

The regular meeting of the Board of Education, Independent School District #595, East Grand Forks, Minnesota was held on Monday September 22, 2025, at 5:30 p.m. in Room 195 at Senior High.

Board Chair Brott called the regular meeting to order, and the Pledge of Allegiance was recited.

Board members present: Brott, Hangsleben, Holweger, King, Larson and Perkerewicz
Board member absent: None

Brott moved to approve the agenda as presented. Perkerewicz seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously.

Karla Afshari gave a finance update was presented.

Superintendent Grover gave a report on the cybersecurity grant, meet and confer, the resolution to refinance a bond, Solar for Schools grant, arbitration, bussing, district leadership meeting, superintendent goals and Sacred Heart girls hockey co-op possibility.

Principal Dr. Tack and Mr. Enright gave a report on the AVID programs at CMS.

Committee reports on negotiations and policy were discussed.

Brott moved to approve the consent agenda which contained the following items:

Approval of Minutes – Approve the minutes of the September 8, 2025 regular school board meeting.

Personnel

Hires

Wali Abdi, bus driver, district, beginning September 22, 2025
Michelle Cariveau, paraprofessional, SH, beginning September 22, 2025
Tania Christiansen, paraprofessional, SP, beginning September 16, 2025
Brian Cole, substitute custodian, district, beginning September 22, 2025
John Young, paraprofessional, SH, beginning September 22, 2025

Resignations

Shane Lyon, custodian, SH, effective October 3, 2025

Miscellaneous Payments - Approve the September 13, 2025 Miscellaneous Payments in the amount of \$31,539.08.

Perkerewicz seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously.

Perkerewicz moved to approve a resolution stating the intention of the school board to issue general obligation school building refunding bonds, Series 2025A, in the aggregate principal amount not to exceed \$13,450,000; and taking other actions with respect thereto as presented and attached. Hangsleben seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously.

Holweger moved to approve the payment of the K-12 bills #130065 through #130164 as follows:

FUND	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL
01	General	\$192,844.08
02	Food Service	\$54,177.77
04	Community Ed	\$4,079.18
14	Community Service	\$291.89
21	Student Activities	\$2,824.50
TOTAL		\$254,217.42

Brott seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously. The bills are on file in the Superintendent's Office.

The next regular school board meeting will be held on October 13, 2025 at 5:30 p.m.

King moved to adjourn the meeting at 6:28 P.M. Perkerewicz seconded the motion. The motion was carried unanimously.

Respectfully submitted,

Josh Perkerewicz
Board Clerk