

BOARD OF TRUSTEES MINUTES

Tuesday, June 9, 2026

Library

5:30 p.m. – Regular Session

A regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Blochman Union School District was held at the Benjamin Foxen Elementary School library on June 9, 2026.

Members present: Shannon Clay, Danielle Pearce, Kelly Salas=Ernst. Absent: Thomas Gibbons, Jeania Reasner.

- I. **PUBLIC SESSION:** Shannon Clay called the meeting to order at 5:31 p.m. and led the flag salute.
- II. **Welcome Guests** – There were no guests present.
- III. **Reports**
 - A. **Charter School Reports**
 - i. **Family Partnership Charter School** - none
 - ii. **Trivium Charter Schools** – Trisha Vais reported that the school year finished last Friday. They had a huge high school graduation ceremony that was well attended. They also held 8th grade promotions, Grad Night, prom, and completed state testing. The results from the staff survey were good. They potentially have 1,100 students enrolled for the 26/27 school year but actual enrollment will probably be 1,050.
 - B. **Teacher Reports** – none.
 - C. **Superintendent/Principal's Report** – Doug Brown reported that current enrollment is 208. Water Day was a big hit and it went really well. Track and Field day was also well attended by parents. Mrs. McCallister did a great job organizing the event. We took the 8th graders to a graduation lunch. Graduation is tomorrow for both kindergarten and 8th grade. The summer program starts on 6/15 and runs for five weeks.
- IV. **ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR INFORMATION**
 - A. **Facilities**
 - i. **General maintenance** – We are still working on adding a third portable. We had a meeting with DSA and they will allow us to incorporate the two portables we already have with the new submittal. It will increase the cost and lengthen the timeline.
 - ii. **Electrical replacement project** -We are still waiting for a cut over date from PG & E. It looks like the new date will be sometime in July.

V. **ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR DISCUSSION**

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- A. Charter school oversight update** – The charter site visits are complete. The sites look good and everything seems to be going well.
- B. Election filing period is 7/13/2026 – 8/7/2026**

VI. CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS

A. Approval of Minutes

i. Minutes of May 12, 2026 Regular Meeting

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Minutes as presented:**

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

B. Approval of Monthly Warrants – May, 2026

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|--------------------------------|---------------------|
| i. Payroll | \$250,401.34 |
| ii. Commercial Warrants | \$ 87,829.67 |
| iii. Revolving Fund | \$ 0.00 |
| TOTAL | \$338,231.01 |

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Warrants as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

C. Approval of 2025/2026 Discipline Report

- i. Number of students suspended (in school) - 0**
- ii. Number of students suspended (out of school) - 3**
- iii. Number of students expelled – 0**

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education approve the Discipline Report as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

VII. ITEMS SCHEDULED FOR ACTION

A. Approval of the Benjamin Foxen Elementary School's May 2026 attendance report.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the May 2026 attendance report as presented:**

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

B. Approval of the 2025/2026 Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the 2025/2026 Proposition 28: Arts and Music in Schools Funding Annual Report as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

C. Approval of the 2026/2027 Education Protection Act (EPA), spending plan.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the 2026/2027 Education Protection Act (EPA) expenditures and spending plan as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

D. Public Hearing regarding the 2026/2027 Adopted Budget

Education Code Section 42127 requires that each year the Governing Board of the school district shall hold a public hearing on the budget to be adopted for the subsequent year. Pursuant to Education Code Section 33127, the adopted budget complies with the standards and criteria as established by the State Board of Education. Public inspection of the budget prior to the hearing will be held at Blochman Union School District, 4949 Foxen Canyon Rd., Santa Maria, CA 93454.

A PUBLIC HEARING IS REQUIRED AT THIS TIME.

Open Public Hearing for the 2026/2027 Adopted Budget: Time: 5:42 p.m.

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

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PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE ENCOURAGED AT THIS TIME – A discussion ensued regarding the issue of slight deficit spending. The district has a healthy fund balance so this is not a problem.

Close Public Hearing for the 2026/2027 Adopted Budget: Time: 5:44 p.m.

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

- E. Public Hearing regarding the following documents:**
- i. LCFF Budget Overview for Parents**
 - ii. 2025/2026 Annual Update**
 - iii. 2026/2027 Local Control Accountability Plan**
 - iv. Action Tables**
 - v. LCAP Instructions**
 - vi. Local Indicators**

Education Code Section 52062 requires the Governing Board of a school district to hold at least one public hearing to solicit recommendations and comments from members of the public regarding the actions and expenditures proposed in the Local Control and Accountability Plan (LCAP) or annual update to the LCAP. The public hearing for the LCAP must be held at the same meeting as the public hearing for the budget required by Education Code Section 42127. At a subsequent public meeting, the Governing Board must adopt the LCAP and the budget. Both the LCAP and budget must be adopted at the same public meeting. The public meeting to adopt the budget and the LCAP and associated documents for Blochman Union School District is scheduled for June 11, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. in the library of Benjamin Foxen Elementary School.

A PUBLIC HEARING IS REQUIRED AT THIS TIME.

Open Public Hearing. Time: 5:45 p.m.

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

PUBLIC COMMENTS ARE ENCOURAGED AT THIS TIME – There were no public comments.

Close Public Hearing. Time: 5:46 p.m.

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

F. Approval of the 2026/2027 Extended Learning Opportunities Plan.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the 2026/2027 Extended Learning Opportunities Plan as presented:**

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

G. Approval of the 2026/2027 Interim Business Manager contract.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the 2026/2027 Interim Business Manager contract as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

H. Approval of Resolution 2026-06-09, Candidate's Statement of Qualifications and Resolution 2026-06-09-01, Order of Election.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve Resolution 2026-06-09, Candidate's Statement of Qualifications and Resolution 2026-06-09-01, Order of Election as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

I. Approval of the contract with PG & E for emergency facilities use.

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the contract with PG & E as presented:**

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

J. Approval of donations.

i. Doug Brown; \$1,000; ASB Class of 2027

ii. Doug Brown; \$500; ASB Class of 2027

***** IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT the Board of Education take action to approve the donations as presented:**

MOVED:	Kelly Salas-Ernst	SECOND:	Daniella Pearce
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thomas Gibbons:	Absent		

VIII. PUBLIC COMMENTS - The issue of SB 848 regarding school safety was discussed, along with the training requirements.

IX. MISCELLANEOUS AGENDA ITEMS

A. Items Proposed for Future Action or Discussion - None

B. Blochman Union School District Board Member Items – Mrs. Salas-Ernst wished our students a happy graduation.

C. Items not on the Agenda - none

D. Next Scheduled Board Meeting: A Special Meeting will be held June 11, 2026, at 5:00 p.m. in the library to adopt the budget and the LCAP with associated documents. The next regularly scheduled board meeting will be held August 11, 2026, at 5:30 p.m., Library.

X. CLOSED SESSION: The board adjourned to closed session at 5:51 p. m. where they may consider and may act on the following during closed session:

A. Certificated and Classified Personnel Actions

- i. The board will be asked to review and approve hiring, transfers, promotion, evaluations, terminations, and resignations.

XI. RECONVENE IN OPEN SESSION - The board reconvened in open session at 6:01 p.m. Mrs. Salas-Ernst reported that no action was taken.

XII. Adjourn

TIME: 6:02 p.m.

MOVED:	Daniella Pearce	SECOND:	Kelly Salas-Ernst
VOTE:			
Shannon Clay:	Aye	Jeania Reasner:	Absent
Daniella Pearce:	Aye	Kelly Salas-Ernst:	Aye
Thoma Gibbons:	Absent		
