October Meeting

October 12, 2026

The Wheeler Central Board of Education Regular Board Meeting was held October 12, 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: Zach Wright, Drew Kasselder, Dennis Derner, Jessie Swick, Sydney McKay and Andrew Smith. Also present were Dan Kluver, Makayla Reiter, and Andrea Pelster.

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

Chairperson Swick welcomed the visitors and opened the floor for public comment. No public comment was held at this time.

No staff report was given.

Principal Reiter gave the PK-12 Principal report.

Superintendent Kluver gave the Superintendent report and reviewed the Rule 10 Safety Audit.

The Board reviewed the following board policies with no recommended changes: 2017, 3022, 3023, 3025, 3044, 3045.

Wright made a motion to update board policy 1003 with the mission & vision statement the following: Mission Statement - Wheeler Central empowers and develops students to be lifelong learners, leaders, and achievers. Vision Statement - Wheeler Central will be a center of learning built upon rural values and educational excellence,where students grow into confident leaders, innovative thinkers, and active contributors to society. This motion was seconded by Smith. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, and Swick - aye. Motion carries.

Derner made a motion to approve the baseball cooperative with St. Mary's School starting in the 2027 season with no transportation provided by Wheeler Central. Seconded by Wright. Roll call vote: Derner - aye, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - nay, Kasselder - aye, and Swick - nay. Motion carries.

Kasselder made a motion to approve the Wilkins invoice for $4432.75. Seconded by McKay. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, and Swick - aye. Motion carries.

Kasselder made a motion to approve the BD Construction invoice for $271223.71. Seconded by Smith. Roll call vote: Derner - nay, McKay - aye, Wright - aye, Smith - aye, Kasselder - aye, and Swick - aye. Motion carries.

Kasselder made a motion to adjourn the meeting. Seconded by Wright. All in favor. The meeting was adjourned at 8:38 p.m.