

ALDEN-HEBRON S.D. #19
Hebron, IL 60034-9799
"Strive For Excellence"

MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING
JUNE 18, 2024 - 7:00 P.M.

President Smith called the business meeting of the Board of Education of Alden-Hebron Community Consolidated Unit School District #19 to order at 7:00 P.M.

ROLL CALL

PRESENT: Mrs. Smith, Mr. Winkelman, Mr. Madsen, Mr. Misiek, Mr. Eskridge, Mr. Berg, Mrs. Johnson
ABSENT: None

ALSO PRESENT:

Tiffany Elswick-Superintendent, Katie Beck-SSC, Nick Ciccotosto, Ray Stalker, Deanna VanderPal-District Secretary, Mandi Ford-District Secretary, Chief Gumble, Officer Tomlin, Sarah Taylor, Scott Neminich-Attorney, Waymon Vela, Gary Stephan-Custodian, John Lalor

Mr. Misiek moved; Mr. Winkelman seconded to go into Executive Session at 7:01 pm for the Evidence or testimony presented to a school board regarding denial of admission to school events or property pursuant to Section 24-24 of the School Code.

Ayes: Mrs. Smith, Mr. Winkelman, Mr. Madsen, Mr. Misiek, Mr. Eskridge, Mrs. Johnson

Nays: None

Abstain: Mr. Berg

Absent: None

Motion Carried

Returned to Open Session at 7:45 pm.

Mr. Misiek moved; Mr. Eskridge seconded to ban parent #25001 from all property until October 31st, 2025.

Ayes: Mrs. Smith, Mr. Winkelman, Mr. Madsen, Mr. Misiek, Mr. Eskridge, Mrs. Johnson

Nays: None

Abstained: Mr. Berg

Absent: None

Motion Carried

Correspondence

- Thank you card from Liz Howe about retirement party and gift
- FOIA received on 5/28/25 from Jake Butler requesting names/emails/phone numbers for teachers and administrators. This was satisfied by providing our staff directory on our website on 5/28/25.
- FOIA received on 5/30/25 from CT Mills asking for a staff directory. This was satisfied by proving our staff directory on our website on 6/2/25.

COMMUNICATIONS

Public Comments:

None

Staff Comments

None

Board Comments

Mr. Winkelman mentioned that although summer is here, student athletes, coaches, and parents are still busy with camps and summer sports, urging everyone to keep supporting the students and families of the community and for everyone to enjoy their family time this summer.

Mr. Misiek mentioned the student athletes working hard and attending sport camps this summer.

Consent Agenda

- *A. Approval of May 21, 2025 Regular and Executive Session Meeting Minutes
- *B. Approval of May 2025 Expenditures
- *C. Treasurer's Report for May 2025
- *D. Approval of Current Invoices and Payroll
- *E. Personnel Report
- *F. Illinois Prevailing Wage Act Resolution
- *G. Appoint Treasurer

Mr. Eskridge moved; Mr. Winkelman seconded to approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

Ayes: Mrs. Smith, Mr. Winkelman, Mr. Madsen, Mr. Misiek, Mr. Eskridge Mr. Berg, Mrs. Johnson

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion Carried

BUSINESS

ADMINISTRATION

Tiffany Elswick – Superintendent – as presented

Mrs. Elswick added:

- Huge thank you to our custodial staff, our buildings are looking amazing, and we have had a number of compliments on the detail of work that is taking place - thank you to our team and thank you to Gary for leading his team.
- Our annual safety Meeting is set for 5:30 on July 8th. Andy normally attends this; if unable to attend, Penny said she would be happy to come.
- Board Evaluation with Laura Martinez from the Illinois State School Board Association is July 8th @ 7 pm
- End of the year is wrapping up, and we are preparing for our upcoming school year
- The preliminary audit was on June 29th.
- The annual district audit is set for the week of July 14th

Aaron Butler-MS/HS Principal-as presented

Eric Slocum-ES Principal-as presented

- Mr. Misiek added a shout out to having the 5 essential survey come back as "all green".

STUDENT SERVICES COORDINATOR-as presented

FINANCE-as presented

Mrs. Beck added that the grants are going well and next month there will be a more in depth conversation about FY26 financials.

PHYSICAL STRUCTURES/MAINTENANCE-as presented

Mr. Stephan added that the summer work list is going great, the storm drain pavers were donated by Mark Strand.

CURRICULUM/POLICY

1st Reading of Policies

2:260 Uniform Grievance Procedure

2:265 Title IX Grievance Procedure

4:15 Identity Protection

4:80 Accounting and Audits

4:120 Food Services

5:10 Equal Employment Opportunity and Minority Recruitment

5:20 Workplace Harassment Prohibited
 5:60 Expenses
 5:100 Staff Development Program
 6:150 Home and Hospital Instruction
 6:235 Access to Electronic Networks
 6:310 High School Credit for Non-District Experiences; Course Substitutions; Re-Entering Students
 7:10 Equal Educational Opportunities
 7:20 Harassment of Students Prohibited
 7:50 School Admissions and Student Transfers To and From Non-District Schools
 7:60 Residence
 7:70 Attendance and Truancy
 7:180 Prevention of and Response to Bullying, Intimidation, and Harassment
 7:185 Teen Dating Violence Prohibited
 7:190 Student Behavior
 7:200 Suspension Procedures
 7:210 Expulsion Procedures
 7:250 Student Support Services
 7:255 Students who are Parents, Expectant Parents, or Victims of Domestic or Sexual Violence
 7:270 Administering Medicines to Students
 7:310 Restrictions on Publications; Elementary Schools
 7:315 Restrictions on Publications; High Schools
 7:340 Student Records
 8:30 Visitors to and Conduct on School Property

ATHLETICS

- Mr. Lalor detailed a Co-operative with Our Lady of the Sacred Heart Academy (OLSHA). This would be a 2 year deal. Their students would be able to join our Football team and potentially host a JV football game at their facility. Other sports were open for discussion at a later date.
- Summer Sport Camps are going well and having decent attendance so far.

Mr. Berg moved; Mr. Madsen seconded to approve the AH/OLSHA co-op.

Ayes: Mrs. Smith, Mr. Winkelman, Mr. Madsen, Mr. Misiek, Mr. Eskridge Mr. Berg, Mrs. Johnson

Nays: None

Absent: None

Motion Carried

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

Village 5/27/25

- Approval of minutes and accounts payable
- June Pride month and Pride flag flying at the village hall.
- Martin Luther King Jr Day and Juneteenth both approved as observed holidays for Village employees.
- Two officers were sworn in.
- Police Radio Replacement
- New Police vehicles purchasing vs. Leasing
- Congrats to Kelly Taugner and Diane Marks for nominations at Teacher of the year
- 4th of July planning

Village 6/9/25

- Planning and Zoning Committee are fully staffed
- Liquor License Fee increase
- Chief Gumble is setting up a medicine drop off bin at the police station
- Office Tomlin will be going to the academy on June 29th
- FY26 budget and billing updates
- Radio order was approved
- The highschool graduates that are going into the military would be the Master of Ceremony for the July 4th festivities
- Garage Sale day was approved for August
- July 12th set to be "Bigelow Day" to honor Elmer Charles Bigelow, Medal of honor Recipient

Hebron Township

No report

Alden Township

- Road Budget for FY26
- Wi-Fi tower fell and fixed with E-Vergent
- Bills were paid

FUTURE AGENDA ITEMS

none

COMMUNICATIONS

Public Comments:

None

Staff Comments

None

Board Comments

Mr. Eskridge thanked everyone for attending the Memorial Day program and congratulated Brianna Nelson and Zach Lillie for winning the scholarships. Mr. Madsen and Mr. Winkelman both congratulated Mr. Eskridge for a great program and mentioned how it keeps getting better and better.

Adjournment

Mr. Eskridge moved; Mr. Winkelman seconded to adjourn the meeting at 8:13 pm.
Motion Carried.

President

Secretary