

**KANE SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION
KANAB CENTER – KANE DISTRICT BOARD ROOM
20 NORTH 100 EAST
KANAB, UTAH
APRIL 14, 2026**

I. Board Work Meeting - 6:00 PM

- A. Welcome
President Danny Little Welcomed everyone. He excused Board Member Jarad Brinkerhoff who was not present.
- B. Reverence – Mitchell Glazier offered an invocation.
- C. Pledge of Allegiance – Everyone Participated.
- D. Sterling Scholar Recognition
The Board recognized the students, shook their hands and took a photo celebrating the accomplishment.
2026 Sterling Scholars
VHS
Maddie Cox - Agricultural Science - RUNNER-UP
Nyola Schreiner - Music

KHS
Keira Flanagan - Music
Mikkel Jones - Skilled and Technical Science
Brenden Donoho - Speech and Drama
Ta'Kara Martinez - Visual Arts
- E. College and Career Readiness Counselor Presentations
VHS- Mrs. Chamberlain presented to the Board on the status of Valley High School, meeting one on one with Students, 2025 Graduates & Scholarships, faculty trainings, classroom counseling lessons, activities and projects, Hope Squad, etc. The board then asked some questions at the end and Mrs. Chamberlain answered their questions.
KHS- Mr. Castagno
KMS- Mrs. Hooper
- F. Mark Anderson Zions Bank Presentation on Bond Information for VHS
Mark Anderson and Japheth McGee were present. Mark gave a quick overview of the process and what the Board would be approving in the meeting that follows. He talked about the sensitivity of Lease Revenue Bonds, which requires us to make a Statement. The Board will then adopt a Parameters resolution which sets boundaries for the amount of the bond issuance. The resolution also sets the dates for the Public Hearings required by law. There will be two of them now required, and it will be part of next month's meeting.
- G. KCSD Board Goals Discussion/Review
Superintendent Dalton is working on the Strategic Plan and updating the goals listed specifically the reading scores, and that will be presented at a later date.

- H. Review Board Agenda
The Board then took time to talk to one another about the agenda items for the regular meeting so they understood what they were for and the actions that were recommended.

II. Regular Meeting - 7:00 PM

- A. Welcome
President Danny Little welcomed everyone to the meeting.
- B. Education Articles
Superintendent reviewed the two articles shared with the Board as informational items only.

III. Consent Agenda

- A. Approve Minutes from March 10, 2026 Meeting
- B. Approve Check Registers for March 2026
Accounts Payable check register check numbers 309756-309900 (manual 3/24/26) totaling \$799,563.96. Payroll check registers A&B total \$903,886.34.
- C. Letters of Recognition
- D. Approve Hiring Recommendations Pending Successful Background Check

Sherri Crofts - VHS Assistant Track Coach
April Hoyt- VHS Head Cheer Coach
Savannah Hurt, Jeanine Johnson and Deborah Aravis Dencer- Contracted student mental health provider
- E. Resignation Letters
Stasha Hoyt- Cosmetology Instructor
Tye Housley- VHS Golf Coach
Esther Torgersen- VHS assistant VB coach
- F. Home School Affidavit
- G. Public Entity Resolution
This Document will authorize Lark Reynolds to represent the district in adding/deleting users and to access and/or transact PTIF (Public Treasurer Investment Funds) accounts.

Board Member Mitchell Glazier made a motion to approve all the Consent Agenda items, and the motion was seconded by Board Member Taylor Glover, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.

IV. Public Comment

- A. Public Comment
President Little opened the meeting for public comments. One individual addressed the Board. Sarah Glover commented on the lack of breaks between sports seasons and requested a mandatory three-day no-contact period following the final state tournament game.

V. Local Building Authority Meeting

- A. Motion to Enter into a Meeting of the Governing Board of the Local Building Authority

Board Member Marc Grow made a motion to exit the Board of Education meeting temporarily and move into the Governing Board Meeting of the Local Building Authority, and the motion was seconded by Board Member Mitchell Glazier, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.

- B. Consideration for adoption of a resolution adopting Bylaws and a Tax and Disclosure Compliance Procedure for the Local Building Authority of Kane County School District Utah

Board Member Mitchell Glazier made a motion to approve the resolution approving the Bylaws as presented, and the motion was seconded by Board Member Marc Grow, and a vote was called for. Aye(s): Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nay(s). Motion passed 4-0.

- C. Statement by the Local Building Authority of Kane County School District, Utah of its intent to issue a Lease Revenue Bond.

Board Member Glazier Read a Statement saying: "The Local Building Authority of Kane County School District, Utah hereby intends to issue a lease revenue bond. The purpose of said bond is to provide funds to (a) finance renovation and improvements to Valley High School (the "Project"); (b) fund any required debt service reserve fund; and (c) pay costs associated with the issuance of the Bonds. The estimated amount of the bond is \$25,000,000."

Following that statement Board Member Mitchell Glazier made a motion to approve the statement as presented, and it was seconded by Board Member Taylor Glover and a vote was called for. Aye(s): Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nay(s). Motion passed 4-0.

- D. Consideration for adoption of a resolution of the Local Building Authority of Kane County School District, Utah authorizing the issuance and sale of not more than \$25,000,000 aggregate principal amount of Lease Revenue Bonds; and related matters

Board Member Mitchell Glazier Motions to approve the Statement Resolution of Authority as presented, Vice President Marc Grow seconded the motion. A vote was then called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.

- E. Motion to adjourn the Local Building Authority Meeting

Board Member Glazier motions to adjourn the meeting of the Governing Board of the Local Building Authority and Reconvene as the Board of Education of Kane County School District. Board Member Taylor Glover seconded the motion, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.

VI. Board of Education Bonding Parameter

- A. Consideration for adoption of a resolution authorizing the issuance and sale by the Local Building Authority of Kane County School District, Utah of not more than \$25,000,000 aggregate principal amount of its Lease Revenue Bonds; and related matters.

Board Member Mitchell Glazier motions to approve the Resolution authorizing the issuance and sale by the Local Building Authority of not more than \$25M aggregate principal amount of Lease Revenue Bonds as presented. Vice President Marc Grow seconded the motion, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.

VII. Reports

- A. School Board Reports

- B. Superintendent Report
Superintendent reported on the USU Center for the School of the Future report on AI in cosmetology Instruction. He also discussed the Catalyst Center Grant Expansion into the Fire Alarm Suppression Training, which the district is looking at expanding it. The district is going to hold its Honors Banquet May 11th at 4:30pm at the Kanab Center.

- C. Kane District Enrollment
Student enrollment at the end of March was 1374, which was the same as the February count of 1374.

- D. Legislative Update

Superintendent reported on legislative highlights specifically:

- No additional WPU increase (HB1 included a 4.2% increase to the WPU in the base budget)
- SB 241- Early Literacy would be funded with \$16 million ongoing for paraprofessionals in K-3 classrooms. (line 243)
- \$18 million of ongoing funding will be cut from the Digital Teaching and Learning Grant. This will end the DT&L program. (line 241)
- USBE Grants for Early Literacy Software would be dissolved. (line 276)
- The \$17 million one-time funding that was recaptured from LEAs meant to lessen the burden of lost student fees would be returned for that purpose. (line 270)
- Catalyst Center grants (now called APEX Centers) will receive \$35 million from one-time funds. (line 253)
- Senator Fillmore's SB119 to task USBE with creating Open Access Curriculum will receive \$12 million in one-time funding. (line245)
- Competency-based Education grants will be discontinued. (line 254)
- A total increase to Public Education of about 5.1%

- E. USBA Spring Regional Meeting Materials Review
Information Item only.

- F. Homeschool Parent Survey Update
Superintendent reported on the results of the survey and some responses he received. The biggest recommendation was how to enroll their students in sports or participate in activities.

- G. KCSD Grant Summary
HVAC from the Federal Grant was approved in the amount of \$5.7M. Still waiting on a bid from Trane.
- H. USBE Update
Reported on the State Board of Education Meetings and what they are currently working on.
- I. USBE Legislative Bill Book 2026
Will present on this in more detail later, but it was attached for information purposes.
- J. Business Administrator Report
No report was presented.
- K. Monthly Budget Report
Cary had an updated Revenues & Expenditure by Fund report, and asked if the Board had any questions, they did not.

VIII. Board Action Items

- A. VHS Overnight Travel Request Review
Board Member Taylor Glover made a motion to approve the Valley High School Overnight Travel Request as proposed. Vice President Marc Grow seconded the motion, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.
- B. Career Status Approval
Heather Heath
Vice President Marc Grow made a motion to approve the career status as proposed. This was seconded by Board Member Taylor Glover, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed 4-0.
- C. School Trust Lands Plans 2026-2027
Board Member Taylor Glover made a motion to approve the School Trust Lands Plans for the 2026-27 school year. Vice President Marc Grow seconded the motion, and a vote was called for. Ayes: Board Members Little, Grow, Glazier, Glover. No Nays. Motion passed

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IX. Board Business

- A. KCSD Committee Assignment Review/Discussion
Board Member Taylor Glover will now serve on the Five County Committee.
- B. School Community Council Elections Discussion
Reported as an informational item to the board.
- C. VHS and KHS Construction Discussion and Update
Cary reported on the status of Phase 1 and Phase 2 for the Valley High School Project. He mentioned how we hired another firm to test the soils going forward and discontinued using the firm hired by the Architect. We are currently out to Bid for Phase 2, and they are due on April 23rd. On that date we will open the bids at Hughes General Contractors office in St. George for those interested in that process. Asbestos will need to be removed, and we've hired a contractor to do

that. Demolition will start in early June. Property tax will be used to pay for Phase 1 along with some State funding. Phase 2 will be funded with the bonds. Superintendent added that the project was stopped and because of Cary Reese's efforts and dedication this project is back on track and proceeding.

- D. KCSD Middle School Course Requirements Discussions
Was not discussed in this meeting.
- E. VHS and KHS Capital Project Update
Cary Reese gave an update on the projects, specifically they reviewed the pictures of the Wrestling room remodel at Kanab High School. He mentioned how we are proceeding with HVAC project that Superintendent mentioned earlier. Still working on the Softball Field Improvements.
- F. KCSD Capital Projects 10-year Plan Discussion
Informational only, was not discussed in the open meeting.
- G. KCSD Capital Projects Discussion
Informational only, was not discussed in the open meeting.
- H. KES Old School Property Discussion
The district is working with the City, and one day the modular will be removed from the property.
- I. Future Board Items
Change on the June date from the 9th to the 23rd of June.
- J. School Board Meeting Dates Review
Valley High School Graduation is on May 21st at 7pm
Kanab High School is on 5/22 at 10am on the Football field
Lake Powell School is on 5/14.

Moved by Board Member Taylor Glover to Adjourn, seconded by Vice President Grow. The meeting adjourned.

X. Executive Session

- A. Discussion of the Character, Professional Competence, or Mental Health of an Individual
No Meeting was held.

XI. Return to Open Meeting

- A. Motion to Move Out of Executive Session
No Meeting was held

XII. Adjourn

Moved by Board Member Taylor Glover to Adjourn, seconded by Vice President Grow. The meeting adjourned.

Agenda details and attachments can be viewed at:

<http://www.boarddocs.com/ut/kane/Board.nsf/>