

Cutter Morning Star Public School District #21
Board Meeting Minutes
29 October 2025
5:30 p.m.

Attendees: Eddy Slick, Shena Sanders, Trey Dobbs, Jared Hawthorn

Call to Order: 5:31 PM

Prayer Offered By: Jared Hawthorn

Star Spangled Banner

Pledge of Allegiance

Public Comment-5:30

Sign up sheet was posted 30 minutes prior to board meeting and collected at 5:30 p.m. There were no persons signed up for public comment and a copy of the sign up sheet will be attached to the meeting minutes.

Reports and Recognitions:

Recognize Jr Girls Volleyball Team- Coach Brickell recognized the Coaches and Players of the Jr. High Girls Volleyball Team.

Recognize Varsity Football Team- Coach Brickell recognized the Coaches of the Varsity Football Team for making the playoffs this year.

Recognize Volunteer Coach Josh Mills- Coach Brickell recognized Volunteer Coach Josh Mills for his contributions to the athletic programs in the district.

Title I Parent Meeting- 5:00

Board Meeting 5:30-6:00

Building Data Report- Mrs. Heatherly, High School Principal, reported on the recent High School ATLAS Interim Assessment Data and plans for using the data for improvement.

Mrs. Baber, Elementary School Principal, reported on the K-3 Literacy Screener Data, K-2 Math Screener Data, K-2 Literacy and Math Summative Data, and the recent 3-6 Grade ATLAS Interim Assessment Data.

The district is in the process of creating a survey to send out to parents on the calendar options for the 2026-2027 school year. The district's PPC will use the survey data to begin working the 2026-2027 calendar.

Report to the Public- 6:00

Consent Agenda

Motion by Jared Hawthorn and seconded by Shena Sanders to approve the Consent Agenda:

Motion Carried 4-0

Minutes – September 24, 2025,

Bank Rec -

Statement of Assurance

Annual Compliance

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Board to Board Transfers-

Purchase Side-by-side

Action Items

Motion by Eddy Slick and seconded by Jared Hawthorn to approve the Longevity Bonus Plan for the 2025-2026 school year.

Motion Carried 4-0

Motion by Eddy Slick and seconded by Jared Hawthorn to adopt the attached Proposed Budget of Expenditures with Tax Levy for Fiscal Year Beginning July 1, 2027, and including June 30, 2028, and to approve the related Sample Ballot, to approve the Millage Rate and to approve the Election Documents.

Motion Carried 4-0

Informational:

Side-walk- Dr. Anderson gave an update on the ARDOT Grant Side-Walk project.

Cleaning Bid- The district has been operating on a month by month basis with the current cleaning company and is putting out a Request for Bids for a Cleaning Company. The district is not currently under a contract with a Cleaning Company.

Safety Grant- Dr. Anderson shared that the district will use Safety Grant funds for Priority I fencing around part of the districts campuses to reduce foot traffic on the campus.

Available Board Trainings

Next Regular Board Meeting November 19th.

Executive Session:

BREAK FOR EXECUTIVE SESSION at 7:28

RETURNED FROM EXECUTIVE SESSION at 7:53 PM

NO ACTION TAKEN

Adjournment: Motion by Eddy Slick and seconded by Shen Sanders to adjourn.

The meeting adjourned at 7:53 PM