SOLANCO SCHOOL DISTRICT

Board of School Directors
September 21, 2026 Board Minutes

The Board of School Directors of Solanco School District met in the boardroom of the Central Administration Office, located at 121 South Hess Street, Quarryville, PA 17566 at 7:00 pm on Monday, September 21, 2026, as advertised.

Mr. Brian Musser, Board President, called the meeting to order and presided. The School Board Secretary, Sandy Smart, took Roll Call and the following Board members responded to roll call: Mr. Robinson, Mrs. Ausel, Mr. Wimer, Mr. Graybeal, Mrs. Mohler, Mr. Kreider, and Mr. Musser. Mr. Kauffman and Mr. Roten were absent.

The following administrators were present: Dr. Brian Bliss, Dr. Robert Dangler and Mrs. Sandy Tucker.

Mr. Musser led the group in pledging allegiance to the flag. A moment of silence was observed.

Current Areas of District Focus

Study growth in the district and its impact on facilities
Maintain a strong financial base for the district
Continue to develop and maintain a strong K-12

Presentations - There were no presentations.

Invitation to Speak – No one spoke.

Approval of Board Minutes - A motion was made by Mr. Wimer, seconded by Mr. Robinson, to approve the August 17, 2026, August 24, 2026 and September 14, 2026 Board Meeting Minutes. All voted yes and the minutes were approved. Copies of the minutes can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Business/Financial Reports/Motions

General Fund Reports (Summary, Detailed Activity, Investments, Check Runs) – A motion was made by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Kreider, to approve the General

Fund Reports. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of each report can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Capital Project Fund Reports (Activity, Investments) - A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, seconded by Mr. Robinson, to approve the Capital Project Fund Reports. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of each report can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Cafeteria Report - A motion was made by Mr. Wimer, seconded by Mr. Graybeal, to approve the Cafeteria Report. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the Cafeteria Report can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Van Strien Consulting E-Rate Proposal - A motion was made by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Graybeal, to approve the E-rate proposal for the 2027-2028 school year. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the proposal can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Uhrig Construction Change Order #7 - A motion was made by Mrs. Mohler, seconded by Mr. Wimer, to approve the high school restroom change order. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of change order #7 can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Corwin Clarity Training Quote - A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, seconded by Mrs. Mohler, to approve the quote for an additional presenter to create sessions for elementary and secondary groups. All voted yes and the motion carried. A copy of the quote can be found in Supplement Book 0921.

Personnel - A motion was made by Mr. Robinson, seconded by Mr. Graybeal, to approve the Personnel Report. All voted yes and the motion carried.

<u>Resignations</u>

<u>Employment</u>

Diana Paredes, Special Ed Classroom Aide, Swift Middle School
Replaces: Angelina Stowe (A.S. is now Building Secretary)
Hourly Rate: $14.60/Hour – up to 29 Hours per Week
Effective: September 16, 2026

Melinda Harden, HS Math Teacher
Replaces Allison Leonard
Salary: PE, Step 9, Masters, $78,998 on the 2026-27 Solanco Salary Schedule

Effective: Upon release from current position/employer

Robert Shelley, Grounds/Mower
Replaces: Early Rutledge
Hourly Rate: $15.50/Hour
Effective: September 22, 2026

Jane Martin, Food Service, Smith Middle School
Replaces an open position
Hourly Rate: $14.50/Hour – Up to 29 Hours per Week
Effective: September 22, 2026

Extracurricular

Elizabeth Willcox, Parking Attendant
$17/Hour

Athletics

Updates - Lancaster-Lebanon IU13, LCA, CTC

Buildings and Grounds Committee

Extracurricular Committee

Curriculum Committee

Policy/Legislation

Administrative Reports

Superintendent's Report
Assistant Superintendent's Report

Dates to Remember

October 5, 2026 – Agenda Meeting, 7:00 PM
October 12, 2026 - Schools Closed for Students; Teacher In-Service
October 19, 2026 – General Business Meeting, 7:00 PM
November 2, 2026 - Agenda Meeting, 7:00 PM
November 6, 2026 - Schools Closed for Students; Teacher In-Service

November 16, 2026 - General Business Meeting, 7:00 PM
November 26-30, 2026 - No School – Thanksgiving Holiday
December 7, 2026 - Agenda Meeting/Reorganization Meeting 7:00 PM

Executive Session (Purpose will be announced if executive session is necessary). An executive session was not necessary.

Excuse Absent Board Members – A motion was made by Mrs. Ausel, seconded by Mr. Wimer, to excuse Mr. Kauffman and Mr. Roten. All voted yes and the motion carried.

Adjournment – At 7:13 pm, with no further business, Mr. Robinson made a motion, seconded by Mr. Wimer, to adjourn the meeting. All voted yes and the meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

Sandra D. Smart
Board Secretary