



Ozark Mountain School District
Regular Session- Bruno-Pyatt

October 16, 2025 at 6 p.m.

Board members present: Travis Freeman, Andy McCutcheon, Travis Dixon, Donald Morris, Bart Beaver, and Jason Smith

Board members absent: Allen Glidewell

1. Meeting opened with the Pledge of Allegiance
2. Meeting called to order by Board President, Travis Freeman, at 6:00 p.m.
3. Public Comment- None
4. Jeff Treadwell provided an informational presentation on the STAR Transition Program. No action was taken.
5. Motion was made by Andy McCutcheon and seconded by Jason Smith to approve the minutes from the September 18, 2025 Regular Session Meeting. Motion carried.
6. Motion was made by Travis Dixon and seconded by Jason Smith to approve the Financial Report ending September 30, 2025. Motion carried.
 - a. \$7,358,744.89 ending balance
7. Student achievement was informational.
 - a. WGES/OMHS update provided by Mr. Butterworth and presented by Mr. Knapp
8. Information was presented regarding a modular home on 1.49 acres located next to the school. No action was taken.
9. Motion was made by Jason Smith and seconded by Bart Beaver to approve long-term substitute pay as follows: \$120.00 per day for classified staff and \$220.00 per day for certified staff. This applies to substitutes employed through the district. Motion carried.

10. Motion was made by Donald Morris and seconded by Jason Smith to revise Policy 7.14A. The current policy states that the district will fund one educational trip per class, while clubs and athletics are responsible for their own expenses. The revised policy reflects that, going forward, transportation will cover the cost of these trips. Motion carried.
11. After further review and consultation with the school attorney, it was determined that Policy 4.31A did not require revisions. No action was taken on this agenda item.
12. Motion was made by Andy McCutcheon and seconded by Jason Smith to amend the handbook to incorporate the most recent drug screen policy adopted board. Motion carried.
13. Motion was made by Travis Dixon and seconded by Donald Morris to approve the Annual Equity Compliance Report for the 2025-2026 school year. Motion Carried.
14. The Board entered executive session at 6:27 p.m. to discuss personnel and reconvened at 6:43 p.m.
15. Motion was made by Jason Smith and seconded by Bart Beaver to accept the resignation of Rhonda Nelson, effective October 16, 2025. Motion carried.
16. Motion was made by Donald Morris and seconded by Andy McCutcheon to approve the reassignment of Stephanie Evans to the AR Teacher Residency Program, retroactive to August 12, 2025. Motion carried.
17. Motion made by Travis Dixon and seconded by Donald Morris to approve the slate of the petition for transfers. Motion carried.
18. General Discussion
 - a. Enrollment Comparison -507
19. A motion was made by Andy McCutcheon and seconded by Bart Beaver to allow the Superintendent to drive the school truck home with the following stipulations: the vehicle is not for personal use, and it will be counted as a benefit deduction. Motion carried.
20. Motion made at 7:01 p.m. by Donald Morris and seconded by Jason Smith to adjourn the meeting. Motion Carried.

Board President, Travis Freeman

Board Secretary, Travis Dixon