Regular Meeting
Tuesday, November 17, 2026 6:30 PM Central

Central School Gym
30 E Provost Street
Amboy, IL 61310

Nick Brokaw:	Present
Drew Montavon:	Present
Elsa Payne:	Present
Mandy Powers:	Present
Katie Pratt:	Present
Nichole Stenzel:	Present
Rory White:	Absent

Present: 6, Absent: 1.

1. Call to Order / Pledge of Allegiance

1.A. Roll Call

1.B. Open Forum

1.C. Board Committee Reports

2. Action: Consent Agenda Items
To approve the consent agenda items, as presented: minutes of the October 15, 2026 open and closed meetings and delete audio recordings dated May 20, 2025. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

2.A. Minutes

2.B. Delete Audio Recordings

3. Action: Financial Reports

3.A. Review of Financial Reports

3.B. 2026 Tentative Tax Levy
To approve the 2026 tentative tax levy, as presented, and to set a public hearing on Thursday, December 17, 2026, 6:30 p.m. at the Central Elementary School. This motion, made by Nichole Stenzel and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

3.C. Student Activity Account
To approve to open a Junior High Basketball Cheerleading activity account. This motion, made by Elsa Payne and seconded by Mandy Powers, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy

Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

3.D. Current Expenditures & Payroll
To approve the current expenditures and payroll, as presented. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Elsa Payne, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

4. Discussion: Reports

4.A. Principal Reports

4.B. Superintendent Reports

4.C. FOIA Requests

5. Discussion: First Reading of the Intergovernmental Agreement on Deactivation between Amboy CUSD #272 and LaMoille CUSD #303

6. Discussion: First Reading of Issue 123 of the Illinois Association of School Boards Policy Revisions

7. Action: Resolution abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2026 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2019A, of the Amboy Community Unit School District #272, Lee County, Illinois.
To adopt the resolution abating the taxes heretofore levied for the year 2026 to pay debt service on the General Obligation School Bonds (Alternate Revenue Source), Series 2019A, of the District, as presented. This motion, made by Nick Brokaw and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

8. Action: Crossing Guard Job Description
To approve the Crossing Guard job description, as presented. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Nichole Stenzel, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

9. Action: Water Heater Quote
To approve the quote from Grasser's Heating & Plumbing for a water heater at Central School, as presented. This motion, made by Elsa Payne and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

10. Action: School Maintenance Project Grant Application

To approve to submit the School Maintenance Project Grant application, as presented. This motion, made by Elsa Payne and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

11. Action: Executive Session
To move to executive session to discuss the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees, and student discipline. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

12. Action: Return to Open Session
To return to open session. This motion, made by Nichole Stenzel and seconded by Elsa Payne, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

13. Action: Student Discipline
To approve the suspensions of students 11-17-26-1 through 11-17-26-17, as presented. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

14. Action: Personnel - Resignation
To accept the resignation of Ethan Knieser as Science Teacher at the High School and as Fresh/Soph Wrestling Coach, effective November 2, 2026. This motion, made by Elsa Payne and seconded by Nichole Stenzel, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

15. Action: Personnel - Hiring
To approve the following personnel pending successful criminal background checks, proper licensure, and submission of pre-employment requirements: Leslie Schneider as High School Winter Cheerleading Sponsor, Ashley Grim as Girls Wrestling Sponsor, and Greg Hurst as Crossing Guard at Central School, effective November 16, 2026. This motion, made by Mandy Powers and seconded by Drew Montavon, Passed.
Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1

16. Upcoming Dates, Miscellaneous Items, Board Remarks and Adjournment
To adjourn the meeting. This motion, made by Drew Montavon and seconded by Nick Brokaw, Passed.

Rory White: Absent, Nick Brokaw: Yea, Drew Montavon: Yea, Elsa Payne: Yea, Mandy Powers: Yea, Katie Pratt: Yea, Nichole Stenzel: Yea
Yea: 6, Nay: 0, Absent: 1