

Board Summary



Kansas State Board of Education – March 2024 Meeting

Receive

- Receive Evaluation Review Committee: educator preparation accreditation and program approval.
- Receive Graduation Minimum Requirement Regulations
- Receive ARC redeterminations for systems that were conditionally accredited previously
- Receive proposed Memorandum of Understanding with KBOR for establishment of the Kansas Advisory Council for Indigenous Education (KACIE)

Action

- Act on Recommendations of PPC Carried (8-0)
- Act on Pending Amendments to the Professional Practices Commission Regulations Carried (8-1, Mrs. Arnold voted no)

Consent Calendar (Carried 8-0-1, Mrs. Dombrosky abstained)

- a. Receive monthly personnel report and personnel appoints to unclassified positions
- b. Act on request to approve the Kansas Purple Star School Designation be awarded to USD 453 Leavenworth as a military-friendly district
- d. Act on Recommendations for Licensure Waivers
- f. Act on Local Professional Development Plans
- g. Act on request from USD 262 Valley Center, Sedgwick County, to hold a bond election
- h. Act on request from USD 262 Valley Center, Sedgwick County, to receive Capital Improvement (Bond and Interest) State Aid
- i. Act on request from USD 339 Jefferson County North, Jefferson County, to hold a bond election
- j. Act on request from USD 339 Jefferson County North, Jefferson County, to receive Capital Improvement (Bond and Interest) State Aid
- k. Act on request from USD 348 Baldwin City, Douglas County, to hold a bond election
- l. Act on request from USD 348 Baldwin City, Douglas County, to receive Capital Improvement (Bond and Interest) State Aid
- m. Act on request from USD 440 Halstead, Harvey County, to hold a bond election
- n. Act on request from USD 440 Halstead, Harvey County, to receive Capital Improvement (Bond and Interest) State Aid
- o. Information from five private schools, three student granting organizations, and one virtual out of state school of their intention to participate in the Tax Credit Low Income Scholarship Program.
- p. Act to initiate RFP process for the 2024 Great Ideas in Education Conference keynote speaker
- q. Authorize out-of-state tuition contract for student attending the Kansas School for the Deaf

Taken off the consent (both carried 9-0)

- c. Act on request to approve a contract request for the Kansas Association of Broadcasters for child nutrition
- e. Act on Recommendations of the Licensure Review Committee

Presentations

- Presentation on Teacher Survey, Dr. Brett Church
- Winners of the 2023 Milken award: Alex Lahasky and Matthew Mayeske
- Student Showcase: Maya Smith, Kansas Journalism Student of the Year
- Shawnee Heights Choraliers Choir with Nicholas Carr, Director
- Agriculture in the Classroom and Cafeteria
- School Bus Safety (Keith Dreiling, KSDE, Transportation and Representative Scott Hill)
- Update on Kansas Math Education (Jennifer Hamlet, Program Manager for Mathematics on the Career Standards and Assessment)
- State Assessment Development and Analysis (Dr. Neal Kingston, Distinguished Professor in the Department of Education Psychology at the University of Kansas)
- Common/Benchmark Assessments and Analysis Protocol (Dr. Zach Conrad, Executive Director of Data, Evaluation, Research and Assessment at USD 500 Kansas City Kansas Public Schools and staff from USD 233 Olathe Public Schools.)

Updates

- KESA School Improvement and Accreditation Model Update (Dr. Ben Proctor)
- Update on Literacy Requirements for Teacher Licensure (Shane Carter)
- Legislature Matters (Dr. Frank Harwood)