

Freeburg Elementary School  
Wednesday, December 3, 2025  
6:00 p.m.

A special meeting of the Board of Education for Freeburg Community Consolidated School District No. 70 was held on Wednesday, December 3 at 6:00 p.m. in the Freeburg Elementary School Cafeteria.

### **Call to Order**

Mrs. Trout called the meeting to order and asked for a roll call of the members.

### **Roll Call**

In addition to Mrs. Trout board members Ed Scheibel, Bill May, Ben Mueth, Erin Shook, and Ben Howes were also in attendance. Also in attendance was Dr. Mark Bearley, Superintendent.

### **Public Participation**

There were no visitors.

Moved: Bill May

Seconded: Erin Shook

**A MOTION WAS MADE TO ENTER INTO EXECUTIVE SESSION AT 6:01 PM TO CONSIDER:**

**THE APPOINTMENT, EMPLOYMENT, COMPENSATION, DISCIPLINE, PERFORMANCE, OR DISMISSAL OF SPECIFIC EMPLOYEES OF THE DISTRICT INCLUDING HEARING TESTIMONY ON A COMPLAINT LODGED AGAINST AN EMPLOYEE. 5 ILCS 120/2(C)(1) AND**

**THE SELECTION OF A PERSON TO FILL A PUBLIC OFFICE, INCLUDING A VACANCY IN A PUBLIC OFFICE, WHEN THE DISTRICT IS GIVEN POWER TO APPOINT UNDER LAW OR ORDINANCE, OR THE DISCIPLINE, PERFORMANCE OR REMOVAL OF THE OCCUPANT OF A PUBLIC OFFICE, WHEN THE DISTRICT IS GIVEN POWER TO REMOVE THE OCCUPANT UNDER LAW OR ORDINANCE 5 ILCS 120/2(c)(3).**

AYES: Scheibel, May, Mueth, Shook, Howes, Trout  
Motion Carried

Moved: Bill May

Seconded: Erin Shook

**A MOTION WAS MADE TO RE-ENTER REGULAR SESSION AT 7:11 PM.**

Upon a voice vote, Motion Carried, 6-aye, 0-nay.

Moved: Ed Scheibel

Seconded: Bill May

**A MOTION WAS MADE TO APPOINT NICOLE SCHILLING AS BOARD MEMBER TO FILL THE UNEXPIRED TERM OF JAMIE SMITH ENDING APRIL, 2027.**

