

**Quinter Unified School District 293**  
**Official Minutes of Regular Board Meeting**  
**December 10, 2025**

**Call to Order:**

President Aaron Betz called the Regular Board of Education Meeting to order at 7:01 pm. In attendance were Jill Stewart, Robert Herl, Shane Mann, Stacey Anstaett, Tiffany Gillespie, and Kristal Werth. Also attending were Supt./Princ. Kurt Brown; Princ. Toby Countryman; Clerk Evone Waggoner; Staff John Crist and Kelli Getz.

**Approval of Agenda:**

Motion to approve the agenda as presented. Gillespie/Mann (m/s/c 7-0)

**Approval of Minutes:**

Motion to approve the Board of Education Regular Meeting minutes of November 10, 2025 as presented. Werth/Anstaett (m/s/c 7-0)

**Approval of Bills:**

Motion to approve bill checks #168 thru 171 Equity Bond; and #1200 thru 1270 The Bank. Anstaett/Stewart (m/s/c 7-0)

**AD Report:**

John Crist gave the AD report.

**NKESC Reports:** None

**Transportation Report:**

The new van is in service and has been used for activities.

**Public Forum:** None

**Superintendent's Report:**

Legislative updates: Mr. Brown and Kelli Getz reviewed the Kansas Can Star Recognition Program/KESA Plan. Legislature is reviewing cell phone usage in schools, school finance formula changes. Mr. Brown and Evone Waggoner will have a STOP grant desk review this week.

**Action Item:**

Motion to approve the Kansas Can Star Recognition Program/KESA Plan as presented. Stewart/Werth (m/s/c 7-0)

**New Business:**

Donation: K of C Charities Aid Foundation for a Pre-School Donation \$529.92; and Anonymous donation \$3,167.12. The district's PDC 5 year plan approval was discussed. KASB December policy updates will be emailed to board members to review before the January meeting. USD 293, 2026-2027 School Calendar was presented for approval.

**Action Items:**

Motion to accept the donation as presented. Werth/Gillispie (m/s/c 7-0)

Motion to approve the district's PDC 5 year plan as presented if approved by the state. Mann/Stewart(m/s/c 7-0)

Motion to approve the USD 293, 2026-2027 School Calendar as presented. Anstaett/Mann (m/s/c 7-0)

**Old Business:**

District bond projects are near completion. The auditorium lift will be installed over Christmas break. DCS is completing final punch list items.

**Personnel:**

Amy Coffel has resigned as custodian effective December 19, 2025. Mr. Brown recommended a job change for Janae Tuttle as FT cook; and Connie Lewis and Laurita Burbach as substitutes. Mr. Brown's Evaluation will be completed at the January meeting.

**Personnel Executive Session:**

The Board of Education went into executive session at 7:55pm.

Tiffany Gillespie moved to enter into executive session with Supt. Kurt Brown, and Princ. Toby Countryman present to discuss employee contracts/job duties pursuant to the non-elected personnel exception under KOMA. The meeting will resume in the board room at 8:05pm. Gillespie/Stewart (m/s/c 7-0)

The Board of Education meeting returned to open session at 8:05pm.

**Action Items:**

Motion to approve Amy Coffel's resignation, job change and new hires as presented. Gillespie/Stewart (m/s/c 7-0)

**Adjournment:**

Aaron Betz adjourned the Board of Education Meeting at 8:11pm.

President: 

Date: 1/12/26

Clerk: 

Date: 1.12.2026