



**INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #2155  
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING MINUTES**

June 9, 2025

The regular meeting of the Independent School District #2155 was called to order at 5:30 p.m. by Chair Dan Lawson. Other Board members present: Melissa Seelhammer, Julie Bushinger, Brandon Kern, Amanda Schmidt, Barb Tumberg and Supt. Lee Westrum.

The Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

*A motion was made by Kern, seconded by Bushinger to approve the agenda. Motion approved unanimously.*

The Board recognized Josslyn Hansen, WDC 7th Grader, Scripps National Spelling Bee Qualifier.

Audrey Brandt Loer addressed the Board on the topic of DEI.

*A motion was made by Tumberg, seconded by Seelhammer, to approve the May 19, 2025 Regular Board Meeting minutes. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Bushinger seconded by Kern, to approve the hire of Cole Rundquist, Assistant Football. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Bushinger, seconded by Schmidt, to approve the resignations of Scott Woods, Head Boys' Golf Coach; Adam Justin, Kindergarten Teacher; McKinzie Halverson, 4th Grade Teacher; Elizabeth Spizman, 3rd Grade Teacher; Jerome Nelson, Custodian; Jordan Irish MS/HS Paraprofessional. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Seelhammer, seconded by Kern, to approve the placement of Sue Volkmann, substitute teacher, on unrequested leave of absence due to financial constraints. Motion approved 6-0 by roll call.*

*A motion was made by Tumberg, seconded by Bushinger, to approve the following Disbursements:*

Vendor Check #'s	47990 - 48129	\$356,818.82
Credit Card (BMO Harris Bank):		\$4,826.65
Student Activity Check #'s	23431 - 23438	\$32,225.41

*Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Seelhammer, seconded by Kern, to approve the 2025-2026 budget. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Tumberg, seconded by Seelhammer, to approve Eide Bailly as auditor for FY26. Motion approved unanimously.*

The Board discussed the possibility of going to the voters next fall for an operating levy. No action taken.



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*A motion was made by Bushinger, seconded by Schmidt, to approve the updated Fiscal Compliance and Procedures Manual. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Tumberg, seconded by Seelhammer, to approve the MSBA Membership Renewal. Motion approved unanimously.*

*A motion was made by Bushinger, seconded by Seelhammer, to adjourn the meeting at 6:20 p.m. Motion approved unanimously.*

The next regular meeting of the WDC School Board is Tuesday, July 8, 2025 at 5:30 p.m. in the Robertson Theatre.

Respectfully submitted by:

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Barb Tumberg, Board Clerk

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Dan Lawson, Board Chair

Date: \_\_\_\_\_