

Official Minutes
Monthly Business Meeting
April 8, 2026

Pursuant to due call and notice thereof, the regular meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 227, Olmsted, Fillmore, and Winona Counties was held on Wednesday April 8, 2026. Chair Priebe called the meeting to order at 7:02 pm.

Clerk's Roll Call/Pledge of Allegiance

Present: Priebe, Keefe, Thompson, Harstad, Johnsrud and Sovinski

Absent: None

All rose and recited the Pledge of Allegiance.

Approval of the Agenda

Add/Remove

8. Consent Items (approval)

c. New Hires

- i. Madyson Proper – Valleyland Assistant

Motion by Sovinski, second by Keefe to approve the agenda as amended. Motion carried 6-0.

Approval of Claims and Accounts

Treasurer Harstad indicated that the claims and accounts appeared to be in order. Motion to approve claims and accounts made by Harstad, seconded by Sovinski. Motion carried 6-0.

Reports

Tom Keefe (SB)

Nothing to report.

Josh Thompson (SB)

Nothing to report.

Jill Harstad (SB)

Nothing to Report

David Sovinski (SB)
Nothing to Report

Mark Johnsrud (SB)
Nothing to Report

Katie Priebe (SB Chair)
Nothing to Report

Student Senate
Nothing to Report

Shane McBroom (K-6 Principal)
Presented Submitted Report

Eric Nelson (7-12 Principal)
Presented Submitted Report

Ed Harris (Superintendent)
Presented submitted report

Consent Agenda
Motion by Keefe second by Johnsrud to approve the consent agenda as amended.
Motion carried 6-0.

Policy Review

1st Reading of District Policies (review)
None

2nd Reading of District Policies (approval)
None

Discussion Items
None

Action Items
Motion by Thompson, Second by Johnsrud to Approve Lease Levy Resolution (Track Refurbishment. Motion carried 6-0.

Motion by Keefe, Second by Thompson to approve 2026-2027 Budget Reductions. Motion carried 4-2 with Members Priebe, Keefe, Thompson and Sovinski voting YES and Members Harstad and Johnsrud voting NO.

Motion by Thompson, Second by Sovinski to Approve Non-Renewal of Staff Member. Motion carried 6-0

Motion by Thomson, Second by Sovinski to Approve Unrequested Leave of Absence. Motion carried 4-2 with Members Priebe, Keefe, Thompson and Sovinski voting YES and Members Harstad and Johnsrud voting NO.

Adjournment
Motion by Keefe, second by Sovinski to adjourn. Motion carried. Meeting adjourned at 8:05 PM

/s/  _____
Board Clerk