

Minutes of the Overton Public School Board of Education
Regular Meeting
October 14, 2026, at 7:30 p.m.
LMC, Overton Public School
401 7th Street
Overton, NE 68863

Mission Statement: *The mission of Overton Public School is to provide opportunities for everyone to be Engaged, Enlightened, and Empowered.*

Board President called the meeting to order at 7:30 p.m. Members Present:

Brennan
Jeffries
Kizer
Lassen
Meier
Walahoski

Notification: The October 14, 2026, meeting of the Overton Public School Board of Education was posted at the Overton Public School, School Website, Overton Post Office, and the Security First Bank.

Open Meetings Information: To be in compliance with LB 898, The Nebraska Open Meetings Act, Board President informed the public that a copy of the Open Meetings Law is posted near the LMC check-out counter.

Administration Present: Mark Aten superintendent, Brian Fleischman PreS-4 principal, and Bill Johnson 5-12 principal.

Guests Present: No Guests.

Public Comments: No Public Comments

Board Reports: No Reports

Communications: No Communications

Other: None

Action Items:

1. **Agenda:** Moved by Lassen, seconded by Jeffries to approve the agenda of the October 14, 2026, regular monthly board meeting as presented. Discussion: Discussion was limited as there were no changes made to the agenda. Motion carried 6-0. Voting Yes (6): Brennan, Jeffries, Kizer, Lassen, Meier, and Walahoski. Voting No (0). Absent (0).
2. **Minutes:** Moved by Brennan, seconded by Kizer to approve the minutes of the September 14, 2026, Budget Hearing, Tax Request Hearing, and regular meeting minutes as presented. Discussion: Discussion was limited as there were no corrections made to the minutes. Motion carried 6-0. Voting Yes (6): Brennan, Jeffries, Kizer, Lassen, Meier, and Walahoski. Voting No (0). Absent (0).
3. **Claims:** Moved by Meier, seconded by Walahoski to pay the October General Fund bill roster in the amount \$66,646.76 and the October payroll salary and benefits in the amount of \$366,353.41.

Discussion: Superintendent provided additional information and answered questions on the bill roster. The board also discussed the cost of the school audit. Motion carried 6-0. Voting Yes (6): Brennan, Jeffries, Kizer, Lassen, Meier, and Walahoski. Voting No (0). Absent (0).

4. Moved by Jeffries, seconded by Brennan to approve board policies: 3027 Resolution of Conflicts Between Parent Over School Issues, 3028 Sex Offenders, 3029 Distribution of Flyers Advertising Non-School Organizations, 3030 Automatic External Defibrillators, 3031 Student Electing to Attend School in Adjoining State, 3032 Fees for School District Records. Motion carried 6-0. Voting Yes (6): Brennan, Jeffries, Kizer, Lassen, Meier, and Walahoski. Voting No (0). Absent (0).
5. Moved by Brennan, seconded by Walahoski to adjourn the meeting at 8:42 p.m. Discussion. Very little discussion as the board determined it was time to adjourn. Motion carried 6-0. Voting Yes (6): Brennan, Jeffries, Kizer, Lassen, Meier, and Walahoski. Voting No (0). Absent (0).

Board Reports and Discussion Topics:

1. Board Reports:

- a. Transportation: No Report
- b. Curriculum: No Report
- c. Facilities: No Report
- d. Negotiations: Schedule First Meeting for the 2027-2028 School Year
- e. Interlocal Committee: No Report
- f. Committee on American Civics: Scheduled Meeting for November 9, 2026

2. Discussion Topics:

- a. November Board Meeting Date and Time: Monday, November 9, 2026, beginning at 7:30 p.m. in the LMC.
- b. Sale of School Owned Lot
- c. Cost of the School Audit - Options

3. Board Policy Review Schedule:

- a. 3053 – Nondiscrimination
- b. 3054 – Law Enforcement Unit
- c. 3056 – Guest Speakers
- d. 3057 – Title IX
- e. 3058 – Name School Facilities and Property
- f. 3059 – Audio and Video Recording
- g. 3060 – Firearms and Weapons for Non-students
- h. 3061 – ACH Originator

Administrative Reports:

PreS-4 Principal Report:

- a. Athletic Update
- b. P-T Conferences
- c. Enrollment Update

Grades 5-12 Principal Report:

- a. CTE Update
- b. School Activities and Events Update

Superintendent's Report:

1. Enrollment Option Report

Option Enrollment:

Out:

- a. None
- b. None

In:

- a. None
- b. None

Change of Status:

- a. None
- b. None

- 2. Financial Update
- 3. Budget Review
- 4. Project Updates
- 5. Snow Removal Change
- 6. School Audit