

Cripple Creek Victor School District
Regular Board Minutes
March 02, 2026

1. The meeting was called to order by the Board President Brazill at 5:00 PM in person and a virtual meeting held through Elevate meetings as disclosed in the posted meeting agenda for public attendees.
2. The Pledge of Allegiance was led by President Brazill.
3. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.
4. **I move that we Approve the Agenda:** Motion to approve agenda, by Green, seconded by Hilfers.
5. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

Public Participation: Cody Barker spoke about the hostile learning environment due to substance abuse with the kids at school and not being able to get a handle on the situation. They need help such as police presence in the school. We used to have an SRO. Brooke Brisbin also spoke saying she has a background in substance abuse and as a parent and substitute teacher at the school district she has made the decision to homeschool her child. Brisbin has witnessed people pulling vapes from trash cans in town, refilling them with honey and molasses to resell. Brisbin stated there needs to be more substance abuse education and doesn't feel safe coming to work. Brazill states we can have a discussion to resolve this at a work session or get parents involved.

Faculty Introductions: Kahrs introduced, Amy Christison, District Behavioral Educator and Cresson McKinney Vinto, Patti Brink, JH Teacher who did J-Term and Literacy Day Planning, Chamberlains, Riley, Sadie Miller, Counselor and District Coordinator, Brooke Brisbin, Substitute, Laura Klein does student council, senior photography, memory projects and showcases student artwork. Cody Barker, Dean of Students, Mike Hobbs, CTE Para who has now received his license. Cummings acknowledged that Copley was elected to Victor City Council. Copley introduced Ralph Copley, Cresson Technology Literacy Coordinator. In the morning he oversees 8-10 software's working and Assessment Coordinator in charge of CMAS testing, technology instructor, and runs clubs' afterschool. Josh Qualls is a firefighter and comes to our district as a bus driver and was a substitute, and now he is Cresson Physical Education Instructor.

6. **Superintendent, Principals and Department Reports:** Brazill stated the first board packet with no questions. Green was encouraged by the progress in reading made since the first of the year. Copley stated with the theater Production there were 35 kids total and 25 from Cresson in that production. Copley states we also had camp to read a book which was a great success and the American Heart Association Challenge.
7. **Board Questions:** None
8. **Business Meeting:**

A. New Business-Cummings asked Patty to talk. Patty stated that Head Start slots which have 20

half day slots and because of UPK funding we are considered by them to be currently under enrolled. She is trying to reach Ashlin to see if there are ways to work through this.

i. Consent Agenda:

- a) Regular Minutes from February 2026
- b) Resignations/Recommendations/Terminations
- c) Financial Reports – January 2026

9. **Motion to Approve Board Minutes:** Motion to approve by Stokes, seconded by Green.

10. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

11. **Motion to Approve Resignations/Recommendations/Terminations/Non-Renewals:** Motion to approve by Hilfers, seconded by Stokes.

12. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

13. **Motion to Approve Financial Reports-January 2026:** Motion to approve by Hilfers, seconded by Green.

14. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

ii. Approval of January 2026 Payables/Payroll

Motion to Approve January 2026 Payables & Payroll: Motion to approve by Green, seconded by Hilfers.

iii. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

iv. **Second and Final Reading of JIC Policies-** JFC-R: Student Withdrawal from School/Dropouts; JH: Student Absences and Excuses; JHB: Truancy; JIC: Student Conduct; JICA: Student Dress Code; JICDA: Code of Conduct; JICDE: Bullying Prevention and Education; JICEA: School Related Student Publications (School Publications Code); JICEA-R: School Related Student Publications (School Publications Code)-Regulation; JICF-Secret Societies/Gang Activity; KLG: Relations with state and federal agencies

Approval of Second and Final Reading of JIC Policies

Motion to Approve Second and Final Reading of J (and one K) Policies: Motion to approve by Green, seconded by Stokes.

1. **Roll call:** Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye.

Authorization to Pay Recurring Invoices: Motion to approve by Hilfers, seconded by Green.

Roll call: Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye

Approval of HS EHS CCP Budget: Motion to approve by Young, seconded by Stokes.

Roll call: Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye

C. Informational:

- i. **1% sales tax check for: January 2026: \$42,785.06
February 2026: \$48,641.95**
- ii. **2025 Audit Update-** Rice stated they are trying to upload the Audit. Hayden spent at least three hours last week and all the weekend with a lot of errors and trying to work with the Auditors who are not cooperative. They had a meeting with the state this morning which was helpful, but we are still trying to work out errors.
- iii. **BOCES Update (Donna Brazill, Stephanie Stokes):** Katie Ueberroth stated on March 16th at 5:00 pm we will be having Parent Academies at the Heritage Center in Cripple Creek around special education and April 7th the Ute Pass BOCES Board Meeting.
- iv. **Preview of 2026/27 Calendar**
- v. **Upcoming events:**
 - a. **Board Work Session, 3/5 (2:30-4:00pm)**
 - b. **College and Career Fair 3/11 (1:00-4:00pm)**
 - c. **Board Work Session, 4/2 (2:30-4:00pm)**
 - d. **Regular Board Meeting, 4/6**
 - e. **Board Work Session 5/4 (3:30-4:30)**
 - f. **Regular Board Meeting 5/4**

Board Reflection (5 minutes maximum): None

Board Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by Green, seconded by Hilfers.

Roll call: Brazill, aye; Green, aye; Hilfers, aye; Stokes, aye; Young, aye

The meeting adjourned at 6:03pm. Next Board Meeting will be on Monday, April 6, 2026, at 5:00 PM.

Minutes are approved as to form & content.

ATTEST:

Board President

Board Secretary
