

MINUTES OF BOARD OF EDUCATION

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Allen Consolidated Schools

Present

JASON OLESEN, PRESIDENT
GIL RIDENOUR, VICE PRESIDENT
DAWN OSWALD, TREASURER
LANE ANDERSON, MEMBER
MARCELLA ROEBER, MEMBER
KARI ROHDE, MEMBER

Absent

REGULAR MEETING – Roll Call at 6:00pm by President, Jason Olesen

PRESENT: Gil Ridenour, Dawn Oswald, Kari Rohde, Marcy Roeber, Jason Olesen, Lane Anderson.

ABSENT: None.

ALSO PRESENT: Michael Pattee, Superintendent; Chris Blohm, Principal; Stephanie Sullivan, Administrative Assistant/Board Secretary, and members of the public.

OPEN MEETING LAW posted in Board Meeting Room for viewing.

Moved by Gil Ridenour, seconded by Kari Rohde to declare the regular board meeting open and properly advertised by advance notice by posting at Security Bank, Countryside Gas and Grocery, the Post Office and on the school website on Wednesday, March 4, 2026, and in the Nebraska Journal Leader on Thursday, March 5, 2026, with the current copy of the Nebraska Open Meetings Act posted for viewing in the board room at the time of the meeting. Notice of the meeting was simultaneously given to the president of the board and all members prior to the meeting date. MCU 6 – 0

EXCUSE ABSENT MEMBER: No Motion.

MINUTES: Moved by Marcella Roeber, seconded by Dawn Oswald to approve the minutes of February 9, 2026, Regular Board Meeting. MCU 6 – 0

PUBLIC INPUT: None.

CONSENT CALENDAR: Moved by Lane Anderson, seconded by Gil Ridenour to approve the consent calendar. MCU 6 – 0

DISTRICT REPORTS: Moved by Dawn Oswald, seconded by Lane Anderson to approve the District Reports. MCU 6 – 0

2026-2027 SCHOOL CALENDAR: Moved by Gil Ridenour, seconded by Kari Rohde to approve the school calendar for the 2026-2027 school year. MCU 6 – 0

TEACHING CONTRACT: Moved by Gil Ridenour, seconded by Lane Anderson to hire Caleb Lindgren as a teacher at Allen Consolidated Schools. MCU 6 – 0

OPTION ENROLLMENT: Moved by Kari Rohde, seconded by Dawn Oswald to accept the option enrollment paperwork submitted by Tori Voss (for her son) and Alexis Batcheler (for her daughter) to attend Allen Consolidated Schools starting in the 2026-2027 school year. MCU 6 – 0

OPTION ENROLLMENT: Moved by Lane Anderson, seconded by Gil Ridenour to deny the option enrollment paperwork submitted by Laurie Wayman (for her son) and for Melanie Leonard (for her two sons) to attend Allen Consolidated Schools. MCU 6 – 0

PRINCIPALS REPORT:

- Wolfpack Way Student and Staff of the Month - see the website for complete listing.
- Haskell Lab CDE Invitational – Discussions.
- State Wrestling – Discussions.
- FFA Week – Discussions.
- Read Across America Week – Discussions.
- State FFA Qualifiers – Discussions.
- Academic Supports & Gr 7-8 Summer School – Discussions.
- Upcoming Events: See the Allen Facebook page, website, and bulletin to keep up to date with all student activities along with upcoming school events on the school website, social media & Arbiter school calendar located at www.allenschools.org.

SUPERINTENDENTS REPORT:

- Teacher Contracts – Discussions.
- Coaching Needs – Discussions.
- State Assessments – Discussions.
- School Improvement – Discussions.
- Science Positions – Discussions.

EXECUTIVE SESSION: No Motion

ADJOURN at 7:55pm

The next regular meeting will be held on Monday, April 13, 2026, at 6:00pm

Email to: editor@gpcom.net

Stephanie Sullivan, Board Secretary

**Allen Consolidated Schools
March 2026 Meeting**

Vendor Name	Amount	Payroll	\$ 150,244.48
Allo	\$ 1,145.75	<u>Payroll Vendors</u>	<u>\$ 139,565.36</u>
AMAZON	\$ 1,496.63	Total	\$ 289,809.84
APPEARA	\$ 194.00		
APPLE	\$ 0.99	Grand Total	\$ 289,875.01
ASI FLEX	\$ 50.00		
BEKINS	\$ 415.77		
Chat GPT	\$ 20.00		
COUNTRYSIDE	\$ 1,493.67		
CUBBY'S	\$ 281.27		
DAKOTA CO. STAR	\$ 35.00		
EnGenius	\$ 331.00		
ESU #1	\$ 25.00		
GLASS GUY	\$ 1,678.84		
Google	\$ 29.99		
HD SUPPLY	\$ 857.76		
HERFF JONES	\$ 266.68		
HILAND DAIRY	\$ 1,449.10		
HIS Baking	\$ 22.50		
HOBY Youth Leadership	\$ 325.00		
I WET MY PLANTS	\$ 457.00		
Jimmy Johns	\$ 85.50		
Kahill's Chophouse	\$ 300.00		
Klein Electric	\$ 5,196.56		
Cornhusker Hotel	\$ 116.00		
MARCO	\$ 2,784.84		
Marriott - SSC	\$ 356.40		
MENARDS	\$ 213.96		
Munter, Bailey	\$ 1,322.55		
NASSP	\$ 385.00		
NCSA	\$ 75.00		
NEBR JOURNAL-LEADER	\$ 1,013.95		
NFHS	\$ 14.76		
NICK CURNYN MAINTENANCE	\$ 25.00		
NNTC	\$ 276.17		
NPPD	\$ 4,343.84		
NE NEBR NEWS CO	\$ 415.04		
ORKIN	\$ 130.03		
PEPSI COLA OF SIOUXLAND	\$ 80.40		
PITSCO ED	\$ 224.48		
QUILL	\$ 107.62		
Rods Repair	\$ 485.00		
SAM'S CLUB	\$ 146.56		
Splashtop	\$ 60.00		
STAN ORTMEIER	\$ 424.07		
SYSCO	\$ 3,579.42		
TPT	\$ 7.00		
TITAN FITNESS	\$ 2,499.97		
Turnitin	\$ 2,338.64		
Uncle Milton	\$ 24.00		
UNO	\$ 130.00		
US FOODS	\$ 1,375.34		
VERIZON	\$ 65.17		
VILLAGE OF ALLEN	\$ 497.15		
WAYNE HERALD	\$ 516.00		
	\$ 40,191.37		