# HURON SCHOOL DISTRICT
# BOARD OF EDUCATION MINUTES
# REGULAR MEETING

## September 29, 2025

President, Scott Ferguson called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m. in the Media Center of Huron High School.

Members present: Cox, Monte, Johnson, Town, Spicer, Roupe, and Ferguson

Members absent:

**Pledge to the flag was given**

25/26-029. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Monte that the Board of Education approve the minutes from the Regular Meeting held on August 25, 2025 as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

**Public Concerns and Comments:** Patricia D. Myles, from Van Buren Township, would like the district to change its logo.

**Communication:** Nate from Rehmann Robson gave a brief presentation of the audit that took place in the summer – with no issues of non-compliance, and no findings.

25/26-030. Moved by Cox, seconded by Monte, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Tanya Smith as the Head Cook at Ferguson Early Childhood Center, effective August 27, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-031. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Monte, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Lori Beason as the LRE Aide at Ferguson Early Childhood Center, effective September 3, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-032. Moved by Cox, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Rebecca Day as a new Bus Driver for the District, effective September 4, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-033. Moved by Cox, seconded by Johnson, that the Board of Education approved the of Stephanie Rennie as the LRE Aide in the ASD program at Bobcean Elementary, effective September 11, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-034. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Shawna Stier, as an Independence Aide at Miller Elementary, effective September 11, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-035. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Jordan Lemay as the Lunch/Recess Aide at Brown Elementary, effective September 15, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-036. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Johnson, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Kristin Veith, as the Lunch/Recess Aide at Miller Elementary, effective September 15, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-037. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the hirnig of Carrigan Little as the Cook's Assistant at Ferguson Early Childhood Center, effective September 22, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-038. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Town, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Malik Harvey as the Transportation Facilitator in the Transportation Department, effective September 8, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-039. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the hiring of Haylie Watson as the Independence Aide at Miller Elmentary, effective August 27, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-040. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by by Town, that the Board of Education approve the Out of State Field Trip for the 4th Grade students at Miller Elementary, to go to the Huntington Center, for the Toledo Walleye game, in Toledo, Ohio, on November 12, 2025, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

*Donovan gave an explanation to the attending students of the process of Roberts Rule of Order, and how the Board approval process goes.*

25/26-041. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Roupe, that the Board of Education approve the Out of State Fild Trip for the Concert Band and Choir students to travel to New York City, New York for performances and clinics, April 15, 2026 through April 19, 2026, as presented.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried

25/26-042. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Roupe that the Board of Education approve the updated quote from Stafford Smith for the High School Cafeteria Equipment in the amount of $320,412.00 and that this quote replaces the one that was originally approved at the July 28, 2025 meeting, as presented.

*Johnson questioned why the change, and Jill explained that the original quote did not include the installation charges*.

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| Roll Call Vote: | Cox, Monte, Johnson, Town<br>Spicer, Roupe, and Ferguson - AYES |
| | Motion carried |

**Board Policy Committee Report:**
Dana stated that they will be meeting at the end of October to discuss the lates updates.

***Facilities Committee Report:***
Donovan discussed that the Focus Panels have met, regarding the upcoming Bond.

***Finance Committee Report:***
Dana stated that they just met prior to this meeting and a lot is pending on the State Budget

***Strategic Planning Committee Report:***
Donovan stated that they have a meeting coming in October

***LDFA Report:***
Scott said that they are continuing to pave Mercer Drive and the LDFA is looking for projects and possibly rezoning some pieces of property. There is also new signage throughout the township.

25/26-043. Moved by Johnson, seconded by Spicer, that the Board of Education approve the Account Payable totaling $5,460,851.91 as presented.

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| Roll Call Vote: | Cox, Monte, Johnson, Town,<br>Spicer, Roupe, and Ferguson - AYES |
| | Motion carried |
| Investment Report | Note and File |
| Statement of Revenue/Expenditures | Note and File |

**Comments from the Board of Education Members:**

Cox – Wanted to say Good Luck to the Boys Soccer team vs Grosse Ile tonight.

Monte – Thanked Jill for a great review on the audit.

Spicer – Thanked Jill and stated what a great job the students and staff have done with Homecoming.

Johnson – Reminded everyone that the Band will be marching in the Applefest Parade at 1:00 p.m. this Saturday, and Renton will be performing at 2:00 p.m.

*Comments from the Board of Education Members (continued)*

Roupe – Thanked Jill for a great audit, Good Luck to all of the Fall Sports, and thanked all of the students for attending tonight's meeting.

Ferguson – Echoed everyone's comments and has heard great things about Homecoming.

**Superintendent's Comments:**

Donovan congratulated everyone on the Homecoming team. Applefest parade is at 1:00 p.m.in downtown New Boston, with Renton performing at 2:00 p.m. Thanked Jill for everything on the audit. He mentioned that the government is trying to approve the School Aide before the possible shut down.

25/26-044. Moved by Ferguson, seconded by Cox, that the meeting be adjourned at 6:31 p.m.

Ayes – 7 Nays – 0 Motion carried.