

MALDEN COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 84
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
July 21, 2026

CALL TO ORDER

7:02 P.M. The meeting was called to order by President Kyle Bickett

Roll Call Vote Ayes: Kim Morse, Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Ashley Peach, Haley Lower, Tami Foster
Nays: None

Motion Carried.

ROLL CALL

Present: Tami Foster, Kim Morse, Kyle Bickett, Will Linker, Haley Lower, Ashley Peach

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Ashley Peach with a second by Will Linker.

Voice Vote Ayes: All Present

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA 4.1 – 4.3

A motion was made by Kim Morse to approve Consent Agenda 4.1 – 4.3 and seconded by Kyle Bickett.

Voice Vote Ayes: All Present

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

A motion was made by Ashley Peach with a second by Will Linker to approve payment of the bills with the addition of a Marco bill for \$219.72.

Roll Call Vote Ayes: Kyle Bickett, Kim Morse, Ashley Peach, Will Linker, Tami Foster, Haley Lower

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

STAFF OR COMMUNITY GROUPS

REPORTS

1. Mr. Patterson presented an End of Year Financial Report and said all funds have remained balanced.
2. Mr. Patterson reported on test scores, a district FOIA law suit, and a Marco overage bill.
3. The Board heard the first reading of policy updates as presented.

BOARD ACTION

1. A motion to approve the amended Superintendent Contract as presented was made by Will Linker and seconded by Tami Foster.

Roll Call Vote Ayes: Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Ashley Peach, Kim Morse, Haley Lower, Tami Foster
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

2. A motion to allow Mr. Patterson to settle the lawsuit related to the FOIA request was made by Ashley Peach with a second by Haley Lower.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to go into Executive Session at 7:25 was made Kim Morse and seconded by Ashley Peach.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to come out of Executive Session at 7:52 was made by Tami Foster with a second by Kim Morse.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

3. A motion was made by Haley Lower with a second by Kim Morse to approve destruction of closed session minutes from 1/2025 to 3/20224.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

4. A motion to approve opening closed session minutes from 6/2026 to 1/2026 was made by Haley Lower and seconded by Ashley Peach.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

5. A motion to set a Special Meeting for August 10th at 7:00 p.m. was made by Will Linker with a second by Kyle Bickett.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

6. A motion to hire Dana Bickett as Jr. High Paraprofessional was made by Tami Foster and seconded by Will Linker.
Roll Call Vote Ayes: Will Linker, Ashley Peach, Kim Morse, Haley Lower, Tami Foster, Kyle Bickett-
abstained
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to adjourn at 7:58 p.m. was made by Ashley Peach with a second by Tami Foster.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

Board President

Date

Board Secretary

MALDEN COMMUNITY CONSOLIDATED SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 84
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
June 17, 2026

BUDGET AMENDMENT HEARING

- 1. HEARING IS CALLED TO ORDER**
- 2. ROLL CALL**
- 3. DISCUSSION AND PUBLIC COMMENT**
- 4. ADJOURN HEARING**

**BOARD MEETING AND AGENDA IMMEDIATELY
FOLLOWING BUDGET AMENDMENT HEARING**

CALL TO ORDER

7:03 P.M. The meeting was called to order by President Kyle Bickett

Roll Call Vote Ayes: Kim Morse, Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Brandon Banks

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

ROLL CALL

Present: Brandon Banks, Kim Morse, Kyle Bickett, Will Linker

APPROVAL OF AGENDA

A motion to approve the agenda was made by Kyle Bickett with a second by Will Linker.

Voice Vote Ayes: All Present

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

APPROVAL OF CONSENT AGENDA 4.1 – 4.3

A motion was made by Kim Morse to approve Consent Agenda 4.1 – 4.3 and seconded by Will Linker.

Voice Vote Ayes: All Present

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

APPROVAL OF BILLS

A motion was made by Kim Morse with a second by Will Linker to approve payment of the bills.

Roll Call Vote Ayes: Kyle Bickett, Kim Morse, Brandon Banks, Will Linker

Nays: None

Motion Carried.

STAFF OR COMMUNITY GROUPS

REPORTS

1. Mr. Patterson reported on the summer maintenance projects.

BOARD ACTION

1. A motion to approve payment of any end-of-year bills that would need to be paid was made by Will Linker and seconded by Brandon Bankes.
Roll Call Vote Ayes: Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Brandon Bankes, Kim Morse
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
2. A motion to approve the Bank Depositories – First Bank of Van Orin, Heartland, Central Bank, Cherry State Bank, and Midland for the 2026-2027 school year was made by Kim Morse with a second by Kyle Bickett.
Roll Call Vote Ayes: Kim Morse, Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Brandon Bankes
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
3. A motion to approve the following Book Rental-\$50.00, Hot Lunch-\$3.25, Extra Pizza Slice-\$1.50, Breakfast-\$2.25, and Milk-\$0.45 or \$75.00 for the year was made by Kim Morse and seconded by Kyle Bickett.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
4. A motion was made by Brandon Bankes and seconded by Kyle Bickett to approve Hopkins and Associates as the District Auditor.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
5. A motion to set FY26-27 Meeting Dates and Times as presented was made by Kyle Bickett with a second by Will Linker.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
6. A motion to approve the Amended Budget as presented was made by Kim Morse and seconded by Kyle Bickett.
Roll Call Vote Ayes: Will Linker, Kyle Bickett, Brandon Bankes, Kim Morse
Nays: None
Motion Carried.
7. A motion to approve the Workman's Comp and Property Liability Insurance was made by Brandon Bankes with a second by Will Linker.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to go into Executive Session at 7:27 was made by Kim Morse and seconded by Brandon Bankes.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to come out of Executive Session at 7:37 was made by Will Linker with a second by Kim Morse.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

A motion to adjourn at 7:40 p.m. was made by Kyle Bickett with a second by Brandon Bankes.
Voice Vote Ayes: All Present
Nays: None
Motion Carried.

Board President

Date

Board Secretary