The Board of Education of Victoria Unified School District No. 432 met in Regular Session in the District Office on Monday, April 13, 2026 at 6:00 P.M.

MEMBERS PRESENT	MEMBERS ABSENT
Matt Orr	Connie Braun
Haley Gagnon	
Brenton Hoffman	
Terry Dinkel	
Jennifer Berens	
Shanna Dinkel	

Superintendent: Roger Perkins

Principal: Deena Clark – VES

Others Present: Doug Oberle, Shelly Huser, Tianna Dreiling, Micah Hilbert, Danielle Schumacher, Cody Bradley

President Matt Orr called the Regular Meeting to order at 6:00 P.M.

APPROVE AGENDA-MOTION – A motion was made by Haley Gagnon to accept the agenda as presented adding Driver's Ed to unfinished business, seconded by Brenton Hoffman. Motion carried 6-0.

OPEN FORUM – Coach Oberle spoke in regard to adding a strength & conditioning class.

PRINCIPAL REPORTS – Mrs. Deutscher was not present, but sent her report to the Board. Mrs. Clark recognized various staff members.

SUPERINTENDENT REPORT – Mr. Perkins reported on the upcoming track meets. He also reported that the football goal posts with pole protection is needed, the flagpole needs to be moved and recrowning of the football field needs to be addressed. Donations for half of the cost will be collected with the district paying the other half.

APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA-MOTION – A motion was made by Brenton Hoffman to accept the consent agenda presented below, seconded by Haley Gagnon. Motion carried 6-0.

1. Approve the minutes from March 9, 2026.
2. Approve the financial reports and payment of the bills for April.

VICTORIA RECREATION— The recreation commission has decided to not add a mill to their budget at this time.

DRIVER EDUCATION—Mr. Perkins reported that we will not be able to offer driver ed this summer due to not having it in the budget and the curriculum would need to be looked into as well. Salina has offered to come June 3 & 4 to take care of the book portion and then the students would do the driving portion in Salina after that. The cost would be $340/student. It was the consensus of the Board to go that route.

CHEERLEADING -- Micah Hilbert and Danielle Schumacher spoke to the Board about their need for assistant cheer coaches.

2026–2027 OPEN ENROLLMENT - MOTION – Capacity numbers for each grade level were presented to the Board.

A motion was made by Haley Gagnon to approve the capacity numbers for 2026-2027 as presented, seconded by Brenton Hoffman. Motion carried 6-0.

STUDENT FEES - MOTION – Revised student fees were presented to the Board.

A motion was made by Haley Gagnon to approve the revised student fees for the 2026-2027 school year, seconded by Shanna Dinkel. Motion carried 6-0.

DISTRICT COPIERS – This item was tabled to next month as Mr. Perkins is waiting on one more contact to send information.

TEMPORARY SUMMER HELP – Mr. Perkins addressed the need for temporary summer help. It was the consensus of the Board to put it out there and to approve hires next month.

STUDENT MATTERS – 6:52 P.M. -- A motion was made by Jennifer Berens to enter into executive session for 5 minutes to discuss matters related to student matters in order to protect the

privacy right of an identifiable person and to return to regular session at 6:57 P.M., and allow Mr. Perkins to participate in the session; seconded by Terry Dinkel. Motion carried 6-0.

Doug Oberle left the meeting at 6:52 P.M.

The Board and Mr. Perkins returned at 6:59 P.M.

No action was taken in executive session.

NON-ELECTED PERSONNEL – MOTION 7:00 P.M. – A motion was made by Haley Gagnon to enter into executive session for 15 minutes to discuss matters related to non-elected personnel in order to protect the privacy rights of an identifiable person and to return to regular session at 7:15 P.M., and allow Mr. Perkins to participate in the session; seconded by Brenton Hoffman. Motion carried 6-0.

The Board returned at 7:17 P.M.

MOTION – 7:17 P.M. – A motion was made by Shanna Dinkel to return to executive session for an additional 5 minutes, seconded by Terry Dinkel. Motion carried 4-0.

The Board and Mr. Perkins returned at 7:25 P.M.

No action was taken in executive session.

Mr. Orr stated that in regard to the cheer item, NEA will need to be contacted before February 2027 to put in a request that an assistant coach be added to negotiations for the 2027-28 supplemental schedule. For 2026-27, they can have co-cheer sponsors and split the supplemental for cheer.

CERTIFIED STAFF NEGOTIATIONS – MOTION 7:36 P.M. – A motion was made by Shanna Dinkel to enter into executive session for 15 minutes to discuss matters relating to employer-employee negotiations in order to protect the district's right to the confidentiality of its negotiating position and the public interest, and include Mr. Perkins in the discussion, and return to open session at 7:51 P.M.; seconded by Terry Dinkel. Motion carried 6-0.

The Board and Mr. Perkins returned at 7:53 P.M.

No action was taken in executive session.

LAST DAY OF SCHOOL - MOTION – A motion was made by Brenton Hoffman to have the last day for students be May 13 going until 3:20 with teacher check-out on Thursday, May 14 or Friday, May 15; seconded by Haley Gagnon. Motion carried 6-0.

OPEN FORUM – There were no questions from visitors.

BOARD COMMENTS – April 29 will be the board workshop. It was the consensus of the Board to talk about New Boardsmanship and buildings at the workshop, beginning at 6:00 P.M. Graduation is Sunday, May 10, 2026 at 1:00 P.M. The Board should notify us as to whether they plan to be on stage for graduation.

MOTION—A motion was made by Brenton Hoffman to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Terry Dinkel. Motion carried 6-0.

The meeting adjourned at 8:06 P.M.

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Melissa Schmidt, Clerk