

**August Meeting
August 10, 2026**

The Wheeler Central Board of Education Budget Amendment Hearing was held August 10, 2026. Chairperson Swick called the meeting to order at 7:00 p.m. and pointed out the location of the Open Meetings Act poster. The roll was called with the following present: Dennis Derner, Sydney McKay, Zach Wright, Andrew Smith, Drew Kasselder, and Jessie Swick. Also present were Dan Kluver, Makayla Reiter, and Andrea Pelster.

The pledge of allegiance was recited.

Wright made a motion to approve the consent agenda. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

No Staff Reports were given.

Reiter gave the Principal report.

Kluver gave the Superintendent report.

A Board Report was given with the following motion made.

Smith made a motion to request a line of credit in the amount of \$800,000 from Farmers & Merchants Bank for the 2026-2027 fiscal year starting September 1, 2026 through August 31, 2027. Seconded by Wright. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

The following Board Policies were reviewed with no recommended changes: 4012, 4013, 4030, 4048, 4052, 3040.

Also during the Board Report, Wright made a motion to approve the 2026-2027 CWC Handbook. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Wright made a motion to approve Wheeler Central's fall contribution of \$7500 to the CWC account. Seconded by Smith. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Wright made a motion to approve up to \$15,958 for an upgraded phone system as presented in the Applied Connective quote. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Wright made a motion to approve the Wilkins Architecture Invoice for \$4432.75 to be paid out of the Special Building Fund. Seconded by Smith. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Kasselder made a motion to approve \$251,628.55 of the BD Construction invoice to be paid out of the Special Building Fund and QCPF Fund. The remaining \$35,314.90 will be paid upon further explanation from BD Construction. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Kasselder made a motion to approve the quote presented for the Otus software. Seconded by Smith. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Kasselder made a motion to approve the PreSchool Handbook as presented for the 2026-2027 school year. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Smith made a motion to approve the Student Handbook as presented for the 2026-2027 school year. Seconded by Kasselder. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Wright made a motion to approve the Staff Handbook as presented for the 2026-2027 school year. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, Swick - aye. Motion carried.

Kasselder made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Wright. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 9:20 p.m.