

6:30 P.M. - EXECUTIVE SESSION

AGENDA

SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

SEPTEMBER 8, 2025

7:00 P.M.

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RIVERSIDE SCHOOL BOARD
September 8, 2025

RIVERSIDE ADMINISTRATION OFFICE
7:00 P.M.

1. Roll Call.

AUDIENCE QUESTIONS/COMMENTS ON ANY AGENDA ITEMS.

2. Motion to approve minutes of August 11, 2025 Regular Meeting and to dispense with the reading and accept as delivered.
3. Motion to approve payrolls of
1 August 2025 of \$410,063.68
15 August 2025 of \$407,769.77
29 August 2025 of \$404,406.93
4. Motion to approve estimated payrolls of
12 September 2025 of \$440,000
26 September 2025 of \$441,000
5. Motion to approve Treasurer's Reports for July 2025 and the unreconciled balances as of September 30, 2025.
6. Motion to approve and pay bills when found correct and funds are available.

7. Motion to appoint _____ as Boys' Assistant Basketball Coach effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
8. Motion to appoint _____ as Fall Weightlifting Instructor effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
9. Motion to appoint _____ as Fall Weightlifting Instructor effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
10. Motion to appoint _____ as Elementary Teacher Mentor effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
11. Motion to appoint _____ as Special Education Teacher Mentor effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
12. Motion to appoint _____ as Spanish Teacher Mentor effective the 2025-2026 school year at a stipend established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.

13. Motion to approve the attached list of extra-curricular positions effective the 2025-2026 school year at stipends established per the Collective Bargaining Agreement.
14. Motion to approve the Public and Non-Public Bus Routes for the 2025-2026 school year.
15. Motion to approve the attached list of Krise bus drivers for the 2025-2026 school year. Proper clearances, insurance, and paperwork will be processed through Krise. Krise should notify Scott Pentasuglio if any clearances are in question or if a potential change occurs. Krise will also provide Riverside School District access to the clearances of their drivers.
16. Motion to approve the attached list of contracted drivers to provide transportation for the 2025-2026 school year at rates outlined in the District's transportation salary schedule. Drivers must alert Scott Pentasuglio if there is a change in the status of their clearances, car insurance, and car registration.
17. Motion to approve an Agreement for Title I services with NEIU 19 to serve a student at St. Mary's Mt. Carmel. Total cost is \$1,893 for the year unless other non-public Title I funds become available.
18. Motion to approve the updated Riverside School District Safety Plan.

19. Motion to approve the readings of the following Policy Guides:

113.4 – Confidential of Special Education Information – 3rd reading
216.2 – Special Education Student Records – 3rd reading
254 – Educational Opportunity for Military Children – 2nd reading
209.2 – Diabetes Management – 1st reading

20. Motion to approve the following Use of Facilities Event(s):

SCHOOL SPONSORED EVENT(S):

Taylor Borough – Riverside Elementary West – Parking Lot/Grassy Area – Land the State Police Helicopter and parking for National Night Out event – October 4, 2025 – 4:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.*

REE Student Help Fund - REE Student Council/Taylor Public Library - Bonfire/Trunk or Treat Event – Riverside Jr-Sr High Parking Lot, Upper Practice Field, and Commons - October 25, 2025 – 12:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.*

REE Student Help Fund – Bingo Fundraiser – Riverside East Multi-Purpose Room – November 9, 2025 – 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.*

*The School Board recognizes that this is a school-sponsored event. Use is contingent upon adherence to the District Policy on Use of Facilities.

21. Motion to approve the contract for the Executive/Confidential Secretary to the Superintendent of the Riverside School District.
22. Motion to authorize Atty. Raymond C. Rinaldi, II to sign the attached stipulation for settlement filed to Lackawanna County Case number 6163 CV 2018.

23. Motion to approve the Confidential Settlement Agreement and Release between the Riverside School District and the parent of Student ID #266794.
24. Motion to approve tenure contracts for Meghan Borzell, Katie Carlin, Bianca Gifford, Trisha Haffner, Mimi Tilberry, and Travis Toth having completed three satisfactory years of teaching at Riverside School District.
25. Motion to post for a Part-Time Translator.
26. Motion to authorize the opening of a new account with the Pennsylvania Government Investment Trust for the investment of excess operating funds throughout the school year. The Board of Directors authorize the opening of an account with the Pennsylvania Government Investment Trust (PLIGIT) for purposes of investing excess operating funds, in accordance with Policy 609 and Section 440.1 of the Public School Codes of 1949 as amended and supplemented by Act 10 of 2016. In opening the account the Board authorizes Carol Armstrong to sign the Account Application and designates Paul Brennan and Richard Rainey to be authorized persons with online access to the account.

Business Manager's Report

Solicitor's Report

Academic Affairs Committee

NEIU Report

Athletic Committee

Board Policy Committee

Facilities Committee

Finance Committee

Student Activities & Communications

Superintendent's Report

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27. Motion to adjourn.