

**ALLENDALE PUBLIC SCHOOLS' BOARD OF EDUCATION  
REGULAR MEETING AGENDA FOR AUGUST 14, 2023, AT 6:00 P.M.  
OAKWOOD BOARD ROOM**

This meeting is a meeting of the Board of Education in public for the purpose of conducting the School District's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There is a time for public participation during the meeting as indicated on the agenda.

**I. CALL TO ORDER 6:00PM**

**II. MISSION STATEMENT**

Allendale Public Schools commit to educate, inspire, and support all students.

**III. ROLL CALL**

**Present:** Mango, Hendricks, Ramey, Cannata, Holstege, Thurkettle

**Absent:** DeJong

**Admin Present:** Cooper

**IV. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE**

**V. STATEMENT OF COMMITMENT – PRINCIPLE 3.13** Trustees make a commitment to devote time, thought and study to the duties and responsibilities of a Trustee and recognize that regular attendance at Board meetings is a requisite to the effective management of the district. (Secretary - Thurkettle)

**VI. PUBLIC PARTICIPATION PROCESS**

Members of the audience are welcome to make comments at the time designated on the agenda. Please register on the sign-up sheet and limit your comments to 3 minutes when your name is called. Out of respect for all individuals, please refrain from personal criticisms in an open forum. Policy #167.3

**VII. APPROVAL OF AGENDA**

Motion by Holstege, seconded by Hendricks, to approve the Agenda as presented. Motion Carries.

**VIII. CONSENT AGENDA**

**A. Minutes**

July 10, meeting minutes

**B. Financial Reports**

- a. General Fund Summary
- b. Year-to-Date Budget Report
- c. Cumulative Fund Activity Report

- d. Business Services Checklists
  - e. Financial Statement Notes
  - f. Check Register
- Wires: #4842 - 4866; Checks: 227457 - 227504;  
EFT: 15805 - 15875; Wires, EFT, & checks totaling = \$985,341.13

**C. Personnel Report**

Motion by Holstege, seconded by Hendricks, to approve the Consent Agenda as presented. Motion Carries.

**IX. EDUCATIONAL HIGHLIGHTS**

**A. New Athletic Director - Jason Dykstra**

**X. PUBLIC COMMENTS**

**Kyle Stelmach - PTO update**

**XI. COMMITTEE REPORTS**

**A. Ad Hoc (SEAB) - no updates**

**XII. SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT**

**A. Dates**

August 14 School Building Offices Reopen  
August 14 Regular Board of Education Meeting, 6:00 PM, Oakwood Board Room  
August 16-17 Middle School and High School Pictures and Schedule Pick Up  
August 17 6th Grade and Freshman Orientation  
August 23 Evergreen Elementary Open House 5:30-6:30  
PM Oakwood Intermediate Open House 7:00-8:00PM  
August 24 Early Childhood Center Open House 5:30-6:30 PM  
August 28 Y5 -12 First Day of School (Half Day)  
August 28 Board of Education Work Session, 6:00 PM, Oakwood Board Room  
August 29 AHS/NOHS Open House 6:00-7:00 PM  
August 30 Middle School Open House 6:00-7:00 PM  
September 1-4 No School, Labor Day Weekend

**B. 10-passenger vans - New vs Pre-Owned**

**C. Other**

**XIII. BOARD COMMENTS**

**Holstege**

**Cannata**

**XIV. PRESIDENT COMMENT**

**No Comment**

**XV. ACTION ITEMS**

**XVI. ADJOURNMENT**

**Motion by Holstege, support by Ramey to adjourn at 6:40 PM.**

Respectfully submitted,  
Josh Thirkettle