

CHADWICK-MILLEDGEVILLE COMMUNITY UNIT DIST. #399
SEPTEMBER 15, 2025 REGULAR BOARD MEETING

The Regular Meeting of the Chadwick-Milledgeville Community Unit School District #399 Board of Education was held at the Milledgeville School on Monday, September 15, 2025 at 7:00 p.m.

MEMBERS PRESENT: M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish.

ADMINISTRATORS PRESENT: T. Schurman, Superintendent, T. Jakse, Jr./Sr. High School Principal, and D. Eich, Elementary Principal.

OTHERS PRESENT: Taylor Moshure, Justin Moshure, and Sophi Edwards

CALL TO ORDER: The meeting was called to order by P. Eubanks, President. A motion was made by M. Urish and seconded by T. Hackbarth to approve the agenda. Roll call vote showed M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish voting aye. No nays. Motion carried.

CONSENT ITEMS: A motion was made by M. Bibler and seconded by A. Drinkall to approve the following consent items as presented.

- A. Minutes of the August 18, 2025 Regular Board Meeting and Closed Session Meeting
- B. Payment of bills for September 2025
- C. Treasurer's report for August 2025
- D. Student Activity Fund Account Summary for August 2025

Roll call vote showed M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish voting aye. No nays. Motion carried.

COMMENT FROM THE PUBLIC:

- A. 4th Grade Presentation: Landforms Using Canva by Mrs. Edwards & 4th Grade Student Taylor Moshure

OLD BUSINESS

Fiscal Budget: A motion was made by A. Drinkall and seconded by M. Urish to approve the Fiscal 2026 budget and place on District website, submit to ROE, and to auditors. Roll call vote showed M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish voting aye. Motion carried.
Superintendent Schurman reported that the budget is balanced with a small surplus projected.

Fiscal 2026 Administrative Compensation Report: A motion was made by M. Bibler and seconded by M. Urish to approve the Fiscal 2026 Administrative Compensation Report and to post on the website. Roll call vote showed M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish voting aye. No nays. Motion carried.

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Superintendent Schurman reported that this report is required to be completed annually by the Illinois State Board of Education. In addition, an Administrative Salary and Benefit Report must be posted on the District website by October 1, 2025.

NEW BUSINESS:

PRESS Board Policy Update Issue #119 first reading: Superintendent Schurman reported that the following policies are updated in this issue: Superintendent requirements, board meetings, open meetings, administrative organization, food services, pandemic response, qualified teachers, copyrights, School Resource Officer, search and seizure, sex offender, and five-year reviews. This is the first reading so please review closely. Next month we will make these policies official.

Presentation on new “Missiles Wall of Honor”: Jr./Sr. High School Principal Mr. Jakse presented on the new digital platform that has been developed to honor award winners and those inducted into the Hall of Fame.

CLOSED SESSION

A motion was made by T. Hackbarth and seconded by M. Urish to convene in closed session at 7:36 p.m. in order to consider information regarding the appointment, employment, or dismissal of an employee or officer; and consider student disciplinary matters. Roll call vote showed M. Bibler, A. Drinkall, S. Engelkens, P. Eubanks, T. Hackbarth, C. Rahn, and M. Urish voting aye. Motion carried.

A motion was made by M. Bibler and seconded by T. Hackbarth to reconvene into regular open session at 7:50 p.m. Voice vote showed 7 ayes and no nays. Motion carried.

MOTIONS OUT OF CLOSED SESSION

Approved Leave Request: A motion was made by A. Drinkall and seconded by T. Hackbarth to approve the maternity leave request of Mrs. Brooke Pishos. Voice vote showed 7 ayes and no nays. Motion carried.

Approved JH 7th/8th Grade Boys Basketball Volunteer Coach: A motion was made by T. Hackbarth and seconded by C. Rahn to approve Mrs. Aleena Hammelmann as a volunteer 7th/8th Grade Boys Basketball coach for the 2025 season. Voice vote showed 7 ayes and no nays. Motion carried.

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ADMINISTRATIVE BUSINESS

- A. Early Step Preschool Report
- B. Report on Educational and Legislative Issues
State and federal funding are decreasing which will likely be a trend over the next several years.
- C. Principal's Report
Mr. Jakse and Mr. Eich reported that Career Day activities went very well, and a wide variety of career speakers were hosted this year. They also reported that staff spent the early dismissal last week focusing on NWEA-MAP score assessment analysis. In addition, some staff completed Crisis Prevention Intervention (CPI) training.
- D. Superintendent's Report
 - 1. After School Homework Club started August 18, 2025
 - 2. Public School Works Staff Training Program
Staff are currently taking training on Blood Borne Pathogens, Sexual Harassment, Ethics, Diabetes, Civil Rights, Safety, and Operating AED's.
 - 3. Half Day School Improvement Institute Friday, September 12, 2025.
 - 4. Kitchen Project Update

ADJOURNMENT

A motion was made by M. Urish and seconded by T. Hackbarth to adjourn the meeting at 8:07 PM. Voice vote showed all in favor, motion carried.

PRESIDENT

SECRETARY

NEXT BOARD MEETING - Monday, October 20, 2025, at 7:00 P.M. at the
Milledgeville High School Library