

**MINUTES OF THE BOARD DEVELOPMENT SESSION OF THE
OAK HILLS LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICT BOARD OF EDUCATION**

FEBRUARY 23, 2026 - District Office

4:00 P.M. (RECORDS COMMISSION MEETS PRIOR TO BOARD MEETING)

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OAK HILLS BOARD OF EDUCATION MISSION STATEMENT

All students attending the Oak Hills Local School District achieve success by graduating with individual skills for career and college readiness and global competence.

I. Call to Order

The meeting was called to order at 4:00 p.m.

II. Roll Call by Approved Rotation

The roll was called and the following members were present: Lisa Ibold, Bart West, Sam Yorgovan, Shane Krugler

Also Present: Steve Bain and Dan Beckenhaupt

Absent: Rich Haffey

III. 38-26 Motion To Dispense With Formal Agenda

Mr. West moved, seconded by Mr. Yorgovan, to dispense the formal agenda for the Board Development Session of February 23, 2026, as submitted.

AYES: Ibold, Krugler, West, Yorgovan

NAY: None

Motion Approved

IV. New Business

None

V. Board Discussion

A. Artificial Intelligence Discussion:

- Dr. Tim Cybulski (Assistant Superintendent), Brady Faust (Delhi MS Principal), Kyle Funk (High School Teacher), Rebecca Dwenger (HCESC Consultant), and 3 students presented on artificial intelligence.
- OHLSD views AI as a catalyst for innovation, offering opportunities to advance educational equity and excellence. AI, when used responsibly, can enhance personalized learning, support data-informed instruction, and cultivate essential skills for the 21st century.
- The administration has received a level of training and support in AI and the district received a \$30k grant from the tech cred to roll out professional development to the high school (which will begin in March). The elementary and middle school will begin implementation in August 2027.
- A handout was distributed.

B. Language Immersion Update (Dr. Cybulski Assistant Superintendent & Corey Kessler Director of Curriculum):

- In the spring of 2025, the board requested that the administrative team form a community team to provide recommendations that respond to challenges associated with the district's Spanish immersion program.
- Challenges included strengthening student proficiency in Spanish (speaking, writing, listening, & reading skills), recruiting & retaining staff, sustain enrollment, identify a clear matriculation pathway from elementary through high school
A handout was distributed.

VI. Communications

None

VII. 39-26 Adjourn

Mr. West moved, seconded by Mr. Krugler, to adjourn the meeting at 5:29 p.m.

AYES: West, Yorgovan, Krugler, Ibold

NAY: None

Motion Approved



President, Oak Hills Board of Education

ATTEST:



Treasurer, Oak Hills Local School District

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