Board Meeting Summary
November 19, 2025
Dr. Russ Tepen

The Pikeland Board of Education conducted its November board meeting on November 19, 2025. This was a regularly scheduled meeting. It started at 6:30 PM and ended at 8:15 PM.

1. All seven board members were present.

2. The board approved the agenda items as presented.

3. The board approved the October 15, 2025 Regular Board Meeting minutes, and the November 12, 2025 Special Board meeting minutes.

4. Public Participation: None

5. A. Monthly Financial Snapshot
   B. The board approved bills, financial statements, and activity funds.

6. A. FOIA
   B. FMLA Request
   C. FGM Health Life Safety Presentation
   D.Tentative Tax Levy
   E. 2025 Illinois School Report Card
   F. Nevco Scoreboards
   G. Policy Updates-First Reading
   H. Proposed K-2 Special Education Classroom

7. The board entered closed session at 7:52 PM for the following purposes: Employment, Collective Negotiating Matters, and Special Education Programs/Students. Closed session ended at 8:08 PM.

8. The board approved the following:
   A. Approved the Resolution for Letter of Engagement with Kriha Boucek LLC.
   B. Approved the alarm system upgrades for South and PHS.
   C. Approved the alarm system upgrades for PHS Auto Shop.
   D. Approved alarm system upgrades for PCS Panel Upgrade-Phase 1
   E. General Employment and Extra Curricular Matters. See attached.

   This is simply a summary. The official board minutes will be approved at the December regular board meeting.

   Dr. Russ Tepen
   Pikeland 10
   Superintendent

8. Action Items

E. Personnel Addendums

1. General Matters

Cheryl Kirk - resignation as a Part Time Kitchen Staff Server/Cashier (2.5 hours/day) at Pikeland Community School effective November 15, 2025

Jason Huddleston - Full Time PHS Building Maintenance at Pikeland School District effective November 20, 2025

Camille Pruett - Permanent Substitute Teacher for Pikeland School District starting on January 5, 2026 and going through the last day of staff attendance for the 2025-2026 school year

Kadence Haskins - Part Time Cheer Paraprofessional at Pikeland School District for the 2025-2026 School Year

Julie Rumple - Part Time Kitchen Staff Server/Dishwasher at Pikeland School District effective December 1, 2025

Jennifer McEuen - Part Time Kitchen Staff Server/Cashier at Pikeland School District effective November 20, 2025

Tammy Zumwalt - Hot Lunch Cook at South Elementary School going from 5.5 hours per day to 6 hours per day effective November 20, 2025

Amy Davis - Voluntary Transfer from South Elementary School as a Part Time Hot Lunch Employee to a Part Time Kitchen Staff Server/Cashier at Pikeland Community School effective December 1, 2025

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2. Extra-Curricular

Rob Cook - Junior High Wrestling Coach for the 2025-2026 school year

Jill Cook - Volunteer Assistant Coach for Junior High Wrestling for the 2025-2026 school year

Tucker Cook - Volunteer Assistant Coach for Junior High Wrestling for the 2025-2026 school year

Levi Walters - Volunteer Assistant Coach for Junior High Wrestling for the 2025-2026 school year

Frank McCartney - Volunteer Assistant Coach for Junior High Boys Basketball for the 2025-2026 school year