DRAFT MINUTES

CLIMAX-SCOTTS COMMUNITY SCHOOLS
BOARD OF EDUCATION REGULAR MEETING

Date: October 19, 2026
Time: 6:00 p.m.
Place: Board Room

1. Call to order and Pledge of Allegiance

Board President, Sue Reichert, called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. with the reciting of the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. Roll Call

Members Present
Mrs. Susan Reichert
Mrs. Lori Bagwell
Mr. Steve Wurtzel
Mr. Trent Piper
Mrs. Terri VandeGiessen
Mr. Matt Birkam
Ms. Jackie Longman

Member's Absent

Other School Personnel Present
Mr. Doug Newington, Superintendent
Ms. Heather Wechsler, Board Recording Secretary
Mrs. Angela Gilbert, Jr. & Sr. High School Office
Mrs. Brooklyn Genschoreck, Elementary Teacher
Mr. Brent Cole, Jr. & Sr. High School Principal
Dr. Will McClain, Elementary Principal

Guests
Dr. Dedrick Martin, KRESA Superintendent
Eric Stewart, KRESA Assistant Superintendent for Career & Talent Development

3. Public Forum

None

4. Agenda Modifications

None

5. Consent Calendar Items

- **a.** September 21, 2026, Regular Meeting minutes
- **b.** General and Construction Fund Check Registers

Lori Bagwell **moved,** supported by Steve Wurtzel, that the Board approve the Consent Calendar items as presented. **Motion carried 7-0.**

6. Items for Action or Discussion

- **a.** Career Connect Update – Eric Stewart, KRESA
- **b.** Data Presentation, Brent Cole, Jr. & Sr. High School Principal

7. Adjournment

At 7:09 p.m., Lori Bagwell **moved,** supported by Terri VandeGiessen to adjourn the October 19, 2026, Regular meeting of the Climax-Scotts Board of Education. **Motion carried 7-0.**

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Susan Reichert, Board President **Terri VandeGiessen, Board Secretary/Treasurer**