

Regular Meeting
Monday, October 5, 2026 6:30 PM

Teaching & Learning Center, Becker High
School
12000 Hancock Street
Becker, MN 55308

Agenda

1. PROCEDURAL ITEMS
 - 1.A. Call to Order
 - 1.B. Pledge of Allegiance
 - 1.C. Agenda
 - 1.D. Recognition of Visitors and Public Forum
2. REPORTS
 - 2.A. Student Report
 - 2.B. Superintendent Report
 - 2.C. Committee Reports
3. CONSENT AGENDA
 - 3.A. Minutes
 - 3.B. Financial Report
 - 3.C. Disbursements
 - 3.D. Personnel
4. RESOLUTION ACCEPTING DONATIONS
5. SCHEDULE NOVEMBER MEETING DATE
6. STRATEGIC PLANNING DISCUSSION
7. ADJOURN

School Board & Committee Meetings 2026

January

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5 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

12 TRAK 5PM (Virtual)

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26 Activities 7AM

28 Finance 7AM

July

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1 Policy 6PM

6 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

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2 Curriculum Advisory 5:30PM

2 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

10 Community Ed 2PM

23 Activities 7AM

24 Wellness 3PM (Virtual)

25 Finance 7AM

26 EC Advisory 6PM

August

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3 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

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2 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

23 Activities 7AM

30 EC Advisory 6PM

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6 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

27 Activities 7AM

29 Finance 7AM

29 Policy 6PM

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5 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

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4 Curriculum Advisory 5:30PM

4 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

5 Community Ed 2PM

18 Activities 7AM

27 Finance 7AM

27 Policy 6PM

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2 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

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7 School Board Meeting 6:30PM

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Chair Jurek called the regular meeting of the School Board of District #726 to order on the 14th day of September, 2026 at 6:30 p.m. in the Teaching & Learning Center.

Roll Call

Members present: Ryan Hubbard, Aaron Jurek, Renee Regel, Connie Robinson, Corey Stanger, Pete Weismann

Members absent: None

Others present: Dr. Jeremy Schmidt, Superintendent
Kevin Januszewski, Director of Business Services

CITIZEN COMMENTS: None

REPORTS:

- Superintendent

SUMMARY OF CLOSED SESSION FROM AUGUST 3, 2026 SCHOOL BOARD MEETING: SUPERINTENDENT EVALUATION

Motion by Corey Stanger, seconded by Ryan Hubbard, to *Approve the Consent Agenda* as presented:

MINUTES FROM THE AUGUST 3, 2026 REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

FINANCIAL REPORT

EXPENDITURES

	2026-27		2026-27	Remaining	%
Fund	Budget	Aug-26	Year-to-Date	Budget	Spent
General	44,380,783	1,392,756	2,720,404	41,660,379	6.13%
Food Service	2,849,054	22,867	34,820	2,814,234	1.22%
Community Service	2,003,535	188,856	258,807	1,744,728	12.92%
Debt Service	3,811,737	-	193,369	3,618,368	5.07%
	\$ 53,045,109	\$ 1,604,479	\$ 3,207,400	\$ 49,837,709	6.05%

DISBURSEMENTS – in the amount of \$4,321,935.77

PERSONNEL

Name	Status	Job Title	Location	Effective
Baribeau, Jack	New	Social Studies	HS	8/24/26
Barthel, Nancy	Change in Assignment	Special Education Paraprofessional	MS (was HS)	8/24/26
Borst, Steve	Additional Assignment	Asst. Girls Tennis Coach, JV	HS	8/17/26
Brant, Jacquelyn	New	8th Grade Volleyball Coach	MS	9/2/26

Brown, Ayla	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Lead	ECC	8/4/26
Brunsborg, Addison	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Aide	ECC	2/20/26
Davidson, Kira	Resignation	Free Play Supervisor	IS	9/11/26
Davidson, Kira	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Lead	ECC	9/11/26
Diercks, Olivia	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Aide	ECC	8/14/26
Erickson, Brent	Resignation	Custodian	MS	9/25/26
Ferris, Sandi	Long-Term Substitute	Grade 7 ELA	MS	8/24/26
Field, Ashleigh	Resignation	Social Studies Teacher	HS	7/31/26
Gass, Connor	New	Asst. Boys Basketball Coach, JVB	HS	11/23/26
Good, Nathan	New	Asst. Boys Basketball Coach, JVB	HS	11/23/26
Grecula, Sydney	New	Food Service Assistant	MS	9/1/26
Hanson, Logan	Resignation	Asst. Boys Basketball Coach, JVB	HS	8/3/26
Heinz, Andrew	New	Custodian	HS	8/24/26
Hernandez, Treicy	Resignation	Food Service Worker	HS	7/6/26
Hoekstra, Emily	Resignation	Speech Language Pathologist	IS	8/4/26
Johnson, Evan	New	Grade 7 Social Studies	MS	8/24/26
Johnson, Vern	New	7th Grade Football Coach	MS	8/24/26
Kalinowski, Kayla	Additional Assignment	Girls Diving Coach	HS	8/17/26
Kinney, Alexander	New	Volleyball Coach	MS	9/1/26
Kirkland, Kayla	New	Special Education Paraprofessional	MS	9/23/26
Klaphake, Matthew	New	7th Grade Football Coach	MS	8/24/26
LaBonne, Tyler	New	EBD Teacher	IS	8/24/26
Leither, Tony	Resignation	Boys Basketball Coach	MS	8/3/26
Lilienthal, Tate	Long-Term Substitute	Grade 6 English Language Arts	MS	8/24/26
Lysne, Rebekka	New	Camp Opportunity Lead	ECC	8/31/26
McLean, Beth	New	8th Grade Volleyball Coach	MS	9/2/26
Morano, Desirae	New	Food Service Worker	HS	8/31/26
Norberg, Riley	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Lead	ECC	8/13/26
Oscarson, Adam	New	Bus Driver	Bus Garage	8/18/26
Oscarson, Adam	Resignation	Bus Driver	Bus Garage	9/10/26
Oveson, Samantha	New	Life Skills Teacher	MS	8/24/26
Rieland, Kevin	Resignation	Bus Driver	Bus Garage	12/31/26
Ross, Alysia	Resignation	Special Education Paraprofessional	IS	8/11/26

Schmid, Bridget	New	Food Service Worker	HS	8/31/26
Struffert, Katelynn	Long-Term Substitute	Kindergarten Teacher	PS	8/24/26
Stuhl, Laura	New	Pre-Kindergarten Teacher	EEC	8/25/26
Verley, Cindy	Additional Assignment	7th Grade Volleyball Coach	MS	9/2/26
Vesledahl, Judee	Additional Assignment	7th Grade Volleyball Coach	MS	9/2/26
Vogt, Tyler	Resignation	Boys Basketball Coach	MS	8/3/26
Westborn, Vanessa	Resignation	Special Education Paraprofessional	IS	8/8/26
Weyhrauch, Morgan	New	Special Education Paraprofessional	IS	9/16/26
Whitney, Brook	Resignation	Health Assistant	PS	9/16/26
Whitney, Elizabeth	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Aide	EEC	7/31/26

TRUTH-IN-TAXATION HEARING: December 7, 2026

Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Pete Weismann, seconded by Connie Robinson, to *Approve a Transfer of \$15,000 to the Early Childhood Screening Fund Balance from the General Fund, retroactive to June 30.* Motion carried unanimously.

Motion by Connie Robinson, seconded by Ryan Hubbard, to *Approve the Preliminary Levy 2026 Payable 2027*, as presented. Motion carried unanimously.

The meeting was *adjourned* at 6:54 p.m.

Aaron Jurek, Chair

Pete Weismann, Clerk

Recorder: Angela Oswald

BECKER PUBLIC SCHOOLS
MONTHLY FINANCIAL REPORT
Sep-26

EXPENDITURES

Fund	2026-27 Budget	Sep-26	2026-27 Year-to-Date	Remaining Budget	% Spent
General	44,380,783	3,303,636	6,024,040	38,356,743	13.57%
Food Service	2,849,054	102,565	137,385	2,711,669	4.82%
Community Service	2,003,535	166,562	425,369	1,578,166	21.23%
Debt Service	3,811,737	-	193,369	3,618,368	5.07%
	\$ 53,045,109	\$ 3,572,763	\$ 6,780,163	\$ 46,264,946	12.78%

Name	Status	Job Title	Location	Effective
Arnold, Ashley	Resignation	Special Education Paraprofessional	PS	10/2/26
Berger, Brodey	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Aide	Camp Opp	10/12/26
Dalberg, Darcy	New	Food Service Assistant	PS	9/28/26
Dalberg, Darcy	New	Bus Driver	Bus Garage	9/24/26
Drury, Kimberly	New	Long -Term Sub	MS	9/28/26
Handel, Toni	Resignation	Camp Opportunity Lead	Camp Opp	9/14/26
Kollman, Rebecca	Resignation	Media Asst.	PS	12/7/26
Kula, Stephanie	New	Health Assistant	PS	10/19/26

Name	Status	Job Title	Location	Effective
Leabch, Rebecca	Resignation	Food Service Assistant	PS	9/25/26
Leabch, Rebecca	New Assignment	EC/ECSE Paraprofessional	EEC/PS	9/28/26
Morseth, Hannah	New	Special Education Paraprofessional	PS	9/14/26
Risberg, Amanda	Resignation	Special Education Paraprofessional	EEC/PS	9/24/26
Robokoff, Rhiann	Change in Assignment	Night Lead Custodian	MS	9/24/26
Scharber, Mariah	Additional Assignment	Breakfast Assistant	PS	9/25/26

Becker Early Childhood Para Hours 2026-2027

Tammy Bergsten	SR Para 1080 hours (160 days x 6.75) - Same M-F all day ECFE Workshop Week Hours 13.5 (2 x 6.75)
Jill Cook	ECFE Admin Assist 1232 hours (176 days x 7) (740 ECFE, 492 SR) Same M-F all day ECFE summer 35/SR summer 35
Laura Garding	ECS 150 hours (annual estimate) - Yellow Timesheet - Secretary ECFE 6.5 Workshop Week Hours - Para ECSE Para hours - PS budget 1070.25 hours (160 days x 3.5; 157 days x 3.25) ECSE Para prep hours - PS budget (estimated 2 hours/week for 40 weeks)
Traci Gustafson	SR Literacy Interventionist 1080 hours (160 days x 6.75) - Same M-F all day ECFE Workshop Week Hours 13.5 (2 x 6.75)
Rebecca Novak	SR Para 234.5 hours (67 days x 3.5) - T/TH AM ECFE Prep Para 136 hours (estimated 4 hours/ for 34 weeks) - Fri. afternoons ECFE Summer Prep/Updates 8 hours ECFE Workshop Week Hours 6.75 ECSE M/W/F am hours - PS (3.5 hours/day x 97 = 339.5) ECSE M-TH pm hours - PS (4.75 hours/day x 139 = 660.25)
Amanda Risberg	ECSE Para hours - PS budget (3.5 hours/day x 93 = 325.5) - M/W/F mornings
Brenda Lundorff	SR para 617.75 (91.5 days x 6.75) - M/W/F all day ECFE Workshop Week Hours 13.5 (2 x 6.75)
Shari Villeneuve	SR para 1080 hours (160 days x 6.75) - Same M-F all day ECFE Workshop Week Hours 13 (2 x 6.5) ECFE Events and Prep (Collab Bags/Letter Bags) estimated 37 hours
Misty Trombley	SR para 851.75 hours (93 days x 6.75; 64 days x 3.5) - M/W/F mornings; M-F afternoons ECFE Workshop Week Hours (2 x 6.75)
Stacy Stueve	SW Para (67 days x 6.75 = 452.25; 90 days x 3.25 = 292.5) T/TH all day; M/W/F afternoons ECFE Workshop Week Hours 13 (2 x 6.75) ECSE Para hours - PS budget (3.5 hours/day x 93 = 325.5) - M/W/F morning
Rebecca Leabch	SR Para (30 days x 1 hour = 30) - Monday morning SR Para (90 days x .75 = 67.5) - Tues/Wed/Thurs morning SR Para (26 days x 2.25 = 58.5) - Friday morning Total SR Para Hours = 156 ECFE Para (92 days x 1.75 hours = 161) - Tues/Wed/Thurs morning ECFE Para (30 days x 3.75 hours = 112.5) - Tues evenings ECFE Para (27 days x 2.25 hours = 60.75) - Fri morning Total ECFE Para Hours = 334.25 ECSE Para hours - PS budget (3.25 hours/day x 119 = 386.75) - M-TH afternoon

[**I did my best with ECSE Para hours from Dale's budget. Might be best to double check with him.](#)

As of 09/24/2026

<u>Staff</u>	<u>Days @7.5 Hours</u>	<u>Total Hours</u>	<u>SR 582</u>	<u>ECFE 580</u>	<u>ECS 583</u>	<u>Conferences</u>	<u>WS Week</u>	<u>PD + June Days (4)</u>
Annie Baker	183	1,372.50	160		1	9	4	9
Melissa Johnson (hourly)	38.26	287.00		38.26				
Cinda Loudon	131	990	93	16	1	9	4	9
Katrine Nau-Jackson (hourly)	80.5	604.25		80.5				
New Hire - Pre-K	183	1,372.50	160			10	4	9
Trista Robak	183	1,372.50	160		1	9	4	9
Beth Soenneker (hourly)		10-20		10-20 (hours)				
Nichole Stenberg	183	1,372.50	160		1	9	4	9
Amy Cotton	22.4	168			24			

RESOLUTION ACCEPTING DONATIONS

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 123B.02, Subd. 6 provides: "The board may receive, for the benefit of the district, bequests, donations, or gifts for any proper purpose and apply the same to the purpose designated. In that behalf, the board may act as trustee of any trust created for the benefit of the district, or for the benefit of pupils thereof, including trusts created to provide pupils of the district with advanced education after completion of high school, in the advancement of education."; and

WHEREAS, Minnesota Statutes 465.03 provides: "Any city, county, school district or town may accept a grant or devise of real or personal property and maintain such property for the benefit of its citizens in accordance with the terms prescribed by the donor. Nothing herein shall authorize such acceptance or use for religious or sectarian purposes. Every such acceptance shall be by resolution of the governing body adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members, expressing such terms in full."; and

WHEREAS, every such acceptance shall be by resolution of the governing body adopted by a two-thirds majority of its members, expressing such terms in full;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the School Board of Becker, ISD 726, gratefully accepts the following donations as identified below:

DONOR	GIFT DESCRIPTION	AMOUNT
Becker Drama Boosters	Lumen Projector	\$21,230.89
Becker Football Boosters	Additional Coaches	\$21,914.04
Becker Football Boosters	NHS- Tackle Cancer	\$360
Becker Lions Club	Middle School Art Program	\$2,000
Becker PTSA	ECFE Program	337.05
Blattner Holding Co	STEM	\$1,000
BTA Gymnastics	Equipment	\$3,519.24

The vote on adoption of the Resolution was as follows:

Aye: Ryan Hubbard, Aaron Jurek, Renee Regel, Connie Robinson, Corey Stanger, Pete Weismann

Nay: None

Absent: None

Whereupon, said Resolution was declared duly adopted on October 5, 2026

Chair

Clerk