

Lake Station Community Schools
Board of School Trustees Meeting
Wednesday October 15, 2025



Minutes for the Public Meeting with the Board of School Trustees of the Lake Station Community Schools held at Edison Jr. Sr. High School, 3304 Parkside Ave. Lake Station, Indiana in the community room at 7:00 p.m. Wednesday evening, October 15, 2025.

This meeting is a meeting of the School Board in public for conducting the School Corporation's business and is not to be considered a public community meeting. There will be time for public participation as indicated by agenda item for Public Comments. The meeting will be available to watch livestreamed online.

Members Present: Mr. Wright, Mr. Tenorio. Mr. Music, Mr. Poweska

Members Absent: Mr. Billups

Others Present: Dr. Cripliver, Ms. Pepa, Mrs. Wisenant,

Mr. Wright led the pledge of Allegiance

Public Comments (3 Minute Limit) [Sign-In]

Comment on agenda items

Other comments for the Board.

Mr. Music moved to approve the 2026 Budget Adoption. Seconded by Mr. Poweska and unanimously carried.

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| AI | I. 2026 Budget Adoption | 2026 Budget Adoption |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Approve Resolution 2026-26 #2 adopting the 2026 Budget.b. Approve Resolution 2026-26 #3 adopting the 2026 Capital Projects Plan.c. Approve Resolution 2026-26 #4 adopting the 2026 School Bus Replacement Plan.d. Approve Resolution 2025-26 #5 authorizing 2026 fund transfer from Education to Operations Fund.e. Approve Resolution 2025-26 #6 authorizing to reduce 2025 appropriations and 2026 Budget.f. Approve Resolution 2025-26 #7 adopting necessary transfers to facilitate fiscal management.g. Approve Resolution 2025-26 #8 authorizing fund transfers from operating referendum funds to Education and Operating Funds. | |
| IO | II Review the Tentative Agreement reached with the Lake Station Federation of Teachers Local 1395 American Federation of Teachers and the Board of School Trustees for the Lake Station Community School Corporation | Tentative Agreement |
| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">1. Review Tentative Agreement2. Public Comment | |



Mr. Tenorio moved to approve the Consent Agenda. Seconded by Mr. Music and unanimously carried.

- AI III. Consent Agenda
- 1. Approval of Minutes **Minutes**
 - a. Regular Board Meeting and 2026 Budget Hearing – October 1, 2025

 - 2. Financial - Fiscal **Claims:**
9/18/25 – 10/15/25
 - a. Approval of claims **Payroll:**
9/26/25
10/10/25
 - September 18, 2025 – October 15, 2025
 - b. Approval of Payroll
 - i. September 26, 2025
 - ii. October 10, 2025

 - 3. Extra-Curricular (Hirings) **Extra-Curricular Hirings:**

 - 4. Extra-Curricular (Resignations) **Extra-Curricular Resignation:**

 - 5. Donations **Donations:**
Glass City
Shawna Vaughn
 - Edison Jr. High Football received donations:
 - \$500.00 from Glass City
 - \$70.00 from Shawna Vaughn

IV. Personnel

Mr. Music moved to approve item 1 under Personnel. Seconded by Mr. Poweska and unanimously carried.

- AI 1. Accept the retirement notice and resignation from the following bus drivers, effective immediately. **Retirement / Resignation:**

D Daniels
L Marquez
- Dale Daniels
 - Laverne Marquez

V. New Business

Mr. Poweska moved to approve item 1 under New Business. Seconded by Mr. Tenorio and unanimously carried.

- AI 1. Approve the sale of the following obsolete vehicles as per Indiana Code I.C-5-22-22-6, **Sale:**
2013
Ford Escape
- a. 2013 Ford Escape VIN#1FMCU0GX7DUC69854



VI. Facility Request

Mr. Music moved to approve item 1 under Facility Request and seconded by Mr. Tenorio and unanimously carried.

- AI 1. Approve the request from Eclipse Drum and Bugle Corporation to use Edison Jr High Gym for rehearsal on the weekends of April 25, May 16 and June 6, 2026, and to use Edison Jr. Sr. High School for rehearsal residency from June 20 to July 31, 2026, at a cost of \$5,110.00.
- Facility Request:
Eclipse Drum & Bugle Corporation**

Mr. Music moved to approve item 2 under Facility Request and seconded by Mr. Poweska and unanimously carried.

- AI 2. Approve the request from Eclipse Drums and Bugle Corporation to use Edison Jr. Sr. High School June 27 and June 28, 2026 for a community performance at a cost of \$500.00.
- Facility Request:
Eclipse Drum & Bugle Corporation**

IO VII. Other Business

1. The next meeting of the School Board to consider approving the Tentative Agreement is Wednesday, October 22, 2025 at Edison Jr, Sr, High School in the community room at 6:00pm.
2. The next regular school board meeting is Wednesday, November 19, 2025 at Edison Jr. Sr. High School at 7:00 pm.

View this meeting online via livestream at Lake Station Community Schools' Facebook page and/or Zoom: <https://zoom.us/j/93942205649> | Meeting ID: 939 4220 5649.

The meeting site is accessible; any person requiring further accommodation(s) should contact Ms. Ellen Moss, at the Administration Center at least 48 hours in advance at 219-962-1159, ext. 103.

ATTEST:

President, David Wright

Vice President, Greg Tenorio

Secretary, Kevin Music

Member, Jordan Billups

Member, Mike Poweska



Schedule 1

School Extracurricular Hirings

Position	Name	Status	Through
Misc. Sponsor/Advisor/Coach (ASL Club)	Joy Birch	Teacher	6/30/2026
Misc. Sponsor/Advisor/Coach (Art Club)	Lily Smrecansky	Teacher	6/30/2026
Girls on the Run Sponsor	Morgan Vaclavik	Teacher	6/30/2026
Girls on the Run Sponsor	Angela Kreuger	Teacher	6/30/2026