

Kimberly School District #414
REGULAR BOARD MEETING FY27
THURSDAY, OCTOBER 15, 2026
AGENDA# 12B7 1ST READING REVISE POLICY 8200 LOCAL SCHOOL WELLNESS

Carla Hogue, Child Nutrition Director, is recommending revisions to Policy 8200 based on input from the State Department. The proposed revisions include the following:

- **Sharpened Definitions and Meal Standards:** Explicitly defines the school day according to USDA guidelines, from midnight before to 30 minutes after instructional hours, and modernizes competitive food, vending, and marketing restrictions.
- **Expanded Wellness Committee and Stakeholder Engagement:** Broadens committee responsibilities to include ongoing policy review, structured public notice requirements, and clear channels for community and stakeholder input.
- **Refined Nutrition Promotion and Education:** Strengthens language around evidence-based promotion strategies, including Smarter Lunchrooms techniques and Farm to School activities, and emphasizes behavior-focused skill development.
- **Formalized Triennial Assessment:** Establishes a structured assessment process to evaluate policy compliance against model policies, measure progress, and require public reporting.