

MARSEILLES ELEMENTARY SCHOOL DISTRICT #150

BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETING AGENDA

201 Chicago Street

Marseilles, Illinois

Library

October 23, 2025, at 7:00 P.M.

I. CALL TO ORDER

1.01 Roll Call Members: Jim Barnes, Cherise Byone, Christy Carpenter, Lawrence Cowie, Brad Miller, Julie Morey, and Vickie Thomas

Type: Action, Procedural

1.02 First Quarter G.R.I.T Recognition of Students

1.03 Pledge of Allegiance

Type: Procedural

1.04 Mission

Type: Procedural – Marseilles Elementary School is a collaborative community that ensures success for each student in all aspects of learning.

II. PUBLIC HEARING PETITIONS, QUESTIONS AND COMMENTS FROM GUESTS AND VISITORS

2.01 Public Comment

Type: Discussion

At this point of our agenda, the public may address the Board. Comments are limited to three minutes per speaker. While a speaker may address any topic, we urge you to comment on matters that are on our agenda or which may be coming before the Board in the near future. The Board would like to remind the audience that the Board does not respond to or act on personnel complaints made in open session. The District has an established process for filing a personnel complaint and, consistent with the Open Meetings Act, we consider the appointment, employment, compensation, discipline, performance, or dismissal of specific employees in executive session. Similarly, the Board does not accept or respond to new evidence or arguments regarding student discipline matters. Consistent with the provisions of the School Code, and Illinois School Student Records Act, student discipline matters are heard before a hearing officer in a closed meeting, and acts on the hearing officer's report only.

III. ORGANIZATION/COMMITTEE REPORTS TO THE BOARD

3.01 Maintenance: Brent DeFore
Type: Informational

3.02 Marseilles Education Association
Type: Informational

IV. ADMINISTRATIVE REPORTS

4.01 Superintendent: Brenda Donahue
Type: Informational

4.02 Principal: Shawn Collins
Type: Informational

V. FINANCIAL REPORT

5.01 Treasurer's Report: Craig Hepner
Type: Informational

VI. CONSENT AGENDA

Type: Action

Recommended: Approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

6.01 Minutes of the Meeting(s): September 25, 2025 (budget hearing & regular)

6.02 Treasurer's Report

6.03 Accounts Payables

6.04 Deposits

**6.05 Employee and/or Board Member professional development, travel expenditures
and/or reimbursements**

6.06 Payroll

6.07 Activity report

6.08 Budget Reports

6.09 Disposal of Closed Session
Audio Recording(s) –

**6.10 Requests for Information - Received from Owen Wang on 10.1.25 and responded to on
10.6.25. Received from Steve Watts on 10.10.25 and responded on 10.14.25.**

VII. ACTION ITEMS

7.01 Approve the Consent Agenda.

Type: Action

Recommended: Approve the Consent Agenda as presented.

7.02 Approve the following resignations: Cassidy Coons (paraprofessional).

Type: Action

Recommended: Approve as presented.

7.03 Approve the following transfers/hires pending appropriate licensure and passing of all background checks (if new): Jessica Crosby (from crossing guard & kitchen to crossing guard & paraprofessional).

Type: Action

Recommended: Approve as presented.

VIII. ADJOURNMENT

8.01 Roll Call Members: Jim Barnes, Cherise Byone, Christy Carpenter, Lawrence Cowie, Brad Miller, Julie Morey, and Vickie Thomas.

Next meeting:

Monday, November 17, 2025

Regular Meeting 7:00 pm