CHEYLIN USD #103
REGULAR MEETING OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION
MONDAY, November 9, 2026

The Regular Meeting of the Board of Education was called to order at 6:01 P.M. in the board conference room.

PRESENT:

Jared Boone, President
Jayden Cahoj, Vice-President
Cort Antholz, Member
Mike McCarty, Member
Lisa Phillips, Member
Gerard Pochop, Member
Dennis Kramer, Member

Jim Reece, Superintendent/Elem. Prin.
Adam Wiginton, HS Principal - arrived at 6:19 p.m.
Keshia Walden, Clerk

ADOPT AGENDA - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jayden Cahoj and seconded by Cort Antholz to adopt the agenda as presented.

RECOGNITIONS/COMMENDATIONS - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Jayden Cahoj and seconded by Cort Antholz to formally commend the following students for their accomplishments:

A. Student of the Week: Owen Boone, Victoria Velasquez, Brooklyn Alexander, Madelyn White
B. High School Volleyball Team:
    a. Sub-State Champions, Third Place @ State Tournament
    b. Class IA Division 2 State All Tournament Team: Kolbie Leach, Taylor McCarty, Ashlyn Schields
    c. Western Kansas Liberty League All League Volleyball: First Team - Kolbie Leach & Taylor McCarty, Second Team - Ashlyn Schields, Honorable Mention - Abby Wright
C. October Class of the Month: Seniors

APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA ITEMS - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Mike McCarty and seconded by Cort Antholz to approve the following items on the consent agenda:

A. Approval of Minutes, October 12, 2026, Board of Education Meeting
B. Approval of Financial Reports
    1. October 2026 Cash Summary Report
    2. October 2026 Budget Summary of Funds
    3. October 2026 Treasurer's Report

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4. October 2026 Activity Fund Report

C. Approval of bills

Type	Check Numbers	Amount
October Payroll	DD	$ 110,279.71
Payroll Withholdings	25369-25379	53,518.83
Budget Checks	25380-25416; 25306	199,169.52
Total		$ 362,968.06

D. Gifts/Grants: Prairieland Electric: $120 - Safety Poster Contest

REPORTS:
Reports from the Superintendent/Elementary Principal, High School Principal/AD and NKESC were included in the board packet. Short discussion was held regarding the recent Civil Rights/ADA on-site review and basketball participation numbers.

DISCUSSION/ACTION ITEMS:

APPROVE BASKETBALL TRAINING RULES - Carried 7-0
It was moved by Gerard Pochop and seconded by Mike McCarty to approve the basketball training rules as presented.

APPROVE ENDOWMENT FUND - Carried 7-0
It was moved by Lisa Phillips and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to approve the establishing document for the Cheylin Legacy Fund as a fully endowed fund with Bird City Century II Development Foundation.

APPROVE WELLNESS CENTER ENDOWMENT FUND - Carried 7-0
It was moved by Gerard Pochop and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to approve the establishing document for the Cheylin Wellness Center as a fully endowed fund with Bird City Century II Development Foundation.

Clerk Walden reviewed the commendations and findings from the recent School Nutrition Program Administrative Review.

Christmas event planning coordination was discussed. No action was taken.

Personnel:

ACCEPT RESIGNATION - Carried 7-0
It was moved by Cort Antholz and seconded by Jayden Cahoj to accept the resignation of Jewel Membribes, part-time custodian.

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APPROVE HIRES - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Lisa Phillips and seconded by Dennis Kramer to approve the following hires:

a. Tammi Carmichael: 6th grade teacher for the 2027-2028 school year
b. Ryley Sharpe: Second semester agriculture teacher
c. Alegra Ragels: Part-time custodian

Executive Session for Superintendent Evaluation will be conducted at the next board meeting.

CHANGE DECEMBER MEETING TIME - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Cort Antholz and seconded by Lisa Phillips to change the time of the December 14th meeting to 7:00 a.m. due to conflict with JH basketball.

ADJOURN MEETING - Carried 7-0

It was moved by Lisa Phillips and seconded by Mike McCarty to adjourn the meeting at 6:55 p.m.

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President Clerk

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