

A special work session of the Board of Education was called to order at 5:30 p.m. at West Ottawa Public Schools' Administration Office, 1138 136th Avenue.

**REGULAR MEETING
CALL TO ORDER**

President Lebster administered the roll call.

ROLL CALL

Members Present: D. Duistermars, C. Lebster, J. Otteman. Schipper, C. Martinez and M. Remenschneider.

Members Absent: L. Rutan

Moved by J. Otteman, supported by R. Schipper, that the minutes from the December 15, 2025, Regular Meeting be approved as presented. Motion carried 6-0-0.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES

Moved by R. Schipper, supported by J. Otteman that the agenda be approved as presented. Motion carried 6-0-0.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

Scott Doza introduced Panther, the vapor wake dog, to the Board of Education.

INFORMATION ITEMS
Meet Panther

C. LaHaie, Associate Superintendent of Finance & Operations, presented an overview of the bond review.

Bond Review

Superintendent Bearden shared district data and updates with the Board.

Data Workshop

Opportunity was given for communications from the audience regarding agenda items. There was no response.

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM
THE AUDIENCE**
(Regarding agenda items)

Opportunity was given for communications from the audience regarding items not on the agenda. There was no response.

**COMMUNICATIONS FROM
THE AUDIENCE**
(Regarding items
not on the agenda)

The next meeting is a regular meeting at 7:00 p.m. following this special work session.

NEXT MEETING 1/19/26
Regular Meeting, 7:00 p.m.

Moved by M. Remenschneider, supported by R. Schipper, that the work session adjourn at 6:58 p.m. Motion carried 6-0-0.

ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted,