UHSAA Board of Trustees Meeting Summary

November 19, 2026

Action Items

- **Meeting Minutes:** Approved the August 20, 2026, Board of Trustees meeting minutes.
- **Terra Academy:** Approved for UHSAA membership. Staff will conduct a site visit and assist the school in its transition to independent competition for the 2027–2029 alignment.
- **Utah Prep Academy:** The Executive Committee did not recommend membership at this time. Staff will continue working with the school on association membership requirements.
- **2027–2029 Realignment:** Approved first consideration of classifications for both the All Activities Except Football and Football-Only alignments.

Executive Committee Updates

The Board reviewed the September 30 and November 11 Executive Committee meeting summaries, which included:

- Championship ticket prices increased to $15 for adults and $10 for students and seniors. Schools may also purchase postseason student tickets.
- Officials' mileage reimbursement increased to $0.60 per mile for drivers and $0.20 per mile for riders, retaining the existing 50-mile unpaid threshold.
- Boys' soccer returned to an 18-game contest limit and remains on probation.
- Wrestling eliminated the eight-dual limit while retaining the overall 16-credit limit.
- Western Sports Park will host boys' volleyball championships. BYU and UVU will host 5A and 6A baseball championships.
- Continued discussion regarding a consistent penalty chart and lacrosse possession clocks.

Executive Session

- The Board entered executive session to discuss legal matters and receive an update regarding the F-1 lawsuit.
- The Board reconvened in open session to proceed with the 2027–2029 realignment process.

2027–2029 Realignment

The Board utilized the realignment dashboard and three verified data sets—enrollment, socioeconomic status (SES), and three years of competitive performance—to establish classification ratios and school placements for first consideration.

	All Activities Except Football	Football Only
Enrollment	77%	65%
Socioeconomic Status (SES)	13%	13%
Competitive Performance (CRI)	10%	22%

First Consideration of Classification Placement

Classification	All Activities Except Football	Football Only
6A	21	22
5A	25	24
4A	25	23
3A	22	16
2A	26	11
1A	27	11
Total	**146**	**107**

Eleven eight-player football schools were assigned separately based on established criteria.

Additional Realignment Discussion

- Schools may request to compete in a higher classification in a specific sport or activity if they currently compete at that level or averaged in the top 15% of their classification over the previous three seasons.
- Approved sport- or activity-specific moves will remain in effect for the entire two-year alignment. In the general alignment, schools will remain in their assigned regions for regular-season region competition and compete in the higher classification for postseason play.
- Staff will compile school requests, prepare proposed region scenarios and gather written public comments following the December 1 meeting.

Realignment Timeline

Date	Meeting / Action
November 19	First consideration of classifications – Completed
November 30	Deadline for schools to submit requests to move up
December 1 – 9:00 a.m.	Second consideration of classifications and first consideration of assigned regions
December 8 – 6:30 p.m.	Virtual public hearing
December 9 – 9:00 a.m.	Second consideration of assigned regions
December 17 – 9:00 a.m.	Establish 2027–2029 realignment

Additional Updates

- Staff reported on region meetings and encouraged continued Board participation.
- UHSAA Sports Properties provided updates on Wendy's Team of the Month and the University of Utah Health partnership, including athletic trainer coverage at state championships and Comeback Player of the Year recognition.
- Board members were invited to attend the November 20 football championships at Rice-Eccles Stadium.