

**ODESSA R-VII SCHOOL DISTRICT
BOARD OF EDUCATION
MEETING SUMMARY**

(August 18, 2026)

The regular Board of Education Meeting was conducted at the Odessa High School Media Center beginning at 7:00 p.m.

The following board members were present: Cole Shippy, President; Kelsey Legate, Vice President; Adam Bradley, Henry Grubb, Brady Madsen, Jessica Porter, and Scott Young

TAX RATE HEARING

1. Presentation of FY27 Tax Rate

FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS: (Action Required)

1. Approval of Agenda
2. Approval of Consent Agenda
 - a. Minutes
 - b. Financial Information
 - c. Monthly Budget
 - d. Surplus Property
 - e. Contracts
 - f. Fundraising Report
 - g. Preliminary Annual Secretary of the Board Report (ASBR)
 - h. Out-Of-State Trip Request

COMMUNICATION AND REPORTS

1. Communication
 - a. Public Comment and Community Input per Board Policy C-140-P
2. Special Services Report
3. Instruction Report
4. Operations Report
5. Superintendent Report

DISCUSSION ITEMS

1. McQuerry Facility Update
2. A-F Report Card
3. Building Improvement Plans
4. Bank of Odessa Member Impact Fund Donation

ACTION ITEMS (Action Required)

5. AI Guidance Document
6. Local Compliance Plan
7. Athletic Trainer Substitute Rate and Certification
8. Accepting of Election Results
9. High School Officiating Course Curriculum
10. Bond Prepayment
11. 2026-27 Tax Rate
12. Motion to Conduct a Closed Executive Session including any Record or Vote at the next scheduled meeting Pursuant to Statutes contained in Chapter 610.021 RSMo - Roll Call
13. Adjournment

The Open Session Meeting adjourned at 8:18 p.m.