

Yavapai College
District Governing Board
Regular Meeting

Tuesday, April 21st, 2026
Rock House and Virtually
1:00 p.m.

The YouTube channel and Rock House will be open to the public at **12:45 p.m.** at the latest. All individuals attending the meeting in person will be allowed to bring clear bags **ONLY** into the meeting. In addition, the College has implemented advanced weapons detections systems/metal detectors for attendees. These requirements are similar for attendees at any sporting event or concert, and they are intended to ensure safety. Please plan accordingly.

Livestream Link:

<https://www.youtube.com/user/YavapaiCollege>

Members' Present

Ms. Deb McCasland, Board Chair
Mr. Steve Bracety, Board Secretary
Mr. William Kiel, Board Member
Mr. Patrick Kuykendall, Board Member (**Absent**)
Mr. Toby Payne, Board Member

Administration Present

Dr. Lisa Rhine, President
Ms. Yvonne Sandoval, Executive Assistant (participated via Zoom)
Ms. Kimberly Whitman, Board Secretary

MINUTES

1. General Functions: Procedural
 - a. Call to Order

This agenda item begins at: 13:00:00

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Chair McCasland called the meeting to order at 1:00pm.

- c. Pledge of Allegiance {Time: 1}

This agenda item begins at: 13:00:10

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The District Governing Board participated in the Pledge of Allegiance prior to the Adoption of the agenda. Board Member Kiel led the Pledge of Allegiance.

- b. Adoption of Agenda – **DECISION**

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This agenda item begins at: 13:00:43

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Board Chair McCasland read a statement to the Board to explain the reasoning behind the structure of the agenda. Discussion from the Board followed Board Chair McCasland's statement. The discussion can be viewed at the link above.


Board Member Kiel moved, Seconded by Board Member Payne, to not approve the agenda because it omits the Election of Officers items that the board voted at the prior meeting to place on today's agenda under Board policy 308. The motion passed with a 3-1 vote. (Ayes: Bracety, Kiel, Payne Nays: McCasland)

5. Adjournment of Board Regular Meeting: Procedural – **DECISION** {Time: 1}

Board Secretary Bracety moved to adjourn the Tuesday April 21st 2026, Regular meeting. No official vote was made.

The District Governing Board Member's then exited the Rock House. No meeting was held.

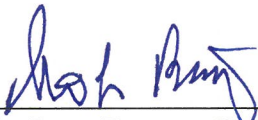
Respectfully Submitted,



Kimberly Whitman, Recording Secretary



Date



Mr. Steve Bracety, Board Chair



Mr. Toby Payne, Board Secretary

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