

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

Regular Meeting #5
May 11, 2026
High School Conference Room 6:00 P.M.

Members Present: Bob Bryniarski, Keith Noska, Gram Bentz, Kelly Callahan, Jodi Hillmer, Marty Host, and
Others Present: Scott Vedbraaten - Superintendent, Patrick Sutlief – K-12 Principal, Renee Hiebert-Business
Manager, Debra Meyer-Myrum, Ashley Storckand Robert Schueller. The meeting was called to order by Board
Chairman Bryniarski at 6:00 P.M.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited

Motion by Host, second by Bentz, and carried to approve the agenda, the minutes from regular meeting number
4, April 13, 2026.

Reports

Dr. Sutlief reported on the following: He Apologized for missing the last meeting. Highlights that were missed
were: Tornado drill on April 16; MCAs were wrapped up; Sourcewell’s Student of Character banquet was April
15; Ben Biegler and Lilihana McDaniel were our students of character.

Grill Day was May 8 (He missed it). He will have a Comprehensive Needs Assessment for some to complete
for our CACR report, Title I app, and Local Literacy Plan.

In compliance with 2024 statutes, we will offer Personal Finance for 10-12, American Civics grades 11-12, and
sending voter registration information to seniors this week (Stat. 201.1611). Elementary Track and Field Day
seemed to go well. It was a cold, windy experience. The last day for seniors is Friday, May 15, 2026. Morning
classes in session, then ceremony practice in the afternoon from 12:30 until we are finished. Graduation
ceremony will be Saturday, May 16, 2026 starting at 2:00. Students are to arrive by 1:15.

As the district’s Local Literacy Lead, he will complete the Read Well By Third Grade (Local Literacy Plan)
state report, which is being revisited this spring, and the data submission will be worked on in the near future.
Elementary and SpEd staff (and he) completed LETRS. As the Title Coordinator, the application for 2026-2027
is due in June. In the application, we will include Parent Involvement plans. Grandparent’s Day was
incorporated with Title I as a parent involvement activity. Other activities include the parade during Browerville
Days and Clarissa’s parade. This is a public discussion of Title I use. End of the year things are going on.
Elementary Summer School dates are set for June 8-12, July 6-10, and August 3-7. Each day is 8a-1p.

Mr. Petermeier reported on the following through Mr Sutlief: the athletic banquet is May 13 from 7 until he
finishes speaking. Browerville is now hosting four playoff baseball games on May 28.

Mr. Vedbraaten reported on the following: summer projects; the gym floor touch-ups, elementary hallway
carpet replacement, progress on tiling the athletic complex, clean-up of the pool and tennis court areas; the
progress on freshwater, legislative updates – lack there-of, a special shout out to Pam and Larry Cook for all the
help with grad flower over the years, and how many children are signing up for early childhood. We currently
have a waiting list for next year.

Bills

Motion by Callahan, second by Noska and carried to approve vendor claims in the following accounts:

General Fund:	\$510,662.63
Food Service:	\$59,197.63
Transportation:	\$1,597.05
Community Service:	\$63,868.91
Capital Expenditure:	\$1,180.38
Insurance Fund	\$1,223.67
Building Construction	\$37,047.82
Student Activity	<u>\$21,107.92</u>
	\$695,886.01

Personnel

Motion by Noska, second by Hillmer and carried to approve summer leaves of absence without pay, to wit:

Kyla Abrahamson, Hope Kunerth, Mary Lisson, Laura Stier, Rebeka Bollin, Beth Brown, Sami Kruse, Jarid Johnson, Jessica Tabatt, Deanna Warren, Colette Wieshalla, Jelynda Solid, Emily Berg, Carrie Murch, Nicole Statema, Dan Gaida, Sue Ridgway, Myra Buhl, Rachel Dreher, Alexis Reimers, Daihana Batista, Chelsea Sarff, Jacqueline Morelos, Denise Warzecha, Michelle Johnson, Rachel Dreher, Michael Hager, Linsey Rinde, Jessica VanDyke, Nancy Johnson, Barbara Noland, Carmen Weske, and Jennifer Bruder.

Motion by Bentz second by Callahan and carried to approve the contract for the technology coordinator for the 2025-2027 school years.

Motion by Host, second by Noska and carried to hire the following as summer workers: Clayton Birkholtz, Evan Abonce, Aiden Hatchard, and Drew Sudbeck

New Business

Motion by Hillmer, second Bentz and carried to approve the call for quotes of dairy and bakery products for the 2026-27 school year.

Motion by Callahan, second by Host and carried to set the 2026-27 lunch/breakfast rates as listed with two milk
 Tuesday: Secondary (7-12) Lunch: FREE Breakfast: Free; Elementary(K-6) Lunch: Free Breakfast: Free;
 Reduced Meals: Per Federal Guidelines K-12; Seconds: Per FED; Adult Meals: Per FED, Extra Milk: \$.40

Motion by Callahan, second by Bentz and carried to approve the membership in the Minnesota Rural Education Association for the 2026-2027 school year.

Motion by Noska, second by Hillmer and carried to schedule the regular June 29, 2026 school board meeting at 6:00 P.M.

Motion by Callahan, second by Host and carried to continue supplying Christ the King with meals for the 2026-2027 school year.

Motion by Bentz, second by Hillmer and carried to approve the annual contract for early childhood screening.

Motion by Callahan, second by Noska and carried to approve the resolution for membership in the Minnesota State High School League for 2026-2027.

Motion by Noska second by Hillmer and carried to adjourn the meeting 6:29 P.M.

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