

WEBER SCHOOL DISTRICT
5320 Adams Avenue Parkway
Ogden, UT

General Board Meeting
May 6, 2026

The Board of Education of Weber School District held a Board Meeting in the Board Room at 5320 Adams Avenue, Ogden, Utah. The meeting convened at 6:00 p.m.

The following Board Members and Superintendency were present:

Doug Hurst	Board Vice President
Janis Christensen	Board Member
Jan Burrell	Board Member
Kelly Larson	Board Member
Wyle Williams	Board Member
Gina Butters	Superintendent
Clyde Moore	Assistant Superintendent
Dave Hales	Assistant Superintendent
Brock Mitchell	Business Administrator

Board President Paul Widdison and Board Member Bruce Jardine were excused.

Musical Performance: Mountain View Jr. High Concert Choir, Performing — *Down by the Riverside*, Directed by Amelia White

1. Pledge of Allegiance: – Wyatt Kranendonk – Mountain View Jr. High Student
2. Recognitions
 - A. Marie Evans, District Office - *Utah School Nurse Administrator of the Year*
 - B. Kari Breeding, Hooper Elementary - *Utah Association of Elementary School Principals Administrator of the Year*
 - C. Kenna Pitcher, Lakeview Elementary School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award – Elementary*
 - D. Jacob Heywood, Orion Jr. High School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award – Secondary*
 - E. Chancy Kelley, Rocky Mountain Jr. High School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award - Special Education*
 - F. Martha Roskelley, North Ogden Jr. High - *WSD Educational Support Professional of the Year Award 2026*
 - G. Marnie Favero, Country View Elementary - *WSD Teacher of the Year 2026*
3. Principal Spotlight
 - A. Principal Justin Skeen – Haven Bay Elementary

4. Consent Calendar
 - A. Minutes
 - B. Warrant Register
 - C. Budget Update
 - D. New Hires
 - E. Bid/Purchase Approvals
 - F. Leave of Absence Requests
 - G. Approval of Foreign Exchange Student Agencies
 - H. Approval of 9th Grade Out of State Travel
 - I. Approval of Formal Adoption of Educator Evaluation Tool
 - J. Approval of Updates to Policies for Consent Calendar: Policy 2120 Emergency Preparedness, Policy 2410 *Meal Pattern Exceptions*, Policy 2420 *Prices of Lunches*, Policy 2430 *Free and Reduced Meals Food Service*, Policy 3310 *Bidding Requirements and Purchase Limits*, Policy 3320 *Paying for Goods and Services*, Policy 3340 *Accounts Payable*, Policy 4170 *Attendance*, Policy 4200 *School Fee & Fee Waiver*, Policy 4250 *Parties and Dances*, Policy 4400 *Student Records*, Policy 4405 *Dissemination of Juvenile Offenders*, Policy 4700 *Plan for College and Career Readiness*, Policy 6100 *Public Information*, Policy 6200 *Use of Students in Information Program*, Policy 6300 *Community Activities and Performances by Students*, Policy 6400 *Visitors to the Schools*, Policy 6500 *Parent Involvement*, Policy 7110 *Employment Background Checks*, Policy 8200 *Library Materials*, Policy 8250 *Sensitive Materials*, Policy 8600 *Use of District Vehicles for Non-School Sponsored Event*
5. Presentation
 - A. School Counseling Program Implementation
6. Public Comment
7. Discussion/Action Items
 - A. Presentation of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 School Year – 2nd Reading
 - B. Public Hearing – Public Comment on Proposed Fee Schedule
 - C. Approval of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 School Year – 2nd Reading
 - D. Approval of Revised Policy 3300 *Purchasing* - 1st Reading
 - E. Approval of Revised Policy 5200 *Student Discipline* - 1st Reading
 - F. Approval of Revised Policy 8350 *Student Electronic Device* - 1st Reading

AGENDUM ITEM #2 – Recognition

- A. Marie Evans, District Office - *Utah School Nurse Administrator of the Year*

Student Services Director Jennifer Warren introduced Marie Evans, Nurse Supervisor for Weber School District. She was recently recognized as the *Utah School Nurse Administrator of*

the Year. It was noted she collaborates with the local health department, has preventative education and also coordinates district personnel training surrounding safety and health needs required by the State. She also recently worked through the legislative session to try and get nurses recognized on the educator's salary supplement.

Marie introduced family in attendance. Marie recognized all the school nurses and shared a presentation with the Board on everything nurses do daily in the schools.

B. Kari Breeding, Hooper Elementary - *Utah Association of Elementary School Principals Administrator of the Year*

Elementary Education Director Heather Neilson introduced Kari Breeding, Principal at Hooper Elementary. It was noted she was selected from more than 850 principals across the state of Utah. She has built a strong culture and belonging with staff, students and the Hooper community. She has implemented data driven systems for student achievement, and has established clear systems for PLC's. Tier I instruction is improving in every classroom at Hooper Elementary.

Kari introduced family in attendance.

C. Kenna Pitcher, Lakeview Elementary School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award – Elementary*

Elementary Education Assistant Director Kirt Swalberg introduced Kenna Pitcher, kindergarten teacher at Lakeview Elementary. A video was shared highlighting how she makes every student feel valued and cared for. She began as a long-term substitute. She has helped her students achieve 70% above reading, level blue. She builds relationships with students, and is kind. She is a reflective teacher, meets with instructional coaches and is engaging. She is amazing!

Kenna introduced her principal in attendance.

D. Jacob Heywood, Orion Jr. High School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award – Secondary*

Secondary Education Director Matt Williams introduced Jacob Heywood, teacher at Orion Jr. High. A video was shared noting he discovered music when he was in 9th grade and shares that excitement with his students today. He makes every kid feel like they belong. He is a great teacher that is encouraging, helpful and makes everyone feel welcome. Jacob expressed he has the best job in the world! His passion for music is evident in everything he does and he inspires students to achieve at the highest levels. It was noted he has doubled the number of students enrolled in choir next year!

Jacob introduced family in attendance.

E. Chancy Kelley, Rocky Mountain Jr. High School - *WSD First Year Teacher Award - Special Education*

Special Education Assistant Director Jared Abney introduced Chancy Kelley, teacher at Rocky Mountain Jr. High. It was noted she has mastered the art of motivation and has the ability to be more stubborn than her students and doesn't give up on them. A video was shared noting she has enthusiasm for her students learning. She gets into books she likes, has an amazing vibe and has a very talented way to differentiate instruction. She has helped students improve in reading and writing. She makes everyone feel comfortable talking to her and her energy is contagious!

Chancy thanked her principal Quincy Mogolich for being here and family in attendance.

F. Martha Roskelley, North Ogden Jr. High - *WSD Educational Support Professional of the Year Award 2026*

Assistant Superintendent Clyde Moore introduced Marty Roskelley, administrative assistant at North Ogden Jr. High. It was noted she is the heart and soul of North Ogden Jr. High. She balances everything with precision and makes sure the school is in compliance with all district policies. A video was shared noting she is the school mom and takes care of everyone. She takes care of people and everyone knows they can count on her.

Marty introduced family in attendance.

G. Marnie Favero, Country View Elementary - *WSD Teacher of the Year 2026*

Assistant Superintendent Dave Hales introduced Marnie Favero, teacher at Country View Elementary. It was shared she brings energy, and enthusiasm to her classroom. Lessons are delivered to make it accessible to every student. She makes her classroom feel like a second home and has a deep unconditional heart. She treats students as family and is an astonishing leader and the way she balances her classroom. She is a rare educator! A video was shared noting she is their favorite teacher, tells the best jokes and is the best teacher in the whole universe!

Marnie introduced family in attendance.

AGENDUM ITEM #3 – Principal Spotlight

A. Principal Justin Skeen – Haven Bay Elementary

Principal Justin Skeen updated the Board on the great things happening at Haven Bay Elementary. It was explained the foundations of teacher effectiveness is how they began and noted he has followed two educational researchers, Robert Marzano and John Hattie. A collective commitment with all staff in their building must be intentional. Mr. Skeen highlighted four collective commitments: (1) Actively contribute to a high functioning collaborative team, (2) Cultivate and maintain a culture that believes all Haven Bay students are our students, (3)

Establish a positive and supportive school culture for all, (4) Effectively use data to drive our instruction and student learning. high functioning collaborative team, each week they meet and are guided on what they want to accomplish with students.

- Part of a high functioning collaborative team include teams meeting weekly to have quality unit planning.
- ALL Student are Our Students – Behavior is consistent school wide SOAR expectations (Safe, On task, Accountable and Respectful) with the help of all staff to ensure expectations are taught and followed. Academic long-term goals with guaranteed and viable curriculum are understood schoolwide and alignment across all grade levels.
- Vision for School-Wide Writing Project - Focuses on every student responding to writing prompts and displaying them in the main hallway at a literacy night. This builds positive school culture, and creates a sense of community.
- Data Drives Instruction and Student Learning - Classroom implementation and data walls show academic growth with students as active participants.
- Haven Bay Testing Data (% Proficient) – Reading at the beginning of the year 71%, with end of year at 83%. Panorama student data was also shared.
- Positive and Supportive School for a ALL - Be present and connect with each child daily, set the tone with a welcoming experience for everyone starting at the front office, future plan with quick data for community feedback coming next year.

AGENDUM ITEM #4 – Consent Calendar

A. Minutes

That the minutes for the Study Session dated April, 2026 and General Board Meeting dated April 8, 2026 be approved.

B. Warrant Register

That check numbers 00035338 through 00035690; and 00589140 through 00590058 totaling \$8,831,774.86 dated April 26, 2026, be approved.

C. Budget Update

That the budget update dated April 26, 2026, be approved.

D. New Hires

That the list of personnel changes and additions dated March 27, 2026 through April 30, 2026, be approved.

E. Bid/Purchase Approvals

That the Approval of the Termination of the Ecolab Contract and Revert to SFSPac/Rocky Mountain Solutions be approved.

That the Approval of Panorama Education Tool-Early Warning System be approved.

That the Approval of Administrator's iPads Purchase be approved.

F. Leave of Absence Requests

There was no leave of absence requests.

G. Approval of Foreign Exchange Student Agencies

H. Approval of 9th Grade Out of State Travel

I. Approval of Formal Adoption of Educator Evaluation Tool

J. Approval of Updates to Policies for Consent Calendar: Policy 2120 Emergency Preparedness, Policy 2410 *Meal Pattern Exceptions*, Policy 2420 *Prices of Lunches*, Policy 2430 *Free and Reduced Meals Food Service*, Policy 3310 *Bidding Requirements and Purchase Limits*, Policy 3320 *Paying for Goods and Services*, Policy 3340 *Accounts Payable*, Policy 4170 *Attendance*, Policy 4200 *School Fee & Fee Waiver*, Policy 4250 *Parties and Dances*, Policy 4400 *Student Records*, Policy 4405 *Dissemination of Juvenile Offenders*, Policy 4700 *Plan for College and Career Readiness*, Policy 6100 *Public Information*, Policy 6200 *Use of Students in Information Program*, Policy 6300 *Community Activities and Performances by Students*, Policy 6400 *Visitors to the Schools*, Policy 6500 *Parent Involvement*, Policy 7110 *Employment Background Checks*, Policy 8200 *Library Materials*, Policy 8250 *Sensitive Materials*, Policy 8600 *Use of District Vehicles for Non-School Sponsored Event*

Motion: Jan Burrell

Seconded: Wyle Williams

That the above Consent Calendar be approved. Voting was unanimous in support of the motion.

AGENDUM ITEM #5 – Presentation

A. School Counseling Program Implementation

Student Services Director Jennifer Warren updated the Board on school counselors' impact and noted each year it is required by the State to report. School counseling programs are part of the entire school community invested in academic achievement and social and emotional wellbeing. Utah K-12 comprehensive school counseling program has been updated, USBE Board Rule R277-462 and how school counselors should be spending their time. Vertical alignment in a K-12 school counseling program ensures that academic, durable skills and career development is a continuous journey that evolves with student maturity. At the elementary level,

counselors lay the foundational learning habits, basic curiosity about the world of work and interpersonal skills. In junior high schools the alignment shifts toward self-assessment and application of study strategies, helping students connect with their interests to broad career clusters. High school students progress into post-secondary planning where counselors guide students to refine their academic portfolios and master professional soft skills such as leadership and adaptability. Students have many opportunities with partnerships.

Elementary school counseling programs have been focused on teaching Tier I skills and competencies for students. We currently have full time counselors in all of our elementary schools and it has been a huge benefit for schools. Panorama outcomes for grades 3-6 were then shared. Secondary school counseling includes 55 secondary school counselors that continue to teach skills necessary and building upon them. Panorama outcomes for grades 7-12 were shared with a sense of belonging highlighted as increasing by 5%.

PCCR (Plan for College and Career Readiness) was explained supports students from grades 7-12 by providing a clear, developmentally appropriate pathway. Early awareness and development in 7th grade introduce students early to their strengths, career possibilities and allows alignment of course selections with long-term goals. Enhancing student engagement and post-secondary outcomes help students demonstrate stronger ownership of their educational journey. Examples of cohesive PCCR systems include a group that has been collaborating this year, 3 of the Jr., high schools have 100% PCCR student attendance, meaning they met with every student; Rocky Mountain Jr., Roy Jr. and Wahlquist Jr. High and 90% student attendance at Bonneville High. Weber School District has been selected to pilot with YouScience by the State of Utah to strengthen a PCCR plan for all students. Next steps include training for school administrators, trainings for secondary school counselors for YouScience pilot and strategic planning for alignment of PCCR processes for grades 7-12.

AGENDUM ITEM #6 – Public Comment

There were no participants for the public comment.

AGENDUM ITEM #7 – Discussion/Action Item

A. Presentation of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 School Year - 2nd Reading

Secondary Education Assistant Director Rob Lake updated the Board on changes since last meeting. HB 142 *School Fee Waiver Amendments* recently passed which limits the number of trips students with fee waivers can take. The name was changed for curricular clubs to CTSO's. Also, a proposed increase for out of state travel requests for approved school organizations up to \$2,000.

Vice President Doug Hurst asked for a motion to open the Public Hearing of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027.

Motion: Janis Christensen

Seconded: Jan Burrell

Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

B. Public Hearing on Proposed Fee Schedule

There were no participants for the public hearing on the proposed fee schedule.

Vice President Hurst asked for a motion to close the Public Hearing of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 on a second reading.

Motion: Janis Christensen

Seconded: Wyle Williams

That the Public Hearing of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 be closed. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

C. Approval of Proposed Fee Schedule for 2026-2027 School Year – 2nd Reading

Assistant Secondary Education Director Rob Lake made the recommendation from the Fee Committee for the Board to approve the Proposed Fee Schedule for the 2026-2027 School Year on a second reading.

Motion: Jan Burrell

Seconded: Kelly Larson

That the Approval of Proposed Fee Schedule for the 2026-2027 School Year be approved on a second reading. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

D. Approval of Revised Policy 3300 *Purchasing* - 1st Reading

Legal Counsel Heidi Alder noted this reflects statutory updates and a consolidation of other policies. It is recommended the Board approve Revised Policy 3300 *Purchasing* on a first reading.

Motion: Wyle Williams

Seconded: Jan Burrell

That the Approval of Revised Policy 3300 *Purchasing* be approved on a first reading. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

E. Approval of Revised Policy 5200 *Student Discipline* - 1st Reading

Legal Counsel Heidi Alder noted there are a lot of statutory changes and organizational issues. Changes were made to read more cleanly and the statutory changes with new definitions about expelling a student and providing educational services. It is recommended the Board approve Revised Policy 5200 *Student Discipline* on a first reading,

Motion: Jan Burrell

Seconded: Wyle Williams

That the Approval of Revised Policy 5200 *Student Discipline* be approved on a first reading. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

F. Approval of Revised Policy 8350 *Student Electronic Device* - 1st Reading

Legal Counsel Heidi Alder noted this revision is due to statutory changes and language which include the addition of AI glasses and also includes some language requesting accommodations in a designated area in the school. It is recommended the Board approve Revised Policy 8350 *Student Electronic Device* on a first reading.

Motion: Janis Christensen

Seconded: Jan Burrell

That the Approval of Revised Policy 8350 *Student Electronic Device* be approved on a first reading. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

Vice President Doug Hurst called for a motion to adjourn the General Session of Board Meeting.

Motion: Wyle Williams

Seconded: Jan Burrell

That the General Session of Board Meeting be adjourned. Voting was unanimous in favor of the motion.

General Board Meeting adjourned at 7:59 p.m.