

MINUTES of the SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HARTFORD JT. 1 – September 22, 2025

The regular meeting of the School District of Hartford Jt. 1 Board of Education was called to order by President Wilk at 6:00 PM on Monday, September 22, 2025 at District Administration Building.

Roll Call – Ian Gronbeck, Barb Lindert, Don Pridemore, Louise Schrunck and Erin Wilk were present. Also present were Dr. Tara Villalobos, administrators, supervisors and forty-one guests.

Lincoln students led the Pledge of Allegiance.

Wilk verified the posting of the regular meeting according to all governing laws. Lindert moved Schrunck seconded to approve the agenda. Vote. All yes. Motion carried.

Lincoln third grade students shared “something good” about their school year so far.

No citizens addressed the Board.

BOARD PRESIDENT’S REPORT

President Wilk highlighted the Back to School event successes and recognized Louise Schrunck for earning a WASB professional learning level award which will be given at the upcoming regional meeting.

INFORMATIONAL

- 1) The 2025 Summer Academy report was shared with the Board.
- 2) District updated included:
 - a) District Family Night will be held on September 25 at Rossman Elementary School.
 - b) Ribbon cuttings will be held at each school: Rossman Elementary on September 25, Central Middle School on October 16, and Lincoln Elementary School on November 13.
 - c) Mr. Stephans shared Central co-curricular updates.
 - d) Central Red Ribbon Week will be October 27-31.
 - e) Legislative updates were shared with the Board.
- 3) Board updates included:
 - a) WASB will recognize Louise Schrunck at our region’s meeting for the member recognition program.
 - b) WASB Board of Directors Region 15 nominees were shared with the Board.
 - c) Wisconsin School Board Week is October 5-11.
 - d) The State Education Convention will be held January 21-23, 2026.

DISCUSSION

- 1) Spotlight on Learning: Ms. Eason, Ms. Koeppen, and Ms. Williams shared updates on the 4K program.
- 2) Mr. Radschlag provided an update for technology services.

ACTION

- 1) Gronbeck moved Lindert seconded to approve the parent transportation contracts at a cost not to exceed \$3,312.00. Roll call vote: Pridemore-aye, Wilk-aye, Schrunck-aye, Gronbeck-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- 2) Gronbeck moved Schrunck seconded to approve the renewal of art education license renewals with the Art of Education at a cost not to exceed \$10,480.50. Roll call vote: Wilk-aye, Schrunck-aye, Gronbeck-aye, Pridemore-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- 3) Lindert moved Gronbeck seconded to approve a vision and orientation and mobility services contract with CESA 6 at a cost not to exceed \$14,155.00. Roll call vote: Schrunck-aye, Gronbeck-aye, Pridemore-aye, Wilk-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- 4) Gronbeck moved Lindert seconded to approve the special education independent services contract at a cost not to exceed \$39,200.00. Roll call vote: Gronbeck-aye, Schrunck-aye, Wilk-aye, Pridemore-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- 5) Lindert moved Gronbeck seconded to approve math professional development with Math Insights Consulting LLC at a cost not to exceed \$32,500.00. Roll call vote: Pridemore-aye, Wilk-aye, Schrunck-aye, Gronbeck-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- 6) Pridemore moved Schrunck seconded to approve the Memorandum of Understanding with Casa Guadalupe Multicultural Center, Inc. Vote. All yes. Motion carried.

- 7) Gronbeck moved Lindert seconded to approve the consent agenda. Roll call vote: Schrunk-aye, Gronbeck-aye, Pridemore-aye, Wilk-aye, Lindert-aye (5-0). Motion carried.
- a) Approval of minutes of the August 18, 2025 Regular Meeting & August 25, 2025 Special Meeting.
 - b) Approval of Fund 10, 21, 27, 50 and 80 payment vouchers 30992 to 31132 for the amount of \$3,242,351.55.
 - c) Approval of the August 2025 Treasurer's report.
 - d) Personnel Recommendations
 - i. Certified Staff Resignations – Isabel McCauley, District in-house substitute teacher, Rossman
 - ii. Certified Staff Hires – Jared Brinkman, Chess Club advisor, Central; Andrew Host, District in-house substitute teacher, Central; Brooklyn Justinger, 0.60 FTE school psychologist, Central; Rachel Kopplin, Forensics co-advisor, Central; Caleb Much, 7th Grade Boys Basketball coach, Central; Marla Perfect, 8th Grade Girls Basketball coach, Central; Andrew Piehl, 8th Grade Boys Basketball coach, Central; Emma Thuecks, Art Club advisor, Central; Aaron Winkel, 7th Grade Girls Basketball coach, Central; Tanya Young, Outdoor Club advisor, Central

Board meeting reflection and feedback was given to the Board.

Gronbeck moved Pridemore seconded to adjourn. Motion unanimously carried. Meeting was adjourned at 6:48 PM.

Respectfully submitted,
Barb Lindert, School Board Clerk

Dr. Tara Villalobos, District Administrator