

August 2024 Summary Report



Kansas State Board of Education – August 13 & 14, 2024 Meeting

Action

TUES Item 11: Act on Appointments to Professional Standards Advisory Board

Mrs. Hopkins moved that the Kansas State Board of Education act on the following recommended new appointments to the Professional Standards Board, effective upon appointment through June 30, 2027:

Kelly Whittaker, to her first term representing Administrator, Public High School.

Kerri Lacy to her first partial term representing Administrator, Public Elementary School.

Mrs. Dombrosky seconded the motion. **Motion carried 10-0.**

TUES Item 13: Act on ERC recommendations for higher education accreditations and program approvals

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education accept the recommendations of the Evaluation Review Committee for educator preparation accreditations for Baker University and Friends University, and program approvals for Bethel College, MidAmerica Nazarene University, Pittsburg State University, Tabor College, and Washburn University. Mr. Hershberger seconded the motion. **Motion carried 10-0.**

TUES Item 15: Act on the CTE 2023-2024 Cluster Reviews

Mrs. Mah moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve the Career and Technical Education (CTE) 2023-2024 Cluster and Pathway Review recommendations approved by the Kansas Advisory Committee for Career and Technical Education. Mrs. Arnold seconded the motion. **Motion carried 8-2 with Mrs. Dombrosky and Mr. Zeck voting no.**

TUES Item 17: Act on Narcan Naloxone policy for the Kansas State Schools for the Blind and Deaf

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve the joint Narcan/Naloxone policy for the Kansas State Schools for the Blind and Deaf as presented. Dr. Horst seconded the motion. **Motion carried 10-0.**

WED Item 5a: Act on Redetermination Recommendations for Conditionally Accredited Systems

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve the recommendations of the Accreditation Review Council as presented here today. Mr. McNiece seconded the motion. **Motion carried 10-0.**

WED Item 6: Act on ESSER III Change Requests for Use of Federal Covid-19 Relief Funds

Dr. Horst moved that the Kansas State Board of Education accept the recommendations of the Commissioner's Task Force on ESSER distribution of money and approve the public school district for ESSER III change requests as presented for use of federal COVID-19 relief funds. Mrs. Arnold seconded the motion. **Motion carried 8-0-2. Mrs. Dombrosky and Mr. Zeck both abstained.**

WED 7: Consent Agenda (b. removed by Board Attorney Ferguson)

- a. Personnel reports
- b. (removed by Attorney Ferguson KSD & KNEA negotiations)
- c. Visiting Scholar
- g. Student Contracts KSD

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve the consent agenda.
Mrs. Dombrosky seconded the motion. **Motion carried 9-0-1 with Mr. Zeck abstaining.**

Removed from Consent Agenda

E. Promotion Advancement in Computing Knowledge

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve item e. which has been removed from the consent agenda. Mr. McNiece seconded the motion. **Motion carried 7-2-1, with Mrs. Dombrosky and Mr. Hershberger voting no and Mr. Zeck abstaining.**

D. McKinney-Vento Education funding for homeless children

Mrs. Arnold moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve item d. which has been removed from the consent agenda. Mr. McNiece seconded the motion. **Motion carried 9-1 with Mrs. Dombrosky voting no.**

F. Act to authorize the funding necessary for the development of a Perkins Accountability Application.

Mr. Porter moved that the Kansas State Board of Education approve item f. which has been removed from the consent agenda. Mrs. Arnold seconded the motion. **Motion carried 9-1 with Mrs. Dombrosky voting no.**

Receive

- TUES 12. Receive info on State Board selection of school district personnel to the Education Funding (to be voted on in November) Frank Harwood
- TUES 14. Receive recommendations for the ERC (Higher Ed) Dr. Chmidling
- TUES 18. Receive Evaluation Updates from the Board Policy Committee Betty Arnold
- WED 3. Receive higher ed program standards for world languages Dr. Chmidling
- WED 5. Receive redetermination on conditionally accredited systems Dr. Scott

Presentations

- TUES 5. Commissioner's Report The Rose Capacities and the Back to School Video
- TUES 6. Introduction of Blue Ribbon Task Force on Screentime in Schools, Dr. Steel, Mrs. Hull and Miss Lynn
- TUES 8. Parent Perception Survey, Kirsten Brighton, HirePaths
- TUES 9. Great Ideas in Education Conference, Mrs. Bone
- TUES 10. Panther Robotics Team
- TUES 16. Child Nutrition and Wellness, Kansans Can Recognition Awards, Mrs. Chanay
- WED 2. All in for Kansas Kids, Mrs. Peterson
- WED 4. Curriculum USD 501 and Dr. Proctor