yes; Phinney, yes; Rosado, yes; Wermuth, yes.
Motion passed.

The board adjourned at 11:26 a.m.