

Proceedings of the Board of Education  
Independent School District #787  
Browerville, Minnesota 56438

Regular Meeting #3  
March 9, 2026  
Conference Room 6:00 P.M.

Members Present: Bob Bryniarski, Gram Bentz, Treg Schultz, Keith Noska, Jodi Hillmer, Kelly Callahan, and Marty Host

Others Present: Scott Vedbraaten-Superintendent, Patrick Sutlief-K-12 Principal, Renee Hiebert – Business Manager, Wayne Petermeier, Robert Schueller, Matt Storck, Ashley Storck, and Debra Meyer-Myrum.

The meeting was called to order by Chairman Bryniarski 6:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Motion by Noska, second by Callahan, and carried to approve the agenda and the minutes of regular meeting #2, February 9, 2026.

### **Bills**

Motion by Host, second by Schultz and carried to approve vendor claims in the following accounts:

General Fund:	\$ 385,407.29
Food Service:	\$ 44,784.49
Transportation:	\$ 58,878.36
Community Service:	\$ 29,775.50
Capital Expenditure:	\$ 305.13
Building Const.	\$ 23,370.00
Student Activity	\$ 24,283.13
Insurance Fund	\$ <u>1,222.67</u>
Total	\$ 568,026.57

### **Reports**

**K-12 Principal's Report:** Usually at this time of year, we start scheduling for next year, and we will shortly as we are close to finishing the Master Schedule. Elementary and Special Ed continues LETRS Training through the remainder of this year. Paras are doing Paraprofessional Literacy Training (4 sessions). Elementary bowling was last Friday as a reward for I Love To Read Month (K-3). Grades 4-6 will be going to the Skatin' Place in St Cloud this Thursday. Signs of Spring - Science Fair projects are put out for display tomorrow. The Science Fair Awards Ceremony is March 17 at 10:10 A.M. There were some interesting presentations last year that made you want to wash your hands and question whether you want to drink out of a public fountain. We will see what snacks or public services will get ruined this year. ACT test is being administered tomorrow morning. Kindergarten Round Up is tomorrow night from 6:00-7:00. Preschool sign up is also done at around the same time. National Honor Society banquet is March 30 at 6:00 PM here at the school. MCA tests are being administered soon. Bowling for 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> grade is this week during phy ed. Other sign of spring in school include music contests. This Wednesday is Large Group Band right here, Large Group Choir is March 18, also right here. Solo and Ensemble for vocal and instrumentals are April 1, right here. After Easter, time accelerates like a roller coaster: The Student of Character Banquet is April 15, Prom April 25, Blood Drive April 29, Spring Concert, Elementary Concert, Grandparents Day, spring sports when the fields thaw, athletic banquet, graduation, done. It moves that quickly. Like a roller coaster, in the end, his hair is a mess, there are bugs in his teeth, and he is a little nauseated.

**Activities Director's Report:** Mr. Petermeier's report discussed "Bound" replacing the "RSchool App. This is our new scheduling refereeing, facilities athletic sign-up, cashless at the door App. There will be more information to come. The training room purchased a new "Game Ready" Ice Therapy Machine to work with injury recovery thanks to a generous donation by the Browerville Lions. The Athletic Banquet is May 13 in the Browerville Gymnasium. We have had great reviews of the new gym and walking track.

**Superintendent's Report:** Mr. Vedbraaten discussed the following: closing out the claim with Liberty Mutual. Lighting of the South Parking Lot, Participation by board members at graduation, a visit by InGensa on March 10, our regions day at the capital is March 18, and the district is up 38 students since day one.

Motion by Callahan second by Hillmer and carried to approve the 2025-2027 contract of Ann Noska.

### **New Business**

Motion by Bentz second Schultz and carried by a 7-0 vote to close the Browerville Pool permanently.

Motion by Hillmer second by Host and carried to approve the 2026-2027 Minnesota State High School League membership.

Motion by Schultz, second by Noska and carried to approve the 2026-2027 Prairie Conference membership.

Motion by Callahan, second by Hillmer and carried to approve the increase in price for the summer 2026 Tiger's Den at \$165.00 for five days/week/child and \$132.00 for a four day minimum per week per child.

Motion by Noska, second by Host and carried to approve the out of town travel on May 3-7 to Nashville for National BPA.

Motion by Callahan second by Hillmer and carried to approve the donation of \$5,000 from the Browerville Lions.

Motion by Noska, second by Hillmer and carried to adjourn the meeting at 6:50 P.M.

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Marty Host – Clerk, I.S.D. # 787 Browerville Public School