

EASTBROOK COMMUNITY SCHOOLS CORPORATION
BOARD MINUTES - APRIL 13, 2026

The Board of School Trustees met at the Eastbrook Administration Office on April 13, 2026, at 6:00 p.m. All Board members were in attendance. Interim Superintendent, Stephan Darnell, and Business Manager, Lisa Baker were also in attendance. Roger Richards, Board President, presided at the meeting.

6:00 p.m. Public Hearing - Members of the public will have an opportunity to comment on the proposed contract of the Superintendent.

Regular Board Meeting

- A. Call to Order
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Amendments to the Agenda

Motion By		Seconded By		Vote:
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards

D. Adoption of the Agenda

Motion By	Chris Duckwall	Seconded By	Danny Combs	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

- E. Superintendent/Administration Report
 - a. Superintendent Report
 - b. Administration Report
- F. Recognition of Audience (Opportunity for Public Comments Related to Non-Agenda items)
- G. Recognition of Audience (Opportunity for Public Comments Related to Agenda Items)

AGENDA

1. APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF THE MARCH 16, 2026 MEETING OF THE BOARD

Motion By	Eric Hinderliter	Seconded By	Patrick Pinkerton	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

2. APPROVAL OF CLAIMS AND PAYROLL -

- *Recommend approval for the payment of claims in the amount of \$795,194.88.*
- *Recommend approval of the March 20, 2026, payroll in the gross amount of \$442,828.40.*
- *Recommend approval of the April 2, 2026, payroll in the gross amount of \$386,990.91.*

Motion By	Chris Duckwall ▾	Seconded By	Danny Combs ▾	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

3. RECOMMENDATION: PERSONNEL ITEMS -

Recommend approving the following personnel items:

Name	Position	Building	Action	Effective Date
Melinda Evans	Teacher	ESE	Retire	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Gary Dilly	Bus Driver	ECSC	Retire	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Mae Elizabeth Natoli	Teacher	EMS	Resign	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Mae Elizabeth Natoli	Cross Country/Asst Track Coach	EHS	Resign	End of the 2025-2026 Season
Dennis Briner	Bus Driver	ECSC	Retire	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Andrea Reber	Teacher	EHS	Resign	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Sarai Jeronimo	Teacher	ENE	Resign	End of the 2025-2026 School Year
Frank Hix	Bus Driver	ECSC	Leave	Approx. 4/7/26 through 5/28/2026
Brittany Boller	Guidance Counselor	EHS	Leave	Approx 4/23/26 to 1/4/2027
Hannah Smith	Basketball Girls Asst. Level 2	EHS	Resign	End of the 2025-2026 Season
Lisa Altum	4 Hour Cook	EHS	Appoint	04/14/2026

Motion By	Eric Hinderliter ▾	Seconded By	Danny Combs ▾	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

4. RECOMMENDATION: GRANTS -

- *Recommend accepting a Project Lead the Way Grant in the amount of \$4900 for Eastbrook North Elementary.*
- *Recommend a Project Lead the Way Grant in the amount of \$4800 for Intro to Engineering and Advanced Manufacturing.*

Motion By	Patrick Pinkerton ▾	Seconded By	Chris Duckwall ▾	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

5. RECOMMENDATION: DONATION - *Recommend accepting an anonymous donation in the amount of \$100 for EHS Softball.*

Motion By	Danny Combs ▾	Seconded By	Eric Hinderliter ▾	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

6. RECOMMENDATION: FUNDRAISER -

- *Recommend approving a fundraiser for the Spanish Club to sell dirty sodas and lemon shake-ups from Mama Duck's Kitchen on August 21, 2026.*
- *Recommend approving a fundraiser for Athletics to hold a Door Dash fundraiser from 4/15 - 4/30/2026.*

Motion By	Eric Hinderliter	Seconded By	Chris Duckwall	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

7. FINAL READING: VACANCY ON THE SCHOOL BOARD POLICY -

Recommend the final reading of the Vacancy on the School Board Policy as presented.

Motion By	Chris Duckwall	Seconded By	Danny Combs	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

8. RECOMMENDATION: SURPLUS/WORTHLESS ITEMS -

- *Recommend declaring multiple books at Eastbrook High School as worthless items to be disposed of properly.*
- *Recommend declaring the library chairs at Eastbrook North Elementary as worthless items to be disposed of properly.*

Motion By	Patrick Pinkerton	Seconded By	Eric Hinderliter	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

9. RECOMMENDATION: 1003 FLEXIBILITY WAIVER RESOLUTION FOR TWO-HOUR DELAY SCHEDULE 2026-2027 CALENDAR YEAR -

Recommend approving the 1003 Flexibility Waiver Resolution and accommodating 2026-2027 calendar as presented.

Motion By	Eric Hinderliter	Seconded By	Patrick Pinkerton	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

BOARD COMMENTS: *Board Comments will be heard at this time.*

10. ADJOURNMENT: 6:56 P.M.

Motion By	Eric Hinderliter ▾	Seconded By	Patrick Pinkerton ▾	Vote: 5-0
Eric Hinderliter	Patrick Pinkerton	Danny Combs	Chris Duckwall	Roger Richards
Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes