

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT #601
FOSSTON PUBLIC SCHOOLS
FOSSTON, MN 56542
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING
HIGH SCHOOL CONFERENCE ROOM
JULY 20, 2026, 6:00 PM
MEETING MINUTES

- 1.0 CALL TO ORDER, Chair Vossler called the meeting to order on Monday, July 20, 2026, at 6:00 PM at the High School Conference Room. Members present include: Scott Christen, Dean Duppong, Wil Goetsch, Allison Marquis, Paul Nelson, Jacob Vossler, and Derek Gieseke. Absent: Crystal Munter.
 - 1.1 Pledge of Allegiance
 - 1.2 Welcome Visitors
- 2.0 APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Chair Vossler amended the agenda to add item 6.0 FINANE – Approve/Not Approve Finance Agenda Items Listed. Moved by Director Duppong supported by Director Marquis to approve agenda as amended. Motion unanimously carried.
- 3.0 CONSENT AGENDA – Moved by Director Marquis supported by Director Goetsch to approve consent agenda as presented. Motion unanimously carried.
 - 3.1 Minutes from Regular Board Meeting June 15, 2026
 - 3.2 Minutes from Special School Board Meeting July 1, 2026
 - 3.3 Payroll Checks and Direct Deposits
 - 3.4 Finance Checks and Wires
- 4.0 PUBLIC COMMENTS – None
*Public Comment at this time will be limited to issues as presented on this agenda. There will be a **three-minute** limit per speaker, **fifteen-minute** limit per topic. See end of agenda for further information about public comment.*
- 5.0 STUDENT/STAFF/CONSTITUANTS REPORT-None
- 6.0 FINANCE
 - 6.1 Fund Balance Report
 - 6.2 Expense Revenue Report
 - 6.3 Bond Report
- 7.0 REPORTS
 - 7.1 Elementary Principal Report – No Report
 - 7.2 High School Principal Report – No Report
 - 7.3 Superintendent’s Report – In Person
- 8.0 PERSONNEL
 - 8.1 Moved by Director Nelson supported by Director Marquis to Approve 2026-2027 Fall Coaching Assignments. Motion unanimously carried.
 - 8.2 Moved by Director Christen supported by Director Goetsch to Approve Katelyn Larson’s Contract for 2026-2027 school year. Motion unanimously carried.
 - 8.3 Moved by Director Goetsch supported by Director Christen to Approve Holly O’Shea’s contract (pro-rated) for 2026-2027 school year. Motion unanimously carried.
 - 8.4 Moved by Director Marquis supported by Director Nelson to Table Approve/Not Approve Hire and Contract of Business Teacher Lisa until the August regular school board meeting. Motion unanimously carried.
- 9.0 EDUCATIONAL
 - 9.1 Review 2026-2027 High School Parent/Student Handbook

- 9.2 Review 2026-2027 Magelssen Elementary Parent/Student Handbook
- 10.0 OPERATIONAL
- 10.1 Moved by Director Marquis supported by Director Goetsch to Approve Authorization to Seek Bids for Milk, Bread, and Snow Removal for the 2026-2027 School Year. Motion unanimously carried.
- 10.2 Moved by Director Christen supported by Director Goetsch to Approve Authorization to Seek Bids for Fuel for the 2026-2027 School Year. Motion unanimously carried.
- 10.3 Moved by Director Christen supported by Director Marquis to Approve Vehicle Purchase and Sale Agreement with Superior Transportation. Motion unanimously carried.
- 10.4 Moved by Director Goetsch supported by Director Christen to Approve LTFFM Plan 2026-2027. Motion unanimously carried.
- 10.5 Moved by Director Goetsch supported by Director Nelson to Approve Resolution for General Election. Roll call unanimously carried.
- 10.6 Moved by Director Christen supported by Director Goetsch to Approve Resolution relating to determining the necessity approving a new capital project levy authorization and issuing general obligation bonds and calling a special election. Roll call unanimously carried.
- 11.0 REPORTS
- 11.1 Finance committee met to go over year end
- 11.2 Transportation committee met to go over the purchase agreement with Superior Transportation
- 11.3 Next steps are to have a meeting with staff to go over the referendum
- 12.0 ADDITIONAL COMMENTS-None
- 13.0 MEETING SCHEDULE
- 13.1 Next Regular Meeting August 17, 2026, at 6:00 PM High School Conference Room.
- 14.0 ADJOURN Moved by Director Goetsch supported by Director Marquis to adjourn at 6:47 pm. Motion unanimously carried.

Allison Marquis, Clerk