

ROBEIN SCHOOL DISTRICT No. 85
BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
August 21, 2025
MINUTES

1. CALL TO ORDER- Mr. Norvill called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

2. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

3. ROLL CALL

Members Present: Behrends, J. Herzog, M. Herzog, Norvill, McIntyre

Members Absent: Bieze, Foote

Others Present: Mr. Bennett; Superintendent, Channel 22 Representative

4. CITIZENS REQUEST/PUBLIC PARTICIPATION - None

5. APPROVAL OF MINUTES

A. Approve minutes of the July 24, 2025 regular board meeting

Motion by J. Herzog, seconded by Behrends to approve the minutes of the July 24, 2025 regular board meeting. All ayes, motion carried 5-0.

B. Approve executive session minutes of the July 24, 2025 regular board meeting

Motion by Behrends, seconded by M. Herzog to approve the executive session minutes of the July 24, 2025 regular board meeting. All ayes, motion carried 5-0.

6. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Treasurer's Report

B. Financial Reports

1.) Cash Balance Report

2.) Financial Report

3.) Imprest Fund

C. Activity Fund

D. Approval of Warrants

Motion by McIntyre, seconded by Behrends to approve the Consent Agenda. On roll call vote the following votes were recorded:

AYES: Behrends, J. Herzog, M. Herzog, Norvill, McIntyre

NAYS: None

Absent: Bieze, Foote

Motion Carried: 5-0

7. SUPERINTENDENT/PRINCIPAL REPORT - Mr. Bennett reported on the following items: Guest speaker Kate Garnes, Baseball, Softball Co-Op, No School on Labor Day, Mid-Terms on September 12, Tutoring for Grades 5-8 this year with a bus and the next meeting.

8. COMMITTEE REPORTS - Mr. Bennett reported on the HVAC roof issue in the gym. He is working with the Architect, Engineer and H & S Mechanical for a solution.

9. OLD BUSINESS & INFORMATIONAL

- A. FY26 Enrollment Update – Presented as an FYI
- B. FY26 Staffing – Presented as an FYI
- C. FY25 School Year NWEA MAP Scores – Presented as an FYI

10. NEW BUSINESS

- A. Authorize the Superintendent to direct the bookkeeper to process and pay any routine late bills

Motion by Behrends, seconded by J. Herzog to authorize the Superintendent to direct the bookkeeper to process and pay any routine late bills.

- B. Presentation and Adoption of Tentative FY26 Budget

Motion by M. Herzog, seconded by Behrends to adopt the Tentative FY26 Budget.

On roll call vote the following votes were recorded:

AYES: Behrends, J. Herzog, M. Herzog, Norvill, McIntyre

NAYS: None

Absent: Bieze, Foote

Motion Carried: 5-0

- C. Approve 1 Year Lease Agreement with Tazewell-Woodford Head Start

Motion by M. Herzog, seconded by J. Herzog to approve a 1 Year Lease Agreement with Tazewell-Woodford Head Start.

On roll call vote the following votes were recorded:

AYES: Behrends, J. Herzog, M. Herzog, Norvill, McIntyre

NAYS: None

Absent: Bieze, Foote

Motion Carried: 5-0

- 11. Adopt IASB Updated PRESS 119 Policies: 1:10 School District Legal Status; 1:20 District Organization, Operations, and Cooperative Agreements; 1:30 School District Philosophy; 2:10 School District Governance; 2:80 Board Member Oath and Conduct (note question); 2:130 Board-Superintendent Relationship; 2:240 Board Policy Development; 3:30 Chain of Command; 4:50 Payment Procedures; 4:90 Student Activity and Fiduciary Funds; 4:180 Pandemic Preparedness; Management; and Recovery; 5:270 Employment At-Will, Compensation, and Assignment; 7:40 Nonpublic School Students, Including Parochial and Home Schooled-Students (amended), 7:190 Release During School Hours; 7:130 Student Rights and Responsibilities; 7:300 Extracurricular Activities; 7:325 Student Fundraising Activities; 8:80 Gifts to the District; 8:110 Public Suggestions and Concerns**

Motion J. Herzog, seconded by M. Herzog to approve Updated Press 119 Policies (Amended spelling on 1:30).

On roll call vote the following votes were recorded:

AYES: Behrends, J. Herzog, M. Herzog, Norvill, McIntyre

NAYS: None

Absent: Bieze, Foote

Motion Carried: 5-0

12. OTHER BUSINESS- None

13. EXECUTIVE SESSION – N/A

14. ACTIONS AS A RESULT OF EXECUTIVE SESSION – N/A

15. ADJOURN – Motion by McIntyre, seconded by Behrends to adjourn at 6:39 p.m. All ayes, motion carried 5-0. Next Meeting on Thursday, September 18, 2025 at 6:00 p.m. (Budget Hearing), followed by Regular Board Meeting at 6:15 p.m.

Steve Norvill, President
Joe Bieze, Vice-President

Nathaniel Foote, Vice-President