



**ROCKFORD AREA SCHOOLS**  
**Independent School District 883**  
**School Board Work Session Minutes**  
**Wednesday, January 21, 2026**

Pursuant to due call and notice, the Rockford Board of Education met in a work session on Wednesday, January 21, 2026 in the District Board Room. Vice Chair Gordee called the work session to order at 5:30 pm. Members Gordee, Johnson, Morgan, Hillstrom, Sjodin and Praska were present. Also present were Superintendent Jeff Ridlehoover, CFO Bridget Peterson, and Administrative Assistant Courtney Neibert.

- Early Retirement Discussion - The board discussed an early retirement MOU
- 26-27 Board Meeting Schedule - The board discussed possibly changing a couple meeting dates.
- **Upcoming Meetings:**
  - Regular Meeting of the Board of Education: Wednesday, January 21, 2026 at 6:30 pm in the District Office Board Room.

Adjourned 6:24 pm

Courtney Neibert  
Recorder

Jamie Hillstrom  
Clerk