

JENNINGS COUNTY SCHOOL CORPORATION
Central Administration Office Building
Executive Session (6:00 p.m.)
Regular Board Meeting Agenda (7:00 p.m.)
October 1, 2026

Executive Session: The Jennings County School Corporation Board of School Trustees will meet in executive session on October 1, 2026 at 6:00 p.m. in the Special Education Conference Room of the Jennings County School Corporation Central Administration Office Building, 34 West Main Street, North Vernon, IN 47265, to discuss the following in accordance with *IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)*:

- (2) For discussion of strategy with respect to the following:
 - (A) Collective bargaining, which does not include a discussion or meeting under *IC 20-29-6-7*.
 - (B) Initiation of litigation or litigation that is either pending or has been threatened specifically in writing. As used in the clause, “litigation” includes any judicial action or administrative law proceeding under federal or state law.
- (3) For discussion of the assessment, design, and implementation of school safety and security measures, plans, and systems. *IC 5-14-1.5-6.1 (b)(3)*.
- (9) To discuss a job performance evaluation of individual employees. This subdivision does not apply to a discussion of the salary, compensation, or benefits of employees during a budget process. *IC 5-14-1.5-6.1(b)(9)*.

Regular Meeting: The Board of School Trustees will hold its regular meeting in the Board Room of the Jennings County School Corporation Central Administration Office Building, 34 West Main Street, North Vernon, IN 47265. The meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m. The following link is also available to live stream the Regular Board meeting from your home:

<https://youtube.com/live/Xhxx3qoVKns>

This meeting is a meeting of the School Board in public for the purpose of conducting the School Corporation’s business and it is not to be considered a public community meeting. There will be time for public participation as indicated by the agenda. (Policy 0166)

Consent Agenda Items (Bylaw 0166.1) – Consent agenda items are those items for which Board members have reviewed the information provided to them and all of the Board members approve of the action noted within the public notes. If any Board member has a concern about an item, he/she will request that the item be removed from this grouping to be voted upon individually.

The following consent agenda items will be presented for approval without discussion:

- III. Minutes;
- VIB1. Field Trips;
- VIC1. Professional Staff: Leaves;
- VIC2. Professional Staff: Resignations, Retirements;

- VIC3. Professional Staff: Transfers;
- VIC6. Conference Requests;
- VID1. Support Staff: Leaves;
- VID2. Support Staff: Resignations, Retirements;
- VID3. Support Staff: Transfers;
- VID5. Conference Requests;
- VII. Claims;

Agenda Information Items – Information items are those items that the Board members are given to review. If a Board member wishes to discuss any of these items, he/she will indicate that the item(s) be removed from this grouping for discussion during the meeting.

The following information items will be shared with the Board:

- VIE3. September Fund Report.
- VIIIA1. Essential Service Committee Meeting, 8/18/2026.

Agenda

- I. Pledge
 - The President will open the meeting with the Pledge of Allegiance.
- II. Consent Agenda Items.
- III. Minutes of the Executive Session and the Regular Board Meeting of September 17, 2026.
- IV. Community Non-Agenda Items
 - JCSC Information Statement.
 - The President will ask if anyone would like to speak on any items on the agenda or any other topic.
- V. Old Business
 - A. Programs (Policy 2000)
 - B. Finances (Policy 6000)
 - a. *Resolution BUS2026-015* – Resolution to Adopt 2027 School Budget, Approval.
 - b. *Resolution BUS2026-016* – Resolution to Adopt 2027 Capital Project Plan, Approval.
 - c. *Resolution BUS2026-017* – Resolution to Adopt 2027 Bus Replacement Plan, Approval.
 - C. Operations (Policy 8000)
 - D. Property (Policy 7000)
- VI. New Business
 - A. NEOLA, Inform.
 - NEOLA, Policy 8300, Continuity of Organizational Operations Plan, 1st Reading, Inform.
 - NEOLA, Policy 8400, School Safety Information, 1st Reading, Inform.
 - NEOLA, Policy 8455, Coach Training, References, and IHSAA Reporting, 1st Reading, Inform.
 - B. Programs (Policy 2000)
 - 1. Field Trips
 - C. Professional Staff (Policy 3000)
 - 1. Leaves
 - 2. Resignations/Retirements
 - 3. Transfers

4. Learn and Lead Teacher Leadership Program, Approval.
5. Recommendations
6. Conference Requests
- D. Support Staff (Policy 4000)
 1. Leaves
 2. Resignations/Retirements
 3. Transfers
 4. Recommendations
 5. Conference Requests
- E. Finances (Policy 6000)
 1. Donations/Grants, Approval.
 - Brush Creek Elementary, Approval.
 - Jennings County Community Foundation, Sherida Moore Fund, \$200.00 for school snack program.
 - Hayden Elementary, Approval.
 - Jennings County Community Foundation Grant, \$200.00 for the Care Closet.
 - JCHS, Approval.
 - Jon & Linda Erler, \$500.00 to student PBIS fund.
 - Jon & Linda Erler, \$250.00 to staff PBIS fund.
 - Jon & Linda Erler, \$500.00 to the student help fund.
 - Graham Presbyterian Church, Inc., \$300.00 to the Panther Pantry.
 - Jennings County Community Foundation, Sherida Moore Fund, \$ 200.00 to the student activities fund for school snacks.
 - JCMS, Approval.
 - Anonymous, \$1,000.00 to the FFA program.
 - Jennings County Players, \$500.00 for student activities and incentives.
 - JCSC, Approval.
 - H.O.P.E. Food Program.
 - Graham Presbyterian Church, Inc.- \$300.00
 - Mary Lynn Whitcomb- \$1,000.00
 - North Vernon Elementary, Approval.
 - First United Methodist Church, \$50.00 for student needs.
 - Jennings County Community Foundation Grant, \$200.00 to the school snack program.
 - Scipio Elementary, Approval.
 - Attendance Sponsors.
 - Floyd Bowman - \$75.00
 - Well Yeah, Ariel Roberts Foundation, Inc. - \$75.00
 2. Resolution, Approval.
 - a. *Resolution BUS2026-018* – Resolution Authorizing Reductions in Appropriations in the Education and Operations Funds, Approval.
 - b. *Resolution BUS2026-019*- Resolution Authorizing the Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer of Jennings County Schools to make payments of claims without board action prior to October 22, 2026, and to allow the

Treasurer or Deputy Treasurer to make transfers of Appropriations within the Education, Debt Service, and Operations Funds in order to Balance Major Account Classifications, Approval.

3. September Fund Report.

F. Property (Policy 7000)

G. Operations (Policy 8000)

1. Open Gate System, Inform.

2. Facility, Capacity, and Enrollment Study: School Fiscal Responsibility Efforts Summary, Inform.

H. Relations (Policy 9000)

1. MOU between Inclusive Options and JCSC, Approval.

2. MOU between Calming Creations Counseling, LLC and JCSC, Approval.

3. MOU between SOAR Educational Transformation Team (ETT) and JCSC, Approval.

VII. Claims

VIII. Other

A. Updates.

1. Essential Service Committee Meeting, 8/18/2026.

IX. Adjournment

Next Regular Meeting: The next Regular Board Meeting will be on October 22, 2026 in the Board Room of the Jennings County School Corporation Central Office, 34 West Main Street, North Vernon, IN 47265. The regular meeting will begin at 7:00 p.m.