

INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 831
Forest Lake, Minnesota
REGULAR SCHOOL BOARD MEETING

April 16, 2026

The regular meeting of the School Board of Independent School District No. 831, Forest Lake MN, was called to order by Chair Rebelein at 7:02 p.m. on Thursday, April 16, 2026 at the Forest Lake Area School District Offices. Following the Pledge of Allegiance, roll was called and the following members were present: Tessa Antonsen, Jill Christenson, Julie Corcoran (attending via interactive technology), Mark Kasel, Curt Rebelein Jr., Gail Theisen and Superintendent Dr. Steve Massey, ex officio, vacant seat open.

MEETING AGENDA

Member Kasel moved, 2nd by Member Theisen to approve the School Board Agenda as presented for APRIL 16 2026. Via roll call, all members voted aye and the motion carried.

SCHEDULED / UNSCHEDULED VISITORS –None

COMMITTEE REPORTS

- AMSD – Superintendent Massey reported on MN Kids RISE
- 916 – Chair Rebelein reported on policies, Karner Blue, calendar, resolutions, insurance
- Finance – Director Rehnberg-Eide reported on fund balance Policy 1417
- Communications, Family & Student Engagement – Director McKinnon reported on spring/summer catalogue, Arts in the Park, 4th of July, ADA compliance
- Curriculum, Instruction & Equity – Director Jacobson reported on Language Access Plan, READ Act
- Policy – Director Friedmann reported on Policy 519
- Staff Welfare – Superintendent Massey reported on math curriculum, new standards, enrollment

CONSENT AGENDA

Member Christenson moved, 2nd by Member Kasel to approve agenda items 6.1 - 6.3 as presented. Via roll call, all members voted aye and the motion carried.

6.1 Approve the bills as of April 16, 2026

6.2 Classified Personnel

Authorization of Transfer

- Ennis, Yvette - Long Hour Cook Helper, from 25 hours per week at Forest Lake Area Middle School to 20 hours per week at Linwood Elementary, effective April 8, 2026

Recommendation of Employment

- Bittner, Corrine - Special Education Paraprofessional at Forest Lakes Area High School, 30 hours per week and 177 days per year, effective April 27, 2026 (contingent upon satisfactory background check)
- Humphreys, Morris - Custodian at Forest View Elementary, 40 hours per week and 260 days per year, effective April 2, 2026
- Schultz, Jennifer - Noon Duty at Scandia Elementary, 10 hours per week and 177 days per year, effective April 13, 2026 (contingent upon satisfactory background check)

Resignation

- Ali, Liban (Pollei) - Temporary Student Support at Forest Lake Area Middle School, effective March 18, 2026
- Caulfield, Shelby - Noon Duty at Linwood Elementary, effective March 5, 2026
- Zeleny, Joseph - Health Office Assistant at Lino Lakes Elementary, effective April 24, 2026

6.3 Approve Licensed Personnel

Change in FTE

- Tan, Heather: Increase from .4 FTE to 1.0 FTE - effective 26/27 SY

Change in Hours

- Dehaven, Amanda: Increase from 21 hours/week to 23.5 hours/week - effective 3/16/26
- Lindeman, Joanne: Increase from 19 hours/week to 21.5 hours/week - effective 3/16/26

Non-Curricular Assignments

- Bakke, Deborah: Boys Volleyball - .57 Asst Coach
- Eiden, Klein: Boys Volleyball - .43 Asst Coach - pending satisfactory background check
- Ernst, Timothy: Clay Target - 1.0 Asst Coach
- Fischer, Sarah: HS Speech - .10 Head Coach
- Hageman, Gene: Boys Lacrosse - 1.0 Asst Coach (Booster pd)
- Luskey, Kristin: Prom - .50 Asst Advisor
- Madison, David: Clay Target - 1.0 Head Coach
- Martin, Billee-Jo: Clay Target - 1.0 Asst Coach
- McCarthy, Nathan: Clay Target - 1.0 Asst Coach
- Organ, Thomas: Boys Lacrosse - 1.0 Asst Coach (Booster pd)
- Ott, Bart: Clay Target - 1.0 Asst Coach
- Spears, Don: Clay Target - 1.0 Asst Coach
- Studier, Sebastien: Boys Lacrosse - .43 Asst Coach (Booster pd)
- Sundem, Brad: Boys Lacrosse - 1.0 Asst Coach
- Wilcox-Garrity, Wendy: International Club - .50 Head Advisor
- Walrath Jr., Robert: HS Lacrosse - .50 Asst Coach
- Witzmann, Amanda: HS Spring Play - .65 Head Director

Recommendation of Employment

- Hartigan, Kendra: 1.0 FTE effective the 26/27 SY
- Hill, Rylee: School Psychology Intern 4/13/26 - 7/24/26
- Lewis, Anna: 1.0 FTE effective the 26/27 SY
- Olson, Erika: 1.0 FTE effective the 26/27 SY

Resignation

- Anderson, Amanda: Effective end 6/5/26

Unpaid LOA

- Peterson, Janae: 0.2 unpaid LOA for the 26/27 SY
- Van Tassel, Ellen: 0.4 unpaid LOA for the 26/27 SY

ACTION ITEMS

7.1 Permission to Bid Dishwashers – Member Theisen moved, 2nd by Member Kasel to grant permission to Bid Dishwashers. Via roll call vote all members voted aye, the motion carried.

7.2 Finance Department Reorganization – Chair Rebelein moved, 2nd by Member Kasel to approve the Finance Department Reorganization as presented. Via roll call vote, all members voted aye and the motion carried.

NEW BUSINESS - None

As there was no further business, Member Antonsen moved, 2nd by Member Kasel to adjourn. Via roll call, all members present voted aye and the meeting adjourned at 7:47 p.m.

 Curt Rebelein, Jr., Chair

 Tessa Antonsen, Clerk

Approved Date: 5/07/2026