LESLIE PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Minutes

Regular Board Meeting Wednesday, November 19, 2025 6:00 p.m. - Leslie High School Library

CALL MEETING

The regular meeting of the Board of Education of the Leslie Public Schools, Ingham and Jackson Counties, Michigan, was called to order by Dave Cowing at 6:00 p.m.

Members present:

Dave Cowing Eric Isham Deann Maynard Dominic Ambroggio

Brad Dunlap Beth Yeider

Members absent:

Bud Fifield (Excused)

Also present: Scott Powers, Superintendent

Pledge of Allegiance given.

PUBLIC COMMENTS

No public comments were given.

CONSENT AGENDA

"Moved by D. Maynard, supported by B. Yeider to approve the November 19, 2025 Agenda; Minutes of the November 19, 2025 Regular/Workshop Meeting and Closed Meeting."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

BOARD DISCUSSION AND/OR ACTION:

High School Student Discipline Hearing - Student 2025-26.1

Closed Session:

"Moved by D. Maynard, supported by E. Isham to enter closed session at the request of the parent to protect the right of privacy as required by Federal Law for a discipline hearing."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

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Time entered closed session: 6:02 p.m.

Open Session:

"Moved by **D. Maynard**, supported by **B. Yeider** that the Board of Education ratify (Board Member) D. Cowing's declaration that the board re-enter regular session at <u>6:45</u> p.m."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

Possible Motion:

Enclosure 1

"Moved by **D. Ambroggio**, supported by **E. Isham** that after consideration by the Board of Education accept the Resolution for Discipline, regarding Leslie High School student 2025-26.1, per enclosure 1."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

Superintendent Evaluation

Closed Session

"Moved by **E. Isham**, supported by **D. Maynard** that the Board of Education convene into closed session pursuant to Subsection 8(a) of the Open Meetings Act for the purpose of Superintendent Evaluation."

Vote: ayes 6, mays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

Time entered closed session 6:51 p.m.

Open Session

"Moved by **D**. Maynard, supported by **D**. Ambroggio that the Board of Education ratify (Board Member) **D**. Cowing's declaration that the board re-enter regular session at 8:12 p.m."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

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Possible Motion

"Moved by E. Isham, supported by D. Maynard that based on an "Effective" evaluation, Superintendent Scott Powers shall receive a 4% salary increase, an additional \$2,000 deposited into an annuity, three (3) additional vacation days, and one (1) year added to the length of his contract."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

ADJOURNMENT:

"Moved by B. Yeider, supported by E. Isham to adjourn the meeting at 8:13 p.m."

Vote: ayes 6, nays 0, absent 1(B. Fifield), abstention 0. Motion carried.

Respectfully submitted,

Eric Isham Secretary, Board of Education Leslie Public Schools

David Cowing Board precident