

MINUTES

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TruBridge was be on-site March 26 & 27 for Optimization. Clinic Patient Connect (texting) training will be held Thursday. Annual Audit is currently in process.

Roxanne reported that a telephone call is scheduled for next week to discuss issues on the scopes that were recently purchased. A new treadmill has been ordered. Five Stryker inpatient beds were delivered. The demo bed was also purchased for a total of six new beds.

The board went into executive session for non-elected personnel at 7:30 a.m. and returned to regular session at 8:50 a.m. The CEO was included.

**City of Hanover**  
The Hanover City Council met April 9. Present were mayor Kim Lohse, council members Scott Jueneman, Nick Garber, Don Spencer, and Chuck Garber. Employees present were Katlin Bruna, Scott Wieden, Andrew Gugenhan, and Melissa Minge. Hanover Fire Department Chief, Shawn Minge, was present. Council member Coby Sedlacek was absent. Guests included Dustin Minge, Blue Valley Insurance, and Paul Alexander.

Fire Department Van Bids were opened. Bids included—Jacob Jueneman: \$1,602, Dalton Bures: \$563.79, Kellan Tegtmeier: \$590, and Marlene McDonald: \$2,600. The council approved Marlene McDonald's bid of \$2,600 for the van.

Public comment: Dustin discussed the insurance renewal with the council members. The council approved the renewal.

Paul Alexander discussed with the council members about the complaints of parking his RV on the curb. The council explained there is an ordinance that prohibits parking vehicles on the curbs and sidewalks; Paul explained that he is not on the curb, but on the grass between the curb and the sidewalk.

It was determined that the council and Paul needed to ask Anthony Bruna, the city attorney, more questions concerning this topic.

Utility Billing Company: clerk updated the council on EMC, new utility billing company. There has been some issues and learning curves; hoping to get things worked out soon.

Clerk has reached out about other companies to look into as well.

Gina's Hairport: Clerk discussed with council that Gina's Hairport

is the only in-home business that is getting charged extra—like a separate residence. The council voted to drop the extra bill.

The council continued the discussion on millings for the community building road; Chuck is going to go to

Barnes to look at the millings there and Scott J is going to talk to Ron Jueneman about some millings he may have. Tabled until next meeting.

Hall Brothers: still waiting for cold mix to be delivered from the order we did in 2024. Tabled.

Patching Hole by Wildcat Express: council agreed to patch the hole by Wildcat Express like they have in the past; going to put rock in the hole until cold mix is delivered.

Dumpsite: send out for sealed bids; due by May 13 to be opened on May 14 at the meeting.

Council: Hours: council wanted to know about employee hours and to also know more about how the monthly wage report works; after discussion the council decided to table until May meeting.

Days of 49 Donation: The council approved the \$3000 donation to the Hanover Days of 49.

City Code Book: Company is working on the city's code book; but had questions on if there were any changes needed to the CMB as they had notes that there may have been changes. The council approved raising the CMB from \$85 to \$100.

Community building: City approved replacing four doors and all door handles.

The council approved hiring Eli Heiman at \$12/hour, Hunter Kickhaefer at \$11/hour, and Tim Koss, as needed, at \$18/hour. Summer help will also work 8 a.m.-5 p.m. with an hour lunch break.

- 1. Don—yes
- 2. Scott J—yes
- 3. Chuck—abstain
- 4. Nick—abstain

Scoreboards: send out for sealed bids; due by May 13 to be opened on May 14 at the meeting.

Kickball Tournament: council made the decision that the ball field can be used for kickball tournament but they cannot have a beer garden.

The council discussed

the vandalism done again on the old city playground at city park. The council approved the purchase of four solar cameras for the park area.

**USD 223**  
The USD 223 board met June 9. Present were Doug Beikman, Travis Hynek, Steve Jueneman, Dusty Kruse, Gretchen Oehmke, Danielle Wurtz. Kellan Tegtmeier was absent. Others present: Lee Schmidt, Superintendent, Tim Mueller, Transportation, Maintenance and Food Service Director, deputy clerk Tim Mueller.

The board accepted the donation from Washington Youth Football for \$1,000 to Linn Football Program for equipment.

Tim Mueller reported on the maintenance, transportation, and food service for the district.

Mr. Schmidt presented both reports for Hanover and Linn Schools.

Mr. Schmidt presented the report on technology projects in the district.

Mr. Schmidt reported on educational focuses, capital outlay projects and drivers' education program for the summer.

The board approved football bleachers over \$10,000 and not to exceed \$25,000.

Doug Beikman requested information about insurance for student iPads.

Under old business the board discussed and reviewed 2024-2025 year end cash balances and year end transfers.

The board had two executive sessions for non-elected personnel. The board approved the resignation of Kim Lohse as Hanover High School Track Coach.

The board approve the 2025-2026 KASB Workers Compensation Policy for \$12,625, approved the June 30, 2025 cash balances and final transfers as discussed, approved the 2025-2026 classified staff as presented, approved the KASB June 2025 Board Policy updates as presented, and approved the 2025-2026 student handbook and the student technology network usage policy with changes as presented.

**USD 224**  
The USD 224 board met June 2. Present were AJ Goeckel, Shawn Taddiken, Kirstin Wernecke, and Cade Winter. Bill Genereux, Grant Knoettgen, and Audra Walter were absent. Also present was superintendent Art Baker and clerk Denise Cyr.

Mr. Baker gave a report on Chromebook purchases over the past few years. The middle school scoreboard was ordered last week and JB Turner was contacted to repair the middle school auditorium roof. Mr. Baker contacted the City of Clifton concerning the south curbing that needs repaired at the grade school.

Old Business: Contracting Students with USD 334

The contracted service agreement with USD 334 will continue for FY26. USD 224 will begin transporting the students; therefore, an additional bus will need to be purchased for the fleet. Kansas Truck has a used 2022 bus for sale that Matthew has been in contact with them on.

Board elections: Audra Walter and Shawn Taddiken refilled for their board positions. Bill Genereux did not file for reelection. Derek Drake filed for Bill's position.

New business: The board approved Miscellaneous Pay Rates and Student Fees for 25-26 as presented and set up a year-end special board meeting for June 26 at 7 a.m. at the high school.

Approve 2025-26 DLT Membership-tabled until the July meeting as a CCMS replacement needs to be found.

The board reviewed the building wellness policies as presented and reviewed by the

district health and wellness committee at their spring meeting.

The board approved the CCHS Student Council Retreat at Glen Elder Lake on June 24-26.

The board approved the reassignment of Lily Rudolph from part-time teacher aide to full-time teacher aide at CCGS and to rehire Ashley Schwab as a part-time teacher aide at CCGS. The board approved the hire of Lori Swenson as a bus driver.



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