

Albert Lea Area Schools  
Albert Lea Minnesota  
SCHOOL BOARD MEETING  
5:00 P.M. August 18, 2025  
Brookside Education Center

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Members Present: Dave Klatt, Mary Jo Dorman, Angie Hoffman, Gary Schindler, Neal Skaar, and Kim Nelson

Board members absent: Davy Villarreal

Community/Staff Attendance: 17 members present.

Admin present: Superintendent Heil

Motion by Skaar/Schindler to approve the agenda as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Skaar/Nelson to approve the donations as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Schindler/Hoffman to approve the consent items as presented. Motion carried 6-0.

### **Reports given by**

- Superintendent Heil
- Board Directors: Schindler, Hoffman, Dorman, Skaar, Nelson, and Chair Klatt
- Teacher Representative: Therese Netzer

### **Effective and Efficient Operations**

- Motion by Skaar/Nelson to approve moving the school board meeting on September 29, 2025, to 4:00 pm, and moving the Finance Committee meeting to 3:15 pm. Due to the Homecoming parade starting at 6:00, Motion carried 6-0.
- Elementary and Secondary Principals presented the 2025-2026 Student Handbooks. Motion by Schindler/Nelson to approve the handbooks as presented. Motion carried 6-0

### **Closed Session**

- At 5:55 pm, a motion by Nelson/Hoffman was made to go into closed session, Pursuant to Minn.Stat sec 13D.03 Labor Negotiations. Motion carried 6-0
- At 6:22 pm, the board reconvened in open session.
- Motion by Schindler/Nelson to adjourn the meeting at 6:23 pm. Motion carried by 6-0

Meeting adjourned at 6:23 PM

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Chair

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Clerk