Minutes of Johnson County Central Public Schools
Board of Education Personnel Hearing/Special Meeting
November 10-11, 2026

At 6:00 p.m. on November 10, 2026, the Johnson County Public Schools Board of Education convened a special meeting for the purpose of conducting a hearing on the consideration of the cancellation or continuation of the employment contract of Amy Little. Upon roll call, members present were Kim Wellensiek, Justin Beethe, Gail Hutt, Dan Jones, Jon Schmid, and Sarah Weber. Board President Wellensiek noted that a copy of the Open Meetings Act was posted on the wall in the gymnasium. She then turned conduct of the meeting over to Josh Schauer, the attorney representing the board of education and serving as hearing officer for the hearing. The board heard evidence concerning Ms. Little's employment.

The board received exhibits 1-25. The board heard testimony from the following witnesses: Amy Little, Linsey Meints, Justin Damme, Jon Rother, Angela Huskey, MacKinze Gordon, Nick Weber, Melissa Campbell, Anzel duPreez, Lisa Schuster, Michelle Weyer, Ava Klein, and Reesa Wilcox.

At 9:41 p.m., Sarah Weber moved to deliberate the matter of Ms. Little's employment in closed session. Dan Jones seconded the motion. Roll call vote: Wellensiek, Beethe, Hutt, Jones, Schmid, and Weber in favor, none opposed.

At 11:28 p.m., the board exited closed session and reassembled in open session.

Hearing Officer Schauer read the proposed Findings of Fact and Decision to Cancel Employment that is attached to these minutes and made a part of these minutes. John Schmid moved to adopt the Findings. Gail Hutt seconded the motion. On roll call vote to adopt the Findings, Wellensiek, Hutt, and Schmid in favor, Beethe, Jones, and Weber opposed. Motion failed 3-3.

Hearing Officer Schauer read the proposed Findings of Fact and Decision to Reprimand that is attached to these minutes and made a part of these minutes. Sarah Weber moved to adopt the Findings. Justin Beethe seconded the motion. On roll call vote to adopt the Findings, Wellensiek, Beethe, Hutt, Jones, Schmid, and Weber in favor, none opposed. Motion carried 6-0.

At 11:39 p.m., Dan Jones moved to adjourn the meeting. Sarah Weber seconded the motion. Roll call vote: Wellensiek, Beethe, Hutt, Jones, Schmid, and Weber in favor, none opposed. The meeting was adjourned at 11:39 p.m.